



ARCHDIOCESE OF MBARARA

PRE-P.L.E EXAMINATION 2024

SOCIAL STUDIES WITH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Time allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes

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Read the following instructions carefully:

The paper has two sections: A and B

1. Section A has 40 questions (40 marks)
2. Section B has 15 questions (60 marks)
3. Answer **ALL** questions. All answers to both sections A and B must be written in the spaces provided.
4. All answers must be written using a blue or black ball point pen or ink. Diagrams should be drawn in pencil.
5. Unnecessary crossing of work may lead to loss of marks.
6. Any handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
7. Do not fill anything in the boxes indicated;

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SECTION A

1. Name the largest land animal that attracts tourists in Uganda.
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2. Why is the police against mob justice as practiced by irresponsible citizens?
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3. Mention the effect of earth's movement which occurs along the equator on 23rd September and 21st March every year.
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4. What makes it difficult to control the rapid population growth in Africa?
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5. State any one reason why the river lake Nilotes moved away from Bahre-el-Ghazel region?
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6. Mention one way a civil war can cause under development in a country.
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7. How can the increase of vehicles fuel prices result into increase in price of other goods?
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8. How do cattle keepers in Africa solve the problem of pasture shortage during the drought?
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9. In which African region is Djibouti found?
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10. Use the space below to draw a diagram showing surplus budget.
11. Why are some countries unable to produce certain goods?
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12. Give one reason why government put Game reserves?
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13. What indicates that the Accra almost lies in the middle of the world?
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14. How did the long-distance trade strengthen some kingdoms?
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15. Name a country whose capital city is Tripoli.
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16. Mention at least one traditional cash crop favoured by the equatorial climate.
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17. How can tree planting in a school compound turn into a problem to the school?
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18. Write down one way telephones can be used by people for communication purposes.
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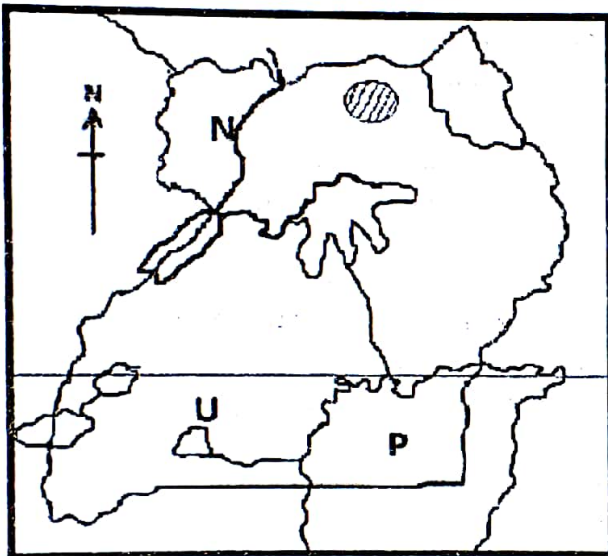
19. How can the instrument below be used to create order in the school?

20. How does Mabira forest influence the climate of Buikwe and Mukono district?

21. Give one advantage of mechanized farming as practiced in developed countries.

22. Mention one way the police maintains law and order in Uganda.

Use the map below to answer questions 23 – 25.



23. Name the rebellion which was staged in the shaded area during the colonial period.

24. Give the evidence to show that Lake U is on a higher altitude than Lake P:

25. Why were the British interested in bringing area N under their control?

26. How can leaders in the country promote the economic development of their area?

27. How is crop farming made possible in dry areas?

28. Of what importance are school anthems?

29. Identify any one African country crossed by the prime meridian besides Ghana?

30. What has led to the total population of trees to decline country-wide?

31. Why did most Baganda hate the service of Sir Andrew Cohen?

32. Mention any one economic contribution of the Bachwezi in Uganda.

33. How has UW tried to restore peace in countries with civil wars and boarder conflicts?

34. Write down one way the Bantu people were politically organized.

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35. What do the spears and the shield represent on the Uganda Coat of Arm?
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For questions 36 – 40, Answer Either Christianity Or Islam but not both in a number.

36. **Either:** What does the use of water symbolize in Baptism?
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Or: Why do Muslims wash their bodies before involving themselves in prayers?
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37. **Either:** Why were the Pharisees and teachers of law unfriendly to Jesus?
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Or: Why did some people of Mecca not friendly to Prophet Mohammed (PBUH)?
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38. **Either:** Why did Moses fear to go to King Pharaoh at first?
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Or: Why was Musa called a prophet deliverance?
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39. **Either:** What was the immediate punishment God gave to Adam and Eve after disobeying Him?
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Or: What was the immediate punishment God gave to Adam and Eve after disobeying Him?
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40. **Both:** Muslims and Christians believe in the Day of Judgment. What do you think will happen on the judgment day?
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SECTION B

41. a) Give any two ways Mabira forest is socially helpful to the people who stay around it.

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II.

b) How do trees help to reduce the effect of bad weather?
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c) State any two ways the government of Uganda is trying to protect the natural forest in the country.
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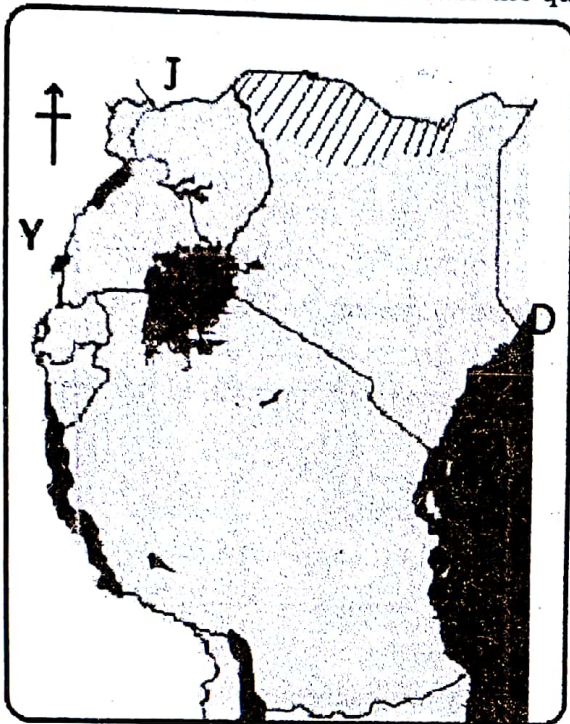
42. a) Give any one economic reason why the government spends a lot of money to construct good roads.
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b) What are seasonal roads?
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c) Why are humps important on busy roads?
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d) How do feeder roads promote development in rural areas?

43. Study the map given and answer the questions that follow.



a) What evidence is there to show that country J is at lower altitude than Uganda?

b) How did the civil war in country D affect the natives socially?

c) Name country marked Y.

d) Why does the shaded area receive little rain fall throughout the year?

44. a) State any **one** way in which the courts of law are important to a country.

b) Point out any **two** reasons why law breakers are taken to prison.

- i.
- ii.

c) Write the most important duty of a citizen.

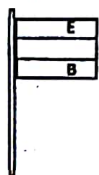
45. a) How did the coming of the explores contribute to the colonization of Africa?

b) Which river in Western Africa attracted many explores.

c) Write down two factors that hindered Europeans to come to the interior of Africa.

- i.
- ii.

46. Below is the diagram of the Uganda flag.



a) Name color B.

b) What does color E represent?

c). Give two reasons why athletes in wealth games carry Uganda National Flag.

- (i).....
 (ii)
47. a) Give any one reason why Equatorial regions are hotter throughout the year?

 b) What type of climate in Africa is most suitable for the growing of citrus fruits?

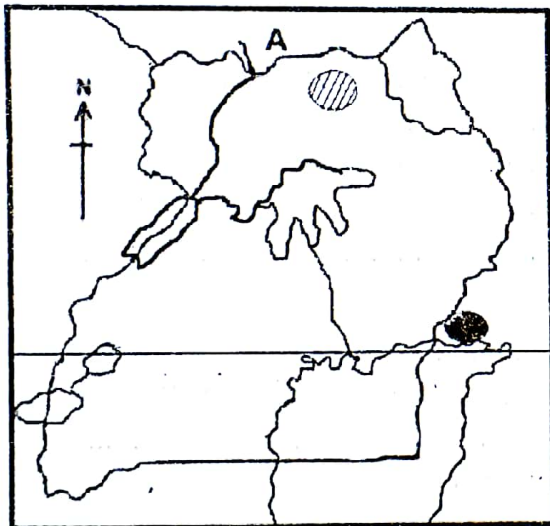
 c) Write down two weather disasters.
 i.
 ii.

48. a) Give any **one** major contribution of a high population density to a community.

 b) Mention at least **one** social factor that led to Uganda population growth in the recent year.

 c) Give any **two** reasons why Karamoja is sparsely populated.
 i.
 ii.

49. Study the Map below and answer the questions that follow.



- a) Give any **one** reason why the shaded area was transferred from Uganda?

 b) Which colonial master ruled the area before it was transferred to Uganda?

 c) Name the European who colonized country A

 d) State how the creation of boundaries affected the natives negatively.

50. a) Write down **one** cause of landslides.

 b) State how the problem of road transport is solved in hilly areas like Kabale.

 c) In Which country is the largest human lake along river Nile?

 d) Give **one** reason why many rivers in Uganda have sources in high lands.

Answer either Christianity or Islam but not both.

51. a) Either: What was Jesus main mission on earth.

b) Give **one** lesson Christians learn from Jesus crucification.

c) State the **two** ways John the Baptist prepared people for the coming of the savior.

a) Or: Who was the father of prophet Ibrahim?

b) Write down any **one** way prophet Ibrahim showed his Faith to Allah.

c) Write two benefits of fasting to Muslims.

52. a) Either: Write down any two ways the creation of Adam different from the creation of other creatures.

b) Why did God put Adam in charge of other creation?

c) Mention at least one way people care for God's creation.

a) Or: Give two reasons Allah created Adam.

b) What is Islam?

c) How was Khadijah related to Prophet Mohammed?

53. a) Either: Why is prophet Isiah greatly remembered in Christianity?

b) Which prophet preached about justice and true worship?

c) Why did God send prophets?

d) Why is Egypt a very important place in the history of Christianity?

Or: b) Muslims are expected to believe in all prophets of Allah, whom Muslims believe in as the first prophet.

b) How many prophets do Muslims believe in according to the teaching of Islam?

c) Point out any **two** duties of a prophet.

54. a) **Either:** How were the Magis able to find the place where Jesus was born.

b) What symbol of the Holy Spirit appeared at Jesus Baptism?

c) Why did the devil attempt Jesus during his ministry?

d) At what age did Jesus start his Ministry?

Or: a) which sign marks the beginning of saum.

b) How were the caliphs useful after the death of prophet Mohammed (PBUH)

c) Why did pagans hate prophet Issa?

d) At what age did prophet Issa ascend to heaven?

55. **Both Christianity and Islam**

a) Point out any two similar practices between Islam and Christianity.

b) State the major role of the religious council in Uganda.

c) Give one major reason of different religion should show respect to one another.

d) Mention at least one way a good Muslim should behave.

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