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CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
KENYA JUNIOR SCHOOL EDUCATION ASSESSMENT (KJSEA)
2026 PREDICTION EXAMINATION
TIME: 1 HOUR 40 MINUTES

Instructions to Candidates

1. Write your name and admission number in the spaces provided above.
2. Sign and write the date of examination in the spaces provided above.
3. This paper consists of two sections: A and B.
4. Answer ALL the questions in Section A on the answer sheet provided.
5. Answer ALL the questions in Section B in the spaces provided in this booklet.
6. All answers must be written in English.
7. This paper consists of printed pages. Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.

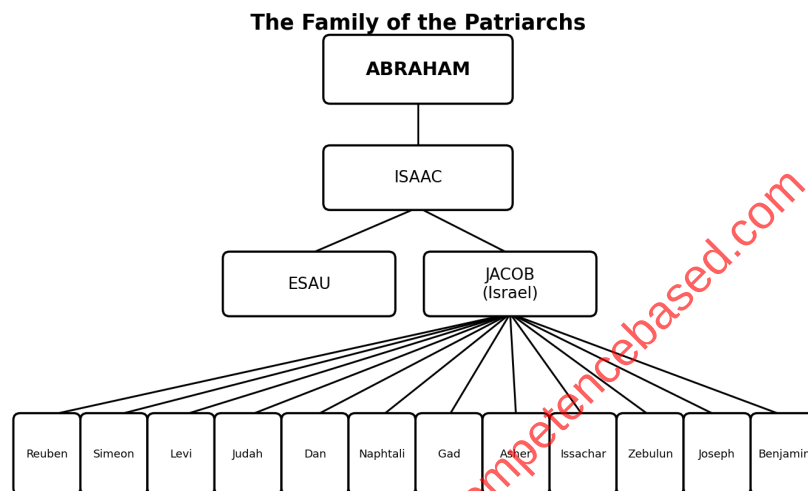
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Section	Marks Obtainable / Scored
A	20
B	80
TOTAL	100

SECTION A (20 marks)

Answer all the questions in this section on the answer sheet provided.

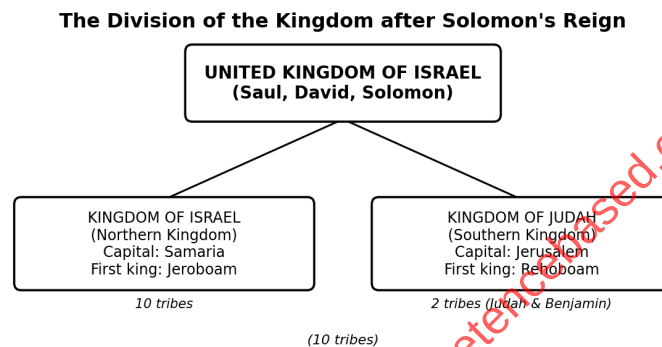
- There are many benefits of learning Christian Religious Education in school today. Which of the following is one of the benefits?
 - It makes learners memorise Bible verses for competitions.
 - It helps learners to develop good moral values.
 - It makes parents proud of their children's grades.
 - It helps learners identify which church to attend.
- Study the following family tree of the Patriarchs, then answer the question that follows.



Which of the sons of Jacob shown above was later sold into slavery in Egypt by his own brothers?

- Reuben
 - Judah
 - Joseph
 - Benjamin
- After Cain killed his brother Abel, God punished him by
 - sending a flood to destroy the earth.
 - making him a restless wanderer on the earth.
 - driving him out of the Garden of Eden.
 - taking away his gift of prophecy.
 - A resource person talked to Grade 9 learners on the proper use of natural resources. Which of the following would best show what the learners had learnt from the talk?
 - Reporting people who cut down trees illegally.
 - Planting trees during the school tree-planting day.
 - Writing an essay about deforestation.
 - Avoiding walking near a forest.
 - The New Testament was originally written in a certain language before being translated into other languages. What was this original language?
 - Hebrew
 - Aramaic
 - Latin
 - Greek

6. The following are ways in which Christians can make good use of the Bible except to
- guide their daily conduct.
 - draw closer to God.
 - settle personal disputes through witchcraft.
 - strengthen their faith.
7. A lesson that Christians learn from the leadership of Deborah as a judge in Israel is that they should
- seek positions of leadership by force.
 - be courageous when facing challenges.
 - rule over men in all situations.
 - avoid consulting with other leaders.
8. Study the following diagram showing the division of the Kingdom of Israel after Solomon's reign, then answer the question that follows.



Which of the following was the capital city of the Northern Kingdom?

- Jerusalem
 - Samaria
 - Bethlehem
 - Hebron
9. King Saul lost favour with God mainly because he
- built many palaces for himself.
 - disobeyed God's instructions given through the prophet Samuel.
 - married many foreign wives.
 - refused to fight the Philistines.
10. Jesus used the parable of the prodigal son to teach that
- young people should always leave home.
 - God forgives and welcomes back those who repent.
 - elder children should not be jealous.
 - wealth should be shared equally among children.
11. During his earthly ministry, Jesus performed many miracles. Which of the following miracles teaches Christians about the importance of faith?
- Turning water into wine.
 - Calming of the storm.
 - Feeding of the five thousand.
 - Cursing of the fig tree.

12. Jesus met Zacchaeus, a tax collector who climbed a tree to see him. What lesson do Christians learn from this encounter?
- Short people should always climb trees.
 - Jesus seeks out and transforms sinners.
 - Tax collectors are hated by everyone.
 - Christians should avoid rich people.
13. "Take, eat; this is my body" (Matthew 26:26). On which occasion did Jesus speak these words to his disciples?
- At the wedding in Cana.
 - During the Last Supper.
 - At the feeding of the five thousand.
 - During his trial before Pilate.
14. According to the teachings of Jesus on prayer in the Lord's Prayer, Christians learn that they should
- pray only when in trouble.
 - forgive others as God forgives them.
 - pray in public to be seen by others.
 - ask for material wealth only.
15. Who among the following was struck blind on the road to Damascus before becoming a great missionary of the Early Church?
- Peter
 - Stephen
 - Paul
 - Barnabas
16. Study the boxes below showing different qualities, then answer the question that follows.

A.

Love	Joy
Peace	Patience

B.

Wisdom	Knowledge
Prophecy	Healing

C.

Love	Wisdom
Healing	Peace

D.

Joy	Prophecy
Kindness	Tongues

Which of the boxes above contains only the fruits of the Holy Spirit?

17. Grade 9 learners discussed the effects of teenage pregnancy on a school-going girl. One of the effects likely to have been discussed is that it

- A. increases opportunities for further education.
 - B. leads to school dropout.
 - C. strengthens family relationships.
 - D. reduces responsibilities for the family.
- 18.** A parable of Jesus that teaches Christians about using their God-given talents wisely is the parable of the
- A. lost coin.
 - B. talents.
 - C. mustard seed.
 - D. sower.
- 19.** There are many leisure activities that individuals engage in today. Which of the following leisure activities is common in both the Christian and the secular world?
- A. Church choir practice
 - B. Sports
 - C. Bible study
 - D. Prayer retreats
- 20.** Your class discussed electronic gadgets that can be used both at home and in school. Which of the following gadgets would be most suitable for a learner researching a CRE topic at home?
- A. Television
 - B. Radio
 - C. Tablet/computer with internet access
 - D. Music player

SECTION B (80 marks)

Answer all the questions in this section in the spaces provided in this booklet.

21. State five consequences of Adam and Eve's disobedience in the Garden of Eden. (5 marks)

22.

(a) State five ways in which people misuse the environment today. (5 marks)

(b) State five ways in which Christians can take care of the environment. (5 marks)

23. State five books of the New Testament written by the Apostle Paul. (5 marks)

24. State five importance of translating the Bible into local languages. (5 marks)

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25. State five leadership qualities of King David that should be emulated by leaders today. (5 marks)
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26.

(a) State five causes of conflict in families today. (5 marks)

(b) State five ways of resolving conflicts in a Christian family. (5 marks)

27.

(a) State five effects of drug and substance abuse among the youth. (5 marks)

(b) State five ways of preventing drug and substance abuse among the youth. (5 marks)

28.

(a) State five roles of the church in the community. (5 marks)

(b) State five ways young people can participate in church activities. (5 marks)

29.

(a) State five roles played by Christian parents in the lives of their children. (5 marks)

(b) State five factors that lead to teenage pregnancies in Kenya today. (5 marks)

30.

(a) State five leisure activities that Christians should engage in. (5 marks)

(b) State five dangers of engaging in harmful leisure activities. (5 marks)

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