



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2019/2020 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION(ARTS)

BACHELOR OF ARTS

ARE 412: ISLAM, CHRISTAINITY AND AFRICA RELIGION

DATE: 23/10/2020

TIME: 2:00 – 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain the fundamental articles of faith in:
- i) Islam (10 marks)
 - ii) Christianity (10 marks)
- b) Account for the importance of religion to African society. (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

Describe the theological basis of African tenets.

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Discuss the significance of African Religion with reference to the spread of either Christianity or Islam in Africa today.

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

Discuss the differences and similarities between African Religion and either Christianity or Islam on the concept of God and his attributes.

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

African Religion continues to have predominant influence on Africans despite the presence of Christianity and Islam. Discuss this statement giving examples.