

FORM FOUR CLUSTER KCSE MODEL 2

CRE PAPER 1 ANSWER

1. a)
 - i. Job
 - ii. Psalms
 - iii. Proverbs
 - iv. Ecclesiastes
 - v. Song of Solomon 5 x 1 = 5 marksb)
 - i. The Old Testament was originally written in Hebrews.
 - ii. The New Testament was originally written in Greek Septuagint)
 - iii. The Old Testament was translated from Hebrews to Greek (vulgate)
 - iv. The entire Bible was translated into Latin by Jerome.
 - v. The Bible was translated directly from Hebrews and Greek into English by William Tyndale.
 - vi. The Bible was translated into National Languages of European countries during the period of Reformation.
 - vii. The Bible was then translated from English to Kiswahili by Dr. L. Kraph.
 - viii. The Bible has been translated into other local languages by the Bible society of Kenya/ individuals.4 x 2 = 8 marks
- c)
 - i. It's the main source book for Christian sermons/preaching/reference.
 - ii. It's used in the composing songs/praise songs.
 - iii. It's used in the writing of Christian literature/magazines.
 - iv. It's used in the production of Christian movies/videos/radio programmes/plays.
 - v. The Bible is used in swearing/oath taking.
 - vi. Bible text is used in teaching C.R.E/
 - vii. It's used to offer guidance and counseling.
 - viii. It's used during Bible studies/teachings on Sunday Schools/Sabbath schools.
 - ix. For writing posters.
 - x. It's used during social gatherings e.g. wedding/funerals/parliamentary meetings e.t.cAny 7 x 1 = 7 marks
2. a)
 - i. God told Abraham to take his only son to the land of Moriah to offer him as sacrifice.
 - ii. Abraham took his son, two servants/ wood for burnt offering.
 - iii. They arrived at the place after a three days journey.
 - iv. Abraham commanded his servants to remain behind as he and Isaac went up for worship.
 - v. He took Isaac/the knife and wood and went up.
 - vi. Abraham told his son that God would provide the Lamb for burnt offering.
 - vii. When they reached at the place God commanded Abraham to build an Altar and arranged the wood.
 - viii. Abraham then laid Isaac on the Altar upon the wood.
 - ix. Abraham then took the knife to slay his son but the Angel of the Lord stopped him.
 - x.
 - xi. Abraham then saw a ram which he offered instead of his son.
 - xii. Abraham then called the place Lord would provide.
 - xiii. The Angel appeared again and gave him promises because of his faith and obedience.
 - xiv. Abraham then returned with his son and servants to Bersheba.8 x 1 = 8 marks
- b)
 - i. African circumcised both male and female while the Jewish only male.
 - ii. For the Jews it's of 8 days only while African's between 12 yrs-15 yrs
 - iii. For Africa it's a test of courage while for the Jewish it's a command to obey the covenant.
 - iv. In African it involves the community while for the Jews it's only for the family members.
 - v. For the Africans it goes with responsibility and acquire adulthood, while for the Jews the child is still a baby.
 - vi. For Africans this ritual is carried during specific seasons but for the Jews it's continuous.
 - vii. For the Africans it linked them with ancestor while for the Jews with God.
 - viii. For the Africans it involves teachings while the Jewish they are still young to be taught.6 x 1 = 6 marks
- c)
 - i. It's a fulfillment of cultural demands.
 - ii. It provides opportunity for teaching the youth the secrets of the society.
 - iii. It qualifies one to be adult –opportunity to marry and own property/wealth.

- iv. To identify one with community.
- v. It's a test of courage/and bravery.
- vi. Qualify one to become a woman/defender/provision of security.

- vii. It links on with ancestors.
- viii. It reduces sexual urge for girls.
- ix. For health reasons.

Any six x 1 = 6 marks

3. a) Describe the role
- i. Acted as God's prophet/priests.
 - ii. Offered prayers in behalf of the people.
 - iii. Presided over the sacrifices to God on behalf of the people/give offerings/sacrifices.
 - iv. Settled disputes/problems among the Israelites.
 - v. Led Israel to wars against their enemies.
 - vi. Anointed kings of Israel.

vii. They linked the people with God/God's messengers. 5 marks

b) Explain how King Solomon broke the covenant way of life.

- i. He married many foreign wives which led to the worshipping of idols.
- ii. He encouraged images in the temple of God to please his foreign wives.
- iii. He employed the skills of pagan craftsman in the building of the temple.
- iv. He allowed false prophets who joined his wives in the worship of idols.
- v. He enslaved Israelites.
- vi. He brought taxation in Israel that hardened the life of his people.
- vii. He introduced forced labour and forced his people to carry timber from Lebanon.
- viii. He broke the brotherhood relationship by promoting tribalism in Israel.
- ix. He organized the killing of his half brother Adonijah.
- xi. He sold the land of His people to foreign states e.g. tyre.
- xii. He became extravagant and left his people to live in poverty.

Any 8 x 1 = 8 marks

c)

- i. Tribalism/clanism/nepotism/racism
- ii. Unfair distribution of wealth.
- iii. Corruption.
- iv. Leadership wrangling.
- v. Pride/superiority of some leaders/arrogance.
- vi. Failure to keep their pledges/promises/oath taking.
- vii. Some have cling to power/authority.
- viii. Unemployment/poverty.
- ix. Political affiliation/doctrines/allianment.
- x. Foreign interference
- xi. Poor governance. 7 x 1 = 7 marks)

viii. They played a central role in the socio-economic, political and religious life of Israel.

ix. They were called by God to communicate God's will to the people of Israel/revealed

God's need to the people.

x. They called people to obedience and to the true worship of God.

xi. They received God's call through vision/dreams/ordinary events.

xii. They acted as mediators between God and people.

xiii. They condemned all forms of social evils and rituals.

xiv. They acted as the conscience of kings/advised kings

xv. Some prophets acted as priest e.g. Abraham/Moses/Samuel/led people in worship/offering sacrifices.

xvi. They foretold the punishment that would befall Israel if they disobeyed the covenant/God/Law of God.

xvii. They called people to repentance/give people hope if repented/those in exile promised hope/restoration. (7 marks)

b)

i. Time of victory against their enemies/glory.

ii. A day that Israel would be exalted.

iii. Time that Israel would rejoice/time of happiness and joy.

iv. Time of peace/prosperity.

v. Time that God would establish his role among his chosen race. (Israel)

vi. The time when justice would prevail and wickedness defeated.

vii. A day of light and brightness.

viii. God would turn his anger on the wicked Nations.

(6 x 1 = 6 marks)

c)

i. Both were called by God to pass messages to people.

ii. Both warned people of impending disasters if they disobeyed the Law.

- iii. Both had supernatural experiences for they communicated with God through dreams/visions/ trances.
- iv. Both were expected to be people of high integrity/ moral standard/obeyed God's call.
- v. They passed judgement and gave warning to those who do evils.
- vi. At times they performed the role of healers/diviners/mediums.
- vii. Both stood up against oppression and championed for liberty for their people
- viii. In both, prophets were charismatic personalities.
- ix. Both were consulted to reveal God's will to the people. 7 x 1= 7 marks)

4. a)
- i. He told the people of Judah to stop exploiting and oppressing the poor/aliens/orphans/widows.
 - ii. To stop killing innocent people.
 - iii. Accused them of being insincere/hypocritical/outward expression/external religious practices.
 - iv. He warned them of destruction of the temple, like Shiloh if they failed to repent.
 - v. Warned them not to offer sacrifices to gods/Queen of Sheba
 - vi. To stop worshipping idols/idolatry.
 - vii. He told them that Jerusalem/Judah would be invaded by foreigners and would go to exile if they fail to repent.
 - viii. He warned them of false security on the temple.
 - ix. To stop being deceitful.
 - x. That people have ignored and rejected the teachings of prophets.
- 7 x 1= 7 marks
- b)
- i. He was isolated, hated and disliked and stopped from joining people in social gatherings.
 - ii. He was mocked by his people because his prophecies failed to be fulfilled immediately e.g. destruction of the temple.
 - iii. People had turned against him despite interceding for them.
 - iv. He was arrested, beaten and chained because of influence of priest pashhur.
 - v. He was accused of blasphemy for prophesying about the destruction of the temple/city of Jerusalem.
 - vi. He was charged of treason because of his collaboration with the Babylonians leading to his imprisonment.
 - vii. He was accused of death threats for failing to protect and intervene for the safety of Judah/temple. 6 x 1= 6 marks
- c)
- i. Christian leaders should expect rejection because of what they condemn in society.
 - ii. Christians should be ready to proclaim the word of God despite threats from leaders.
 - iii. Church leaders will face opposition while carrying out God's work/will be mocked/scorned.
 - iv. Christians should rely on God when faced with challenges/pray to God for protection.
 - v. Christians must be aware of false prophets who want to please leaders.
 - vi. Christians should always tell the truth about God's will regardless of the consequences.
 - vii. Christians should pray and love their enemies not to call for vengeance like Jeremiah did.
 - viii. Christians should remain faithful and firm to the word of God.
 - ix. Truth in the lives of Christians would set them free like it did to Jeremiah.
- 7 x 1= 7 marks
5. a)
- i. Inviting family members to share a common meal.
 - ii. Identify the leaders of the family after him.
 - iii. Disclosing to the family members all his property owned/secrets.
 - iv. Sharing/distributing the property among family members e.g. land/wealth.
 - v. Give advice to family members.
 - vi. Resolve disputes/reconcile members.
 - vii. Identifying the debtors and creditors.
 - viii. Identifying the burial site/giving instructions regarding the funeral.
- (7 x 1=7 marks)
- b)
- i. There are good and evil spirits existing.
 - ii. They are invisible/do not have a physical form.
 - iii. They are more powerful than the living.
 - iv. They bring blessings/curses to those who obey the Law or break taboos/Laws.
 - v. They stay in caves/forests/mountains/rivers/rocks.
 - vi. They act as mediators between God and human beings.

vii. They convey the message to the people from ancestors/gods.

viii. They protect/give security to people's home.

6 x 1 = 6 marks

c)

i. Naming children after them.

ii. Pouring libation for them.

iii. Taking care of their graves.

iv. Making sacrifices to honor them/appease

v. Consulting/communicating with them in times of need.

vi. Invoking their names during prayers.

vii. Building shrines for them.

viii. Teaching their children about them/role that they played in the society.

ix. By organizing ceremonies for them.

Any 7 x 1 = marks