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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

RELI 122: AFRICAN TRADITION MORALS AND CULTURAL VALUES

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) YIS2 TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: MONDAY 03/12/2018 2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer ALL Questions in Section and any other Two in Section B
- Do not write on the question paper

SECTION A: 30 MARKS

1. (a) Define and explain the following terms with relevant examples.

(1)	Culture	[4 marks]
(ii)	Negritude	[4 marks]
(iii)	African indigenous education	[4 marks]
(iv)	Kinship	[4 marks]

(b) What do you understand by "spirits" among traditional African cultures?

[10 marks]

- (c) Why were taboos important among Africans? [4 marks]
- 2. Underline the various characteristics of culture giving relevant situations to support your answer. [20 marks]
- 3. Explain the various components in a rite of passage and show how Africans used the rite to inculcate moral values. [20 marks]
- 4. Discuss African traditional belief systems using a community you know well.

[20 marks]

5. Argue for or against the sentiment "African culture is a dying culture". [20 marks]