## Uganda Marcyrs University



## FACULTY OF EDUCATION SEMESTER ONE EXAMINATIONS 2022/23 DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION (PRIMARY) YEAR TWO RELIGIOUS STUDIES

PAPER ONE: WORLD RELIGIONS EXAMINATION

DATE: 11/01/2023

3hrs

Time:9:30am- 12:30pm

## Instructions:

- · Answer any four Questions
- All questions carry equal marks.
- · Read the instructions on the answer booklet carefully
- Write the answer to each question on a fresh page in your answer booklet.
- Do not write on this question paper
  - 1. Indicate the significance of engaging in the study of World religions and what are the setbacks of doing the same (25marks)
  - Discuss the contribution of religious plurality in as far as development is concerned in Uganda (25marks)
  - Religious syncretism to many religions is looked at as an evil. Discuss the evils inherent in practicing religious syncretism and solicit for viable solutions to the same (25marks)
  - 4. How is Judaism continued and reflected in Christianity and what can Judaism learn from Christianity?
  - Discuss the lessons a p.6 learner can draw from the eightfold path as found in Buddhism (25marks)
  - 6. Explain the teachings and practices in Sikhism as a faith and how are these teachings of relevance to contemporary society?
  - Discuss Islam as an Abrahamic faith and expound on what Christians can learn from the Islamic faith (25marks)
  - 8. Indicate the causes of evil/suffering according to Buddhist ethics and philosophy and how can this evil be dealt with. In the same line of thought what causes evil today and how can the same be addressed especially in a school setting (25marks)