



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

BACHELOR OF ARTS

ARE 100: INTRODUCTION TO AFRICAN RELIGION AND CULTURE

DATE: 15/12/2017

TIME: 2:00 – 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One (Compulsory) And Any Other Two Questions

1. (a) Define religion (5 marks)
 (b) Describe the common cosmological features in African Religion. (10 marks)
 (c) Explain the eternal intrinsic attributes of God in African religious understanding (15 marks)
2. Evaluate the importance of the rites of passage in transitioning from childhood to adulthood (20 marks)
3. Describe the role of Religious specialists in enhancing religious ideals. (20 marks)
4. Discuss the origin and nature of evil in African Religion. (20 marks)
5. Explain the challenges facing African religion (20 marks)