



MPIGI DISTRICT ACADEMIC BOARD MOCK EXAMINATION 2024

SUBJECT : SOCIAL STUDIES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CLASS : PRIMARY SEVEN

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DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOKLET UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO
READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY

1. The paper is made up of **two** sections: A & B.
2. Section A has 40 questions (40 marks)
3. Section B has 15 questions (60 marks)
4. Answer **ALL** questions in both sections A & B
5. All answers must be written in the spaces provided in **BLUE** or **BLACK** ink.
Only diagrams should be drawn in pencil.
6. **Unnecessary crossing** of work will lead to **loss of marks**.
7. **Poor handwriting**, which cannot be easily read may lead to **loss of marks**.
8. Do not fill anything in the boxes shown

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SECTION: A (40 MARKS)

1. Name the major cash crop grown in the fertile volcanic soils of Uganda.

2. Write one river which flows into Lake Victoria.

3. Give one way in which the East African development Bank promotes developments in the region.

4. Why are colours used on a map?

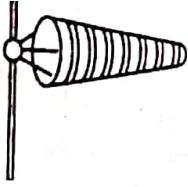
5. State one social importance of a school to the community around.

6. How did the independence of Eritrea influence Ethiopia's international trade?

7. How was the Church Missionary Society important to IBEACO in Uganda?

8. What helps people to locate the African continent on the World map?

9. Give one reason why schools sing the National Anthem during assembly time.

10. How important is the instrument below at the airport?


11. What name is given to the water mass between Madagascar and Africa's main land?

12. Why is it right to call Africa a tropical continent?

13. How is the problem of water shortage solved in the drier regions of East Africa?

14. Write one reason why road transport is preferred to water transport.

15. State one way in which security promotes trade in country.

16. Write any one duty of a citizen in Uganda that promotes development.

17. What is National Population Census?

18. Name the type of leaders got through inheritance.

19. Give one reason why plateaus attract many people for settlement.

20. Name one tool in a school used to change the school activities.

21. Why are traders in Uganda encouraged to pay taxes?

22. How does Uganda's location affect her international trade?

23. Why were traders dealing in spices and silk happy for the construction of the Suez Canal?

24. In which way did the Uganda railway lead to ending of slave trade?

25. Write any one way that colonialists used to get colonies in East Africa.

26. Give one way in which child abuse affects children?

27. If it is **2:00p.m** at **GMT**. What time will it be at town **X** which is **45° East** of the Greenwich?

28. Give one reason why people in Uganda are encouraged to grow non-traditional cash crops.

29. Why do mangrove forest grow along the coast of East Africa and West Africa?

30. **Draw a map symbol of a water fall in the space provided below.**

31. Write one lake in Uganda crossed by the Equator?

32. State one way in which the government of Uganda encourages farmers to produce more food for the population.

33. Give any one way in which rivers help people who carry out farming.

34. How does deforestation contribute to climate change?

35. Write any one island country of Africa.

For each of the questions 36 - 40, answer Either Christianity OR Islamic questions But Not Both. No marks will be awarded to a Candidate who attempts both alternatives on a number. Either: How did the snake show dishonesty to Adam?

OR: How did the snake show dishonesty to Adam?

37. **Either:** How do Christians benefit from giving tithe to the church?

OR: How do Muslims benefit from giving Zakat?

38. **Either:** Who was the mother of John the Baptist?

OR: Who was the mother of Prophet Yahaya?

39. **Either:** Give one advantage of giving a good advice to a friend.

OR: State one advantage of giving a good advice to a friend.

40. **Either:** Write one symbol of Marriage in Christianity.

OR: Write one symbol of Marriage in the Islamic religion.

SECTION: B (60 MARKS)

41. **Match correctly the areas in List A to the correct leader in list B.**

List A

- a) Sub - County
- b) Municipality
- c) Parish
- d) District

List B

- LC II Chairperson.
- LC V Chairperson.
- LC III Chairperson.
- Mayor

- a) Sub - County
- b) Municipality
- c) Parish
- d) District

42a) Name the group of people who carry population census in a country.

b) Give any two reasons why the government should know the number of people living in a country.

i)

ii)

c) State one factor responsible for population growth in a country.

43. Study the sketch map of Africa below and use it to answer the questions that follow.



- Name the part marked X.
 - Name the water body marked Y?
 - State any **two** ways in which Kenya and Tanzania have used the water body T for development.
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- 44a) Name the first political party to be formed in Uganda.
- State any **two** challenges political parties faced during the struggle for independence in East Africa.
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 - Mention the current ruling political party in Uganda.

45. Use the table below to answer questions.

Temp(°C)	24	24	27	26	25	25	26	27	27	25	26	24
Rainfall(mm)	150	200	305	270	256	170	170	150	250	180	150	120
Months	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D

- In which month was the lowest amount of rainfall recorded?
- Why is this type of climate good for people who grow crops?

c) Write any **one** activity which people can do to maintain the above climate.

d) **Calculate the rainfall range.**

46a) Give **two** ways in which vegetation can be conserved in the school compound.

i)

ii)

b) Give **two** reasons why vegetation in a school compound should be conserved.

i)

ii)

47a) Name the explorer who followed R.Nile from its mouth.

b) Why did Europeans stop calling Africa a Dark Continent?

c) Write **two** problems faced by explorers in East Africa.

i)

ii)

48. **Complete the table correctly.**

Country	Region	Capital City
Uganda		Kampala
	North Africa	Algiers
Ethiopia		Addis Ababa
Nigeria	West Africa	

49a) Name the body in Uganda which organizes elections.

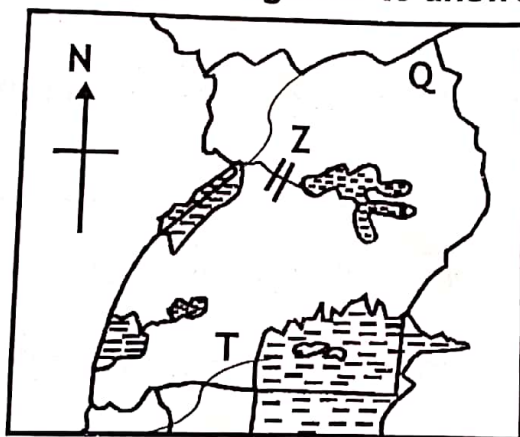
b) State any **two** ways in which the above body in 49 (a) above organizes elections.

i) _____

ii) _____

c) How are the members of parliament important to the people they represent?

Use the map of Uganda to answer questions.



50a) Name the river marked T.

b) Name the Stone Age site found at area marked Q.

c) Write the dam constructed at the area marked Z.

d) What is the compass direction of Q from T?

For questions 51 - 55, answer Either Christianity OR Islamic questions But Not Both Alternatives on a number.

51. **Either:**a) Mention any **two** types of prayers.

i) _____

ii) _____

b) Give **one** reason why Christians pray to God.

c) How do Christians prepare for prayers?

OR:

a) Mention any two types of prayers.

b) Give one reason why muslims pray to Allah.

c) Give one way Muslims prepare for prayers?

52. Either:

a) Who led Jesus to the wilderness?

b) Give one reason why the devil tempted Jesus in the wilderness.

c) Why did Jesus go to the wilderness?

d) What helped Jesus to overcome the devil's temptations?

OR:

a) Who escorted Prophet Muhammed to Taif?

b) How did the people of Taif receive Prophet Muhammed (PBUH)?

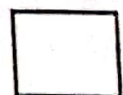
c) Why did Prophet Muhammed go to Taif?

d) What helped Prophet Muhammed escape from his enemies?

53. Either:

a) Name the religion which existed in Africa before other religions.

b) How is the above religion similar to Christianity?



c) Write any **two** sects or branches of Christianity.

i)

ii)

OR:

a) Name the religion which existed in Africa before other religions.

b) How is the above religion similar to Islam?

c) Write any **two** sects or branches of Islam.

i)

ii)

54. **Either:**

a) Give any **two** ways Christians can strengthen their faith in God.

i)

ii)

b) On which day does the lent period start?

c) Write any **one** activity a Christian can do to strengthen the lent period.

OR:

a) State any **two** ways Muslims observe Saum.

i)

ii)

b) Give **two** ways in which Saum is important in the life of a Muslim.

i)

ii)

55. **For Both:**

a) What is a talent?

b) Mention any **two** talents God gave us.

i)

ii)

c) State any **one** way we use talents to please God / Allah.

