

**P245/3**  
**CHRISTIAN**  
**RELIGIOUS**  
**EDUCATION**  
**Christianity in the**  
**East African**  
**Environment**  
**Paper 3**  
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**2½ hours**



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**2 hours 30 minutes**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

*Answer any four questions.*

*All questions carry equal marks.*

1. (a) Discuss the significance of morals in the African Religious Experience. *(12 marks)*
- (b) How is it different from the Christian understanding of morals? *(13 marks)*
2. (a) Analyse the factors which make polygamy popular in traditional African Society. *(13 marks)*
- (b) Why are Christians opposed to polygamy? *(12 marks)*
3. (a) How did traditional Africans conceive God? *(12 marks)*
- (b) Compare the Christian ideas of God's nature with those of traditional Africans. *(13 marks)*
4. 'Mutesa died neither a Muslim nor a Christian'. Justify this statement. *(25 marks)*
5. Discuss the impact of the abolition of Slave trade on the Christian missionary activities in East Africa. *(25 marks)*
6. (a) Analyse the role played by the missionaries in the establishment of medical services in Uganda between 1877 and 1921. *(12 marks)*
- (b) To what extent were these services helpful to Ugandans? *(13 marks)*
7. (a) Examine the view that Christianity eroded African cultural practices. *(13 marks)*
- (b) How is the Church trying to reconcile the Gospel with African cultures? *(12 marks)*
8. Assess the impact of missionary education on African indigenous education in East Africa. *(25 marks)*
9. Account for the relatively smaller number of Muslims in East Africa despite the fact that Islam was the first foreign religion to arrive in the region. *(25 marks)*
10. Assess the impact of the East African Revival Movement on the Church. *(25 marks)*
11. (a) Evaluate the role of the Uganda Joint Christian Council. *(13 marks)*
- (b) Suggest the way forward towards achieving lasting unity and cooperation among the Churches in Uganda. *(12 marks)*
12. (a) Analyse the consequences of poverty in the Church. *(13 marks)*
- (b) What can the Church do to minimize poverty related challenges? *(12 marks)*