

**SUBJECT: SOCIAL STUDIES & RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**  
**CLASS : PRIMARY SEVEN**  
**TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS 15 MINUTES**

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**DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOKLET UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.**

**Read the following instructions carefully.**

1. This paper is made up of two Sections: A and B.
2. Answers to both sections must be written in the spaces provided in full sentences.
3. Section A has 40 questions (40 marks)
4. Section B has 15 questions (60 marks)
5. Attempt all questions. All answers to both sections A and B must be written in the spaces provided.
6. All answers must be written in blue or black ballpoint pen or ink but not in pencil. All work done in pencil, except diagrams, will **NOT** be marked.
7. Crossing out of answers will lead to loss of marks.
8. Any handwriting that cannot be easily read may lead to loss of marks.
9. Wrong spelling will lead to loss of marks.

<b>FOR EXAMINERS USE ONLY</b>		
<b>QN. NO.</b>	<b>MARK</b>	<b><u>SIGN</u></b>
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<b>TOTAL</b>		

**SECTION A**

1. Name one element of weather.

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2. Give any one problem caused by potholes on roads.

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3. State one way culture promotes tourism.

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4. Name the element of weather that makes people sweat.

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5. What causes wind?

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6. Mention any one way of saving money.

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7. Which city in Africa is crossed by the Prime meridian?

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8. Give one problem faced by a midwife in a community.

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9. What is the advantage of making a budget before spending?

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10. Which physical feature is found in East Africa but not in Uganda?

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11. Give one reason of controlling soil erosion in the highland areas of East Africa.

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12. Why is it important for a P.7 child to know his / her origin?

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13. Name any one natural cause of changes in the environment.

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14. Why did the Acholi community stage the Lamogi rebellion?

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15. How do fertile soils influence population growth of an area?

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16. Give one reason why people destroy forests.

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17. How do water bodies influence climate of an area?

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18. State any one factor that promotes peace and security of an area.

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19. Give one reason why the Europeans took long to penetrate the interior of Africa.

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20. Why is the government of Uganda encouraging the growing of non – traditional cash crop?

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21. What is a mouth of a river?

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22. It is 4.00 p.m. in Gabo. What time will it be in Kampala which is 60°E of Greenwich?

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23. How did the missionaries promote health services in East Africa?

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24. Give one reason why West Nile was transferred to Uganda during the evolution of boundaries.

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25. Mention one way through which poverty can be reduced in a community.

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26. What are anticlines?

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27. Give one way forests can improve people's health.

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28. How is the Atlas Mountain similar to cape ranges in terms of formation?

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29. State the reason why Africa was referred to as a dark continent by the Europeans.

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30. *How did Kabaka Muteesa 1 contribute to the spread of Christianity in Uganda?*

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31. *Give one way of preserving culture in our community.*

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32. *How does rural electrification promote development?*

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33. *Give one reason why the North Eastern Uganda is dry.*

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34. *Why do most rivers have sources in highland plateaus?*

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35. *What type of vegetation covers most parts of Uganda?*

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**For questions 36 - 40, answer Either Christianity Or Islam but not both.**

36. **Either:** *Give one reason why God created man.*

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**Or:** *Give one reason why Allah created man.*

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37. **Either:** *How do Christians show humility to God during prayers?*

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**Or:** *How do Muslims show humility to Allah during prayers?*

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38. **Either:** *What is reconciliation?*

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**Or:** *What is reconciliation?*

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39. **Either:** *How important is fasting to Christians.*

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**Or:** *How important is fasting to Muslims?*

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40. **Either:** *Why did Abraham accept to sacrifice his son to God?*

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**Or:** Why did Ibrahim accept to sacrifice his son to Allah?

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**SECTION B** (60 marks)

41. (a) Name the body that is responsible for conserving forests in Uganda.

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(b) Mention any **two** reasons why the government conserves forests.

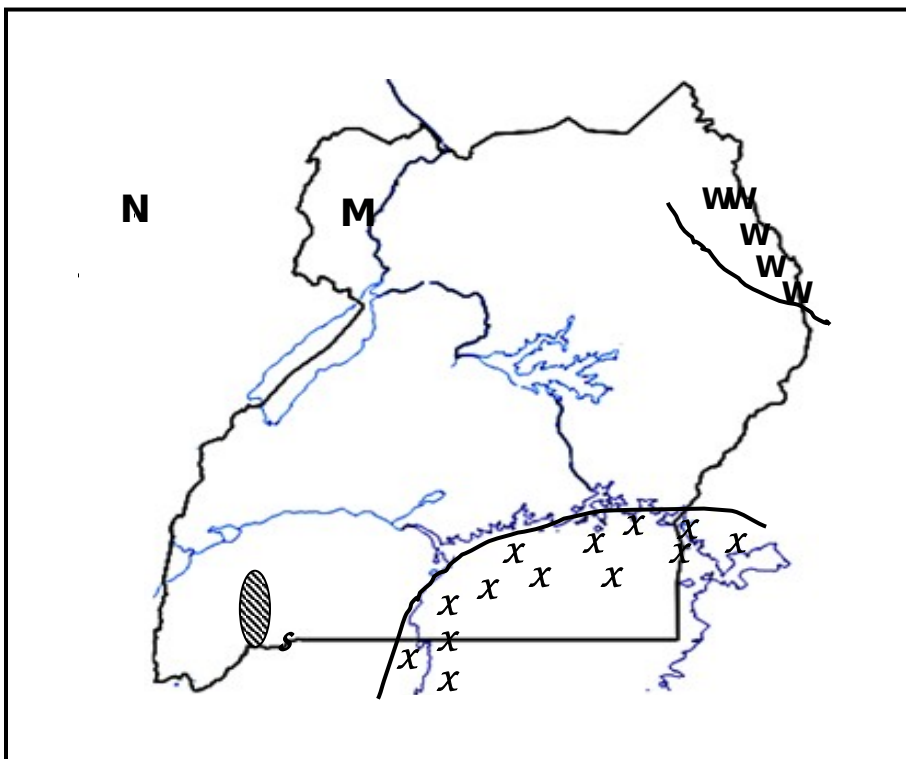
(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) State any **one** challenge faced by the forest officials during their work.

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42. Use the map below to answer the questions that follow.



(a) Name the major economic activity carried out at area marked **www**.

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(b) Why is human settlement not allowed in area marked **s**?

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(c) Name the lake marked *m*.

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(d) Why is area marked *xxx* densely populated?

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43. (a) What is child protection?

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(b) State any two ways of protecting children.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Give any one importance of child protection.

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44. (a) What was long Distance Trade?

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(b) Mention two groups of people who participated in this trade.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Give one reason why traders moved in caravans during this trade.

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45. (a) Name any two social service centres in our community.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) State any two problems faced by people when trying to meet their needs.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

46. (a) What is independence?

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(b) Mention any two symbols of Uganda as a nation.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Give the importance of national symbols.

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47. (a) Write **EAC** in full.

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(b) State **two** objectives for the formation of EAC.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Name **one** founder president of EAC.

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48. (a) Give **two** reasons why the Portuguese came to settle at the coast of East Africa.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

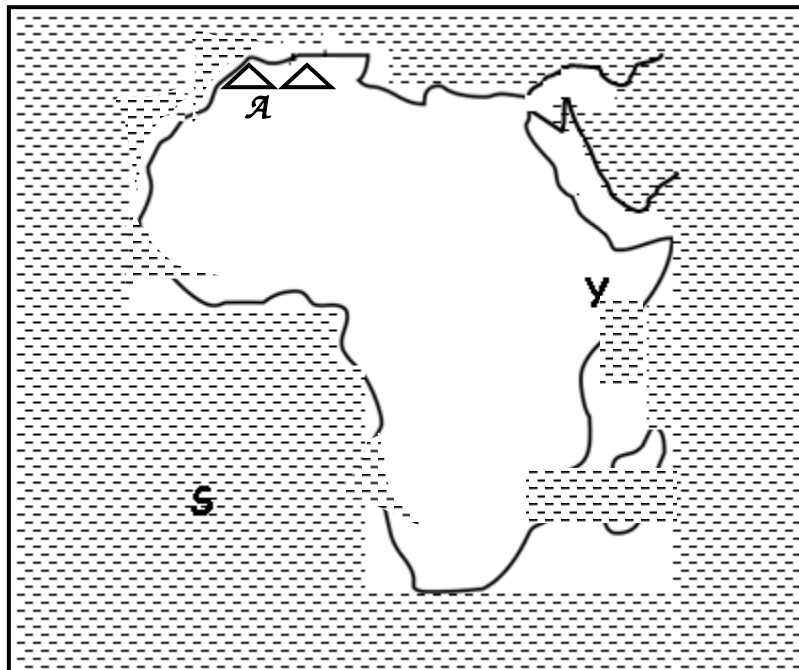
(b) How is Fort Jesus important to the economy of Kenya?

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(c) State **one** reason of the Portuguese settlement at the coast of East Africa.

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49. Study the map below and answer the questions that follow.



(a) Name the mountain marked **A**.

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(b) Which water channel is marked **x**.

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(c) On the map drawn above, mark and name the Suez Canal.

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(d) Name the land locked country found in area marked **y**.

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50. (a) State any **two** importance of lakes to people.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Give any **two** ways in which lakes can be a problem to people around.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

**For questions 51 – 55, answer either Christianity Or Islam but not both.**

51. **EITHER:**

(a) State the meaning of an apostle.

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(b) On which day did the apostles receive the Holy Spirit?

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(c) Give **two** things that happened to the apostles when they received the Holy Spirit.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

**OR:**

(a) Who is a prophet according to Islam?

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(b) State **two** roles played by prophets in Islam.

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Who is believed to be the last prophet in Islam?

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52. **EITHER:**

(a) What is the meaning of the word church?

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(b) *How does one become a member of God's family?*

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(c) *Name the symbol for God's love for people.*

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(d) *What does Jesus' resurrection mean to Christians today?*

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**OR:**

(a) *What is a mosque?*

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(b) *How does one become a Muslim?*

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(c) *Name one symbol of the Islamic faith.*

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(d) *How was Prophet Muhammad's journey from Mecca to Medina a blessing to Islam?*

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**53. EITHER:**

(a) *Who received the Ten Commandments from God?*

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(b) *Name the place where the above person received the Ten Commandments.*

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(c) *Give two reasons why God gave the Israelites the Ten Commandments.*

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

**OR:**

(a) *Give any two reasons why Moslems perform salat.*

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) *State any two ways in which an Iman is important during prayers.*

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

**54. EITHER:**

(a) *What term is used to refer to a person with whom you relate freely in Christianity?*

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(b) *Give any two characteristics of the person mentioned in (a) above.*

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) *What causes conflicts among Christians today?*

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**OR:**

(a) *What term is used to refer to a person with whom you relate freely in Islam?*

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(b) *Give **two** characteristics of the person mentioned in (a) above.*

(i) \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) *What causes conflicts among Muslims today?*

\_\_\_\_\_

**55. EITHER:**

*Do not come any closer. Take off your sandals because you are standing on Holy ground. I am the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. (Exodus 3:5-6)*

(a) *Who said the above words?*

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(b) *To whom were the above words said?*

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(c) *Give **one** reason why the person in (b) above was called by God.*

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(d) *On which mountain did the above event take place?*

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**OR:**

(a) *Who led the Israelites from Egypt?*

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(b) *State any **one** reason why the person in (a) above was called by Allah.*

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(c) *Name the prophet in Islam who;*

(i) *endured suffering* \_\_\_\_\_

(ii) *was born without a father* \_\_\_\_\_

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