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SECONDYEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE  
OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ECDE)

ECDE 235: RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR ECDE

STREAMS: BED (ECDE)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 05/12/2017

8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER THREE QUESTIONS
- DO NOT WRITE ON THE QUESTION PAPER

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Explain the concepts of religion and religious education in early childhood development. [4 marks]
- (b) Describe five ways in which the study of religion is relevant to a preschool teacher in Kenya today. [10 marks]
- (c) Highlight major divisions of the 39 books of the Old Testament. [5 marks]
- (d) Discuss the following holy books of Islamic religion and their revelation of God.
- (i) Torah/Taurat [2 marks]
  - (ii) Zabur [2 marks]
  - (iii) Injeel [2 marks]

QUESTION TWO

Discuss five functions of religion to the society. [15 marks]

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Examine five major characteristics of Jesus teaching methods. [10 marks]
- (b) Indicate five incidences when Jesus portrayed his concern for young children. [5 marks]

**QUESTIONFOUR**

- (a) Explain five ways in which a pre-school teacher can lead a child to moral autonomy. [10 marks]
- (b) Identify five characteristics of a moral pre-school child. [5 marks]

**QUESTION FIVE**

- (a) Outline five agencies of teaching pre-school children religion in ECDE. [5 marks]
- (b) Discuss the summary of Islamic faith. [10 marks]
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