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SOCIAL STUDIES WITH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

*Time Allowed: 2 hours 15 minutes*

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Candidate's Name .....

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Read the following instructions carefully:

1. This paper has **two** sections: **A** and **B**.
2. Answer **all** questions. **All** answers to both sections **A** and **B** must be written in the spaces provided.
3. **All** answers must be written using a blue or black ball-point pen or fountain pen.
4. Unnecessary changes of work may lead to loss of marks.
5. Any handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to loss of marks.
6. Do **not** fill anything in the boxes indicated "**For Examiners' Use Only**" and those inside the question paper.

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50 – 52		
53 – 55		
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**SECTION A : 40 MARKS**

Questions 1 to 40 carry one mark each.

1. Name the largest natural forest found in the central part of Uganda.

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2. Mention the traditional cash crop that grows well on volcanic soils of East Africa.

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3. What is the main cause of land fragmentation in Uganda ?

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4. Give any **one** problem caused by too much rainfall to the community.

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5. Why should children be encouraged to plant trees at school?

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6. Mention any **one** human activity which causes the number of wild animals to reduce in National Game Parks.

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7. Give the quickest means in which government sends information to its citizens.

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8. Mention any **one** way in which African countries can improve on agricultural production.

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9. Apart from constructing schools, state any **one** way missionaries contributed in improving the life of the people of Africa.

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10. Name the country in the Horn of Africa which was not colonized.

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11. Which major activity do farmers in Uganda carry out during a dry season?

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12. State any **one** way in which wild animals are important to the people of East Africa.

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13. Which king in Uganda did Captain Lugard sign an agreement with in 1890?

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14. State any **one** reason why persons aged 18 and above take part in National elections.

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15. Apart from cultivating crops and grazing animals, mention any other way the people of Uganda use land to earn a living.

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16. State any **one** reason why African countries are **not** developing at the same level.

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17. What is an import tax ?

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18. What causes ocean currents ?

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19. Give any **one** reason why people should not settle in swamps.

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20. Why is the government of Uganda building more classrooms in schools across the country ?

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21. Give any **one** advantage a tarmac road has over a murrum road.

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22. Mention any **one** danger of polythene paper bags to soil.

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23. State any **one** way in which lakes promote crop farming.

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**24.** Write any **one** responsibility carried out by the National Environment Management Authority (NEMA).

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**25.** Mention any one material in our environment which can be used for making balls and skipping ropes to enjoy Physical Education (P.E.) lessons.

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**26.** Name any **one** group of people who provide security services in our community.

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**27.** In which **one** way did Dr. Livingstone show the evils of slave trade in East Africa ?

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**28.** Mention any **one** contribution of a teacher to the community.

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**29.** Mention any **one** peaceful method used by the British to establish their rule in Uganda.

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**30.** In what direction will Opio face if he turns through  $180^\circ$  clockwise from the North ?

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31. Mention any **one** problem people living in mountain areas face.

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32. State any **one** way in which the government of Uganda helps pastoralists in semi-arid areas to overcome the problem of lack of water.

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33. Mention any **one** factor that makes lumbering to be done in the Democratic Republic of Congo (D.R.C.).

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34. Give any **one** characteristic of rift valley lakes.

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35. In which **one** way did the coming of early migrants to the coast of East Africa affect lives of the people in that area ?

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***For each of the questions 36 to 40 , answer EITHER the Christian OR Islamic questions but not both. No marks will be awarded to a candidate who attempts both alternatives in a particular number.***

**36. EITHER:**

Name the mother of Isaac.

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**OR:**

Name the father of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH).

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**37. EITHER:**

As a Christian child, how can you show love to your elders ?

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**OR:**

As an Islamic child, how can you show love to your elders ?

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**38. EITHER:**

Give any **one** example of sin that a pupil can commit at school.

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**OR:**

Give any **one** example of sin that a pupil can commit at school.

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**39. EITHER:**

What was the work of Joseph, the husband of Mary, mother of Jesus Christ ?

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**OR:**

What was the work of Prophet Muhammad's first wife ?

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**40. EITHER:**

Mention any **one** similarity between Christianity and Islam.

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**OR:**

Mention any **one** similarity between Islam and Christianity.

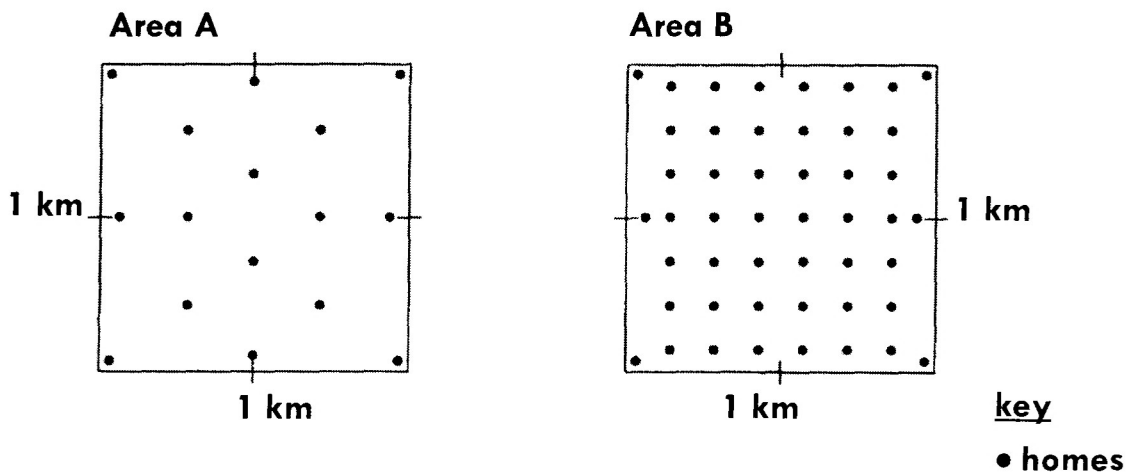
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**SECTION B : 60 MARKS**

Questions **41** to **55**, carry **four** marks each.

**41.** The diagrams below show the population distribution of two different areas in a country. *Use them to answer the questions that follow.*



- a) What is the population distribution of area:
- (i) **A** .....
- (ii) **B** .....
- (b) Mention any **one** disadvantage of the population distribution of area **B** to a country.

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(c) Give any **one** advantage of the people living in area **A** over those living in area **B**.

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**42.** (a) Mention any **two** economic activities carried out in Kalangala District.

(i) .....

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(ii) .....

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(b) State any **one** problem that has slowed down the development of Kalangala District.

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(c) In which way can the problem you have mentioned in (b) above be solved?

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**43.** (a) Give **one** safe method of keeping money.

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(b) State any **three** reasons why Ugandans are encouraged to save money today.

(i) .....

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(ii) .....

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(iii) .....

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44. (a) Mention any **one** way the colonialists used to show that they had control over an area.

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(b) Give any **two** reasons that made the African natives to resist payment of taxes.

(i) .....

(ii) .....

(c) State any **one** reason why the colonialists did not want the natives of Kenya to grow cash crops.

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45. (a) Why was early man known as the stone age man ?

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(b) Mention any **two** methods Stone Age men used to kill the animals for food.

(i) .....

(ii) .....

(c) How did the discovery of iron change man's way of life ?

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46. (a) Which United Nations Agency is responsible for:

(i) preserving culture and promoting research ?

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(ii) caring for refugees ?

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(b) State any **two** ways in which the Red Cross cares for war victims.

(i) .....

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(ii) .....

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47. (a) What do you call a place where weather is recorded ?

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(b) Write any **two** elements of weather which are recorded at the place you have named in (a) above.

(i) .....

(ii) .....

(c) Mention any **one** way the recorded information about weather benefits the people in the community.

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48. (a) Which was the largest inland slave market in East Africa ?

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(b) Give any **two** ways Arabs used to get slaves in East Africa.

(i) .....

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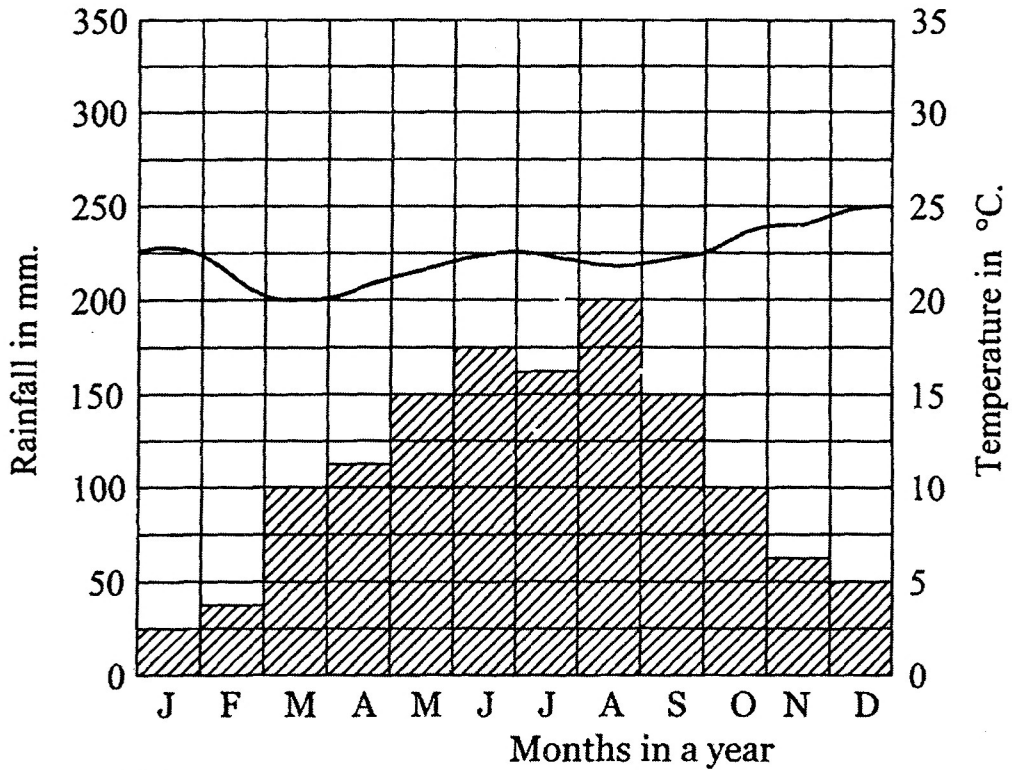
(ii) .....

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(c) Mention any **one** result of slave trade in East Africa.

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49. Below is a climatic graph of Town A. Study it carefully and answer questions that follow.



Key: - Rainfall  
 - Temperature

(a) In which month did town **A** receive the highest amount of rainfall?

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(b) Name the month in which the highest temperature was recorded in Town **A** above.

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(c) What was the temperature range of Town **A**?

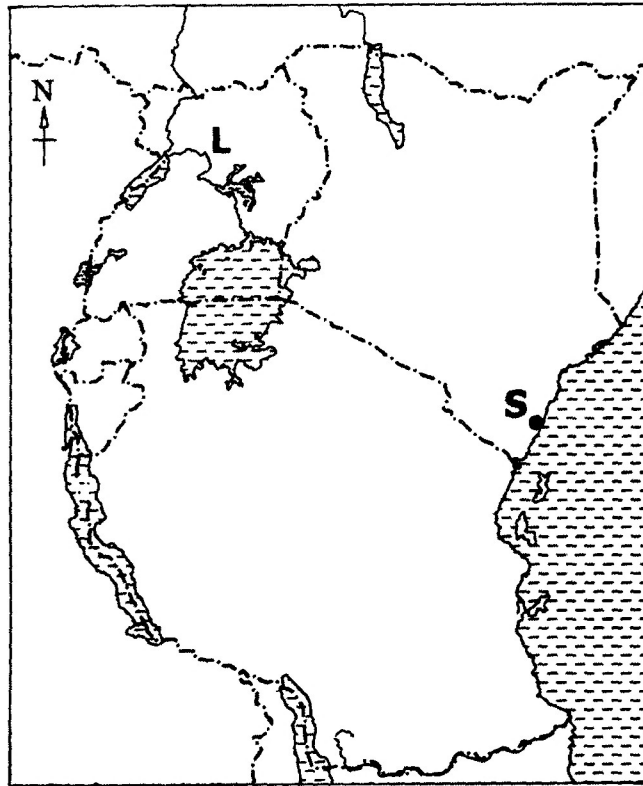
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(d) Name the type of climate experienced in this town.

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50. Use the sketch map of East Africa below and answer the questions that follow.



- (a) Name the port marked **S** .....
- (b) Give any **one** economic activity that is carried out at Port **S**.  
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- (c) Name the part of River Nile marked with letter **L**.  
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- (d) Use letter **P** to mark the deepest lake in East Africa.

**For each of the questions 51 to 55, answer EITHER the Christian OR Islamic questions but not both. No marks will be awarded to a candidate who attempts both alternatives in a particular number.**

**51. EITHER:**

- (a) Mention any **two** things you learn from Jesus Christ when he was a child.
  - (i) .....
  - (ii) .....

- (b) Give any **two** things Jesus Christ did to show love to people.
  - (i) .....
  - (ii) .....

**OR:**

- (a) Mention any **two** things you learn from Prophet Muhammad (PBUH) when he was a child.
  - (i) .....
  - (ii) .....

- (b) Give any **two** things Prophet Muhammad did to show love to people.
  - (i) .....
  - (ii) .....

- 52.**
- (a) State any **two** things that happened immediately after Jesus Christ's death on the cross.
    - (i) .....
    - .....
    - (ii) .....
    - .....

- (b) Mention the man who went to Pilate to request for Jesus Christ's body.
  - .....

- (c) Where was Jesus Christ's body buried?
  - .....

**OR:**

- (a) State any **two** things that happened immediately Prophet Muhammad died.
  - (i) .....
  - (ii) .....

(b) Name the first successor of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH).

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(c) Where was Prophet Muhammad buried?

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53. (a) **EITHER:**

Name the organisation that unites the Roman Catholic, Orthodox and Church of Uganda.

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(b) State any **three** functions of this organisation you have mentioned in (a) above.

(i) .....

(ii) .....

(iii) .....

**OR:**

(a) Name the organisation that unites the Muslims in Uganda.

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(b) State any **three** functions of this organisation you have mentioned in (a) above.

(i) .....

(ii) .....

(iii) .....

54. **EITHER:**

(a) What is marriage in Christianity ?

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(b) State any **two** reasons why Church marriage is important.

(i) .....

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(ii) .....

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(c) Mention any **one** gift God gives to married people.

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**OR:** (a) What is Nikah in Islam ?

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(b) Mention any **two** reasons why Nikah is important.

(i) .....

(ii) .....

(c) Mention any **one** gift Allah gives to married people.

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**55. EITHER:**

(a) Who is a Reverend / Priest ?

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(b) State any **three** ways in which a Reverend/Priest is important in our community.

(i) .....

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(ii) .....

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(iii) .....

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**OR:**

(a) Who is an Imam in Islam ?

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(b) State any **three** ways in which an Imam is important in our community.

(i) .....

(ii) .....

(iii) .....

