

FORM 3 C.R.E PP1MARKING SCHEME

1. a) From the Genesis stories of creation, outline seven teachings about human beings (1x7=7mks)

- Human beings are created in the image and likeness of God
- They are given authority over God's creation
- They fellowship/communicate with God
- They are special creatures of God
- They can reason/think/make choices to sin or not
- They are blessed by God
- They have a special place to stay/Garden of Eden
- They use and care for the creation/till the earth
- They are to procreate/multiply through marriage
- They are male and female to complement each other
- Woman is created out of man's rib

b) With reference to the story of the fall of human beings in Genesis 3, state four effects of sin on Adam and Eve (8 x 1 =8mks)

- They started dying yet they were to live forever
- They became afraid of God/hide when God called them
- They lost authority over the other creation
- Man was to rule the woman/inequality between man and woman
- Woman was to be in pain when giving birth
- Enmity between human beings and serpent developed
- They became embarrassed because of their nakedness
- They were expelled out of the Garden of Eden
- They developed mistrust between man and woman

c) How does the church help to bring back members who have fallen from the faith? (1x5=5mks)

- By visiting them or inviting them to their homes
- By forgiving them or being patient with them
- By preaching to them/teaching them
- By encouraging them to confess
- By guiding and counselling them
- By praying for them
- By helping the needy with material things.

2. a) Explain acts of faith demonstrated by Abraham (1x8 = 8mks)

- Abraham obeyed when God told him to move to unknown land
- He was ready to sacrifice his only son Isaac
- He believed when he was promised a son
- He built two altars at Bethel and Sechem
- He obeyed God's instructions to circumcise all males
- He had total faith in God's greatness and loyalty
- He offered sacrifices to God in Canaan.
- Abraham accepted the change of his name and that of his wife.
- He entered into a covenant relationship with God.
- He abandoned the worship of many gods and went for one true God.

b) Give seven reasons why God called Abraham (1x7=7mks)

- To separate him from idol worshipping
- To be a founder of God's great Nation
- God wanted to make a new plan of salvation to all mankind
- God wanted to teach people the meaning of faith
- He was a man of faith/obedience
- It was a new beginning of rescuing mankind from sin
- To make a Holy Nation through him
- To make a covenant with him
- To give his descendants the promised land
- He wanted Abraham to worship him
- God wanted to reveal himself to Abraham
- God wanted to bless him with a son

c) Identify five ways in which Christians can show their faith in God (1x5=5mks)

- Through worshipping of one God
- By speaking the truth
- By helping the needy, sick lame
- By doing his work well
- By obeying the commandments of God
- By being honest and upright

3. a) Explain the achievements of David as a king of Israel (1x8=8mks)

- David conquered and defeated the enemies of Israel
- He expanded the geographical boundaries of Israel
- He captured Jerusalem from Jebusites
- He made Jerusalem the capital of Israel
- He made Jerusalem a religious centre by bringing the Ark of the Covenant
- He made peace treaties with his neighbours
- He composed psalms which were used during worship
- He united the 12 tribes of Israel under one rule
- He made preparations for the construction of the temple

b) Outline seven failures of King Solomon (1x7=7mks)

- He married foreign wives.
- He allowed wives to worship idol gods.
- He built high places of worship of idol gods.
- He introduced forced labour.
- He killed his half brother Adonijah.
- He worshipped gods of his wives.
- He imposed heavy taxation to his people to raise part of government revenue.
- He spent and misused the wealth of the kingdom by building his palace.
- He took long to build his palace and less time to build the Temple.
- He sold Israel's land to the King of Tyre.
- He practised Nepotism by exempting his people from taxation and forced labour.
- He hired skills of pagan craftsmen in building the Temple and his palace.

c) Give five reasons why Christians in Kenya should build churches (5x1=5mks)

- Churches are used for worship
- Churches signify God's presence
- Churches are used for meetings/gatherings for members

- Churches are places for religious instructions
- Religious functions take place there/festivals.
- Churches are places of refuge in times of danger/calamity
- They follow O.T teachings of a temple as a house of God

4. a) Outline eight characteristics of the true prophets in the old testament

(1x8=8mks)

- They were called by God
- They received revelation from God through dreams/visions
- They were obedient to God
- They faced rejection/opposition from the people as they never compromised with them
- They communicated God's message to the people
- They were fearless and spoke with authority
- They understood the nature of the prophecies
- They acknowledged one God/monotheism
- Their prophecies were fulfilled
- They led holy lives
- They did not prophesy for material gains

b) State six ways in which the rich oppressed the poor during the time of prophet Amos

(6 x 1 = 6mks)

- The rich took poor peoples garments in pledge
- The poor were robbed off their food/gains/belongings
- Merchants overcharged the poor when selling to them
- The poor were sold for a piece of silver/pair of shoes
- The rich used faulty scales/measures
- They were sold into slavery when unable to pay debts
- The poor were denied justice in the law courts as they could not bribe the judges
- Cases of the poor were thrown out/not listened to

c) Give reasons why the church condemns injustice in Kenya (1x6=6mks)

- To correct the evil in the society
- To emulate or imitate Jesus Christ
- To create peace and harmony in the society
- To uplift human dignity
- To guard against God's judgement upon the nation
- To promote National development
- It is against God's laws/teachings

5. a) Explain the significance of the symbolic act of buying land by prophet Jeremiah

(5 x 1 =5mks)

- People of Judah had a future or will regain freedom
- People of Judah will reclaim their land or restored back
- People of Judah will resume their normal lives i.e. own land
- Divine judgement was not an end in itself or in life
- Restoration was to take place at God's own time
- People of Judah had to wait patiently for the return from exile
- God was loving and faithful to bring them back
- It made them feel secure as they were to lack nothing

b) Outline the sufferings of prophet Jeremiah during his ministry (1x8=8mks)

- Jeremiah was rejected by his own relatives/family
- He was accused falsely Jere.18:8
- He was threatened with death because of speaking for God
- He lived a lonely and solitary life – Not marry or mourn or attend any social gathering
- His message was rejected by Israelites or scroll burnt
- He had spiritual suffering as he saw evil prosper - while the righteous suffer
- He was beaten or physically assaulted
- His enemies attempted to kill him
- He was imprisoned or jailed
- He was mocked or humiliated in public

c) State seven ways in which Christians resolve conflicts among themselves (1x7=7mks)

- They pray over the issue
- They offer guidance and counseling to the affected
- Paying visits and having fellowships
- Involving church leaders as arbitrators
- Forgiving one another
- By sharing meals or eating together
- Shaking of hands or accepting a greeting
- Withdrawing some privileges for a period of time to reform

6. a) Outline rituals performed during the birth of a baby in traditional African communities (1x8 = 8mks)

- The baby and mother are given gifts
- There is feasting in the family or by relatives
- Prayers of thanksgiving/blessings/protection are offered
- Protective charms are given to the mother
- Sacrifices are offered to God
- Mother and baby are kept in seclusion
- Mother's hair is shaven
- Umbilical cord is cut and the placenta is disposed off carefully
- Ululations are made to announce the sex of the baby
- The baby is washed

b) Give seven reasons why children are important in traditional African communities

(1x7= 7mks)

- They ensure the continuity of the society
- They inherit the parents' property
- They take care of their parents during old age
- They are a source of labour
- They seal marriage or make marriage stable
- They offer security to the society i.e. boys are warriors
- They replace the dead relatives/ancestors
- They are a source of wealth to the family/community
- They run errands for the community

c) Explain ways in which children are made responsible members in Traditional African communities (5x1=5mks)

- Through guidance and counseling

- Giving them instructions during initiation
- Rewarding those who performed their duties well
- Giving them deterrent punishments for failure
- By inculcating fear verbally
- By imitating adults/role playing
- By telling stories/proverbs/riddles/singing songs