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Islamic Religious

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Theory

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**SENIOR ONE**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

*This paper consists of two section; A and B. It has six examination items*

*Section A has two items. Answer one item from this section*

*Section B has three items. Answer any two items from this section.*

*Answer three examination items in all*

*Any additional item(s) will not be scored and will not be scored*

## SECTION A

*Answer one item from this section*

### Item 1

From the beginning of human history, worship has played an important role in people's lives. Muslims worship God the creator and sustainer of the universe to show their submission and love as the holy Qur'an states; "I did not create mankind.... Except to worship me" (Qur'an 51:56).

#### Task

Considering the above verse and the knowledge about worship:

- a) Explain the ways how Muslims worship Allah.
- b) How did the Africans worship before the coming of Islam?

### Item 2

Musa is a successful business man in Kalagi village .His business gives him a lot of profits and he always helps those in need around the village through donations. Despite being wealthy, Musa is reluctant about paying zakat because he lacks knowledge about it as a pillar of Islam. The Muslim leaders are concerned about this because there is need to support the needy Muslims.

#### Task

Basing on the above scenario, Explain to Musa the Islamic teachings about:

- a) The meaning of zakat, those who are supposed to pay it and those who benefit from it.
- b) The importance of paying zakat in Islam.

## SECTION B

*Answer two items from this section*

### Item 3

Amina is currently facing a challenge between her and her family members resulting from her refusal (failure) to attend her brothers' ceremony of giving birth to twins. Although the whole family is Islamic based, the members go ahead to organize celebrations that are out of the Islamic practices. This in return has affected Amina's relationship with her parents and family members whenever she doesn't attend.

## Task

Explain the Islamic ceremonies that Amina can encourage the family members to practice without going against the Islamic guide lines.

### Item 4

Islam and Christianity are giving religions which were introduced to Africans in the late 1880s. However before the coming of their religions, Africans had their own kinds of worship basing on their culture, tradition and ethnic beliefs. They majorly involved polytheistic practices and connection to the spirits.

**Support:** Polytheism means worshipping many gods.

## Task

- a) Examine the forms of worship that existed before the coming of Islam and Christianity.
- b) Explain the worshipping practices that were carried out in the African societies.

### Item 5

Kyengera is a village comprising of mostly Muslims, but in the recent times Christians have also increased in number and always organize crusades where they preach about their religion. As a result, conflicts have started to arise involving abusing each other's religions, attacking them and arguments.

**Support:** Virtue in relation to moral standards.

## Task

As an Islamic religious education learner, help the people of Kyengera to:

- a) Understand how they can live with people of different religions without conflict.
- b) Identify the virtues across those two religions that are similar and can help unite them.

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