

GB ASSESSMENT TEST

VIRTUAL MOCK EXAMINATION (4) RELIGIOUS & MORAL EDUCATION- MAY, 2020

MARKING SCHEME

1. A	6. D	11. A	16. A	21. A	26. C	31. B	36. D
2. B	7. C	12. C	17. A	22. C	27. D	32. D	37. B
3. A	8. B	13. D	18. C	23. C	28. C	33. C	38. B
4. A	9. C	14. C	19. A	24. C	29. A	34. C	39. C
5. B	10. B	15. B	20. C	25. C	30. D	35. A	40. A

SECTION B

1. (a) A communion is a Christian service where bread and wine are consecrated and shared in memory of Jesus. The Lord's Supper is the sign of Christ's presence among His people and of their unity in Him. [3 marks]

(b) **Significance of the Lords supper**

- The Lord's Supper brings about unity in the church
- It brings believer closer to their maker
- It an avenue to believers to confess their sins and ask for cleansing of sins
- The Lord's Supper when we receive it in faith, we derive benefit and nourishment from feeding on Jesus Christ

[Any 4 points x 2 = 8 marks]

(c) **Beatitudes**

- Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven
- Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled
- Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth
- Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted
- Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy
- Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God

[Any 6 points x 1.5 = 9 marks]

2. (a) **Sacrifices** are ceremonial offerings made to God or the gods and spirits for a stated purpose. [4 marks]

(b) **Types of sacrifices**

- Votive sacrifice:** This is a type of sacrifice which a worshipper offers in making a solemn vow to a deity.
- Preventive sacrifice:** This is a type of sacrifice offered to the gods or deities in seeking to prevent a calamity on disaster that may befall the people.
- Thanksgiving sacrifice:** This type of sacrifice is offered by a believer to deities to show one's gratitude or appreciation for a favour done to him or her or a request granted.
- Propitiatory sacrifice:** This is a sacrifice which is offered to an angry deity in order to calm down its anger. It is performed when one breaks a major taboo that incurs the wrath of a deity.
- Substitutionary sacrifice:** This type of sacrifice is offered by a believer to the gods as a substitute for another living being.

[Any 4 points x 2 =8 marks]

[mere mention of points =1 mark each]

(c) **Advantages of sacrifice to the worshipper**

- Shows gratitude and thanksgiving
- To express humility
- To express the omnipresence of the deity
- Shows the act of caring for others

- Brings one closer to the deity
- It shows one's selflessness
- It keeps one from indecency
- It makes one holy and upright

[Any 4 points x 2 = 8 marks]
[mere mention of points =1 mark each]

3. (a) Advantages of Ramadan Fasting

- Fasting is a test on the Muslim's self-control
- It teaches Muslims a sense of unity
- It teaches equity before Allah as both the rich and poor go through the same ritual.
- The period of fasting offers the Muslim the opportunity to study the Quran.
- It encourages a total submission of the Muslim to ask for Allah's divine favour.

[Any 4 point x 1 marks = 4 Marks]

(b) α. Prayer: Muslims believe in praying five times at specified times in the day, this is known as salat. The prayer starts from dawn and ends at dusk. The Imam leads the prayer after ablution is observed. Other prayers include, Jumah, Tarawih, Enchi, Janaza etc.

[2 Marks]

β. Alm-giving: Muslims believe that those who have money must give alms to help those who are poor. This act is known as Zakat.

[2 Marks]

γ. Pilgrimage: Muslims also believe that a Muslim must go to Hajj, at least once in a life time if it is affordable. Muslims embark on pilgrimage to Mecca to worship. It is the fifth pillar of Islam. Hajj is performed in the month of Zul Hijja, the hajj last for an average of five days.

[2 Marks]

ρ. Allah: Muslims believe in the existence of only one God called Allah who has no partner. Allah is not definable but reveals himself through visions, divine inspiration, angels and his words.

[2 Marks]

(c) i. Ei-ul-Adha is celebrated annually on the 10th day of the last month on the Islamic calendar.

ii. The celebrations start after the Hajj.

- iii. The date for celebration is approximately 70 days after the end of the month of Ramadan
- iv. Eid-ul-Adha begins with a prayer of two Raka'ah followed by a sermon in an open place or mosque
- v. After prayers are said, the animal for the sacrifice is slaughtered by the Chief Iman.

[8 Marks]

4. (a) **Examples of Immoral behaviors**

- i. Drug abuse
- ii. Sexual harassment
- iii. Masturbation or stimulation of one's sexual organs.
- iv. Fornication or pre-marital sex.
- v. Practicing homosexuality
- vi. Engaging in extra-marital activities or adultery
- vii. Practicing prostitution or promiscuity.

[Any 4 points x 1 Marks = 4 Marks]

(b) **Effects of indulging in Immoral Acts.**

- It retards people future
- It leads to poverty
- It strains man's relationship with God.
- Loss of respect and acceptance from parents and the society.
- It causes health problems
- School drop-out

[Any 4 points x 2 Marks = 8 Marks]

Mere statement of point = 1 Mark

(c) **Effects of idleness**

- It creates laziness
- It leads to mental stress.
- It retards progress
- It leads to dependence on others
- It leads to act of envy for others who work hard.
- It causes precious time to be wasted
- It breeds bribery, corruption and cheating
- It lowers individual and group productivity.

[Any 4 points x 2 Marks = 8 Marks]

Mere statement of point = 1 Mark

5. (a) **reason for personal hygiene**
- i. it helps to prevent diseases
 - ii. it enhances self-esteem of the individual
 - iii. lower health care cost
 - iv. it brings about social acceptance
 - v. professional acceptance
 - vi. being a role model for others
 - vii. pain prevention

[any 4 points x 2 Marks = 8 Marks]

Mere statement of points = 1 Mark each

(b) **dangers of eating late at night**

- one becomes easily obese
- one experiences bad dreams
- there is indigestion
- there is heartburn
- there is stomach disorder
- one develops pop belly

[Any 4 points x 1 Marks = 4 Marks]

(c) **(social importance of puberty rites. Should not be confused with religious importance)**

- it initiates them into adulthood
- it prepares the initiate for marriage
- it checks immorality
- it generates income or working capital for the initiate.
- it tests a person's courage and endurance

[Any 4 points x 2 Marks = 8 Marks]

Mere statement of points = 1 Mark each

6. (a). **Ways of showing commitment to the community**

- Taking part in national exercise
- Taking part in public health exercise
- We should participate in communal labour
- Obeying the rules and regulations set by society

[any 4 x 2= 8 marks]

[mere mention of point = 1 mark each]

(b) **Reason for showing commitment**

- For perpetual peace and joy
- To attract respect and love from peoples.

- To improve one's social life
- To promote peace among members in society.
- To get good recommendation from society
- To show that one is responsible.

[any 4 x 1= 4 marks]

(c) **reasons for showing courtesy**

- it promotes peaceful co-existence
- promotes mutual respect and harmony
- promotes good sportsmanship
- enhances good relationship
- it is a virtue by the three main religions in Ghana
- it is rewarding in society
- promotes national progress and development
- shows good character

[Any 4 points x 2 Marks = 8 Marks]

Mere statement of points = 1 Mark each

7. (a) **importance of hard work to the individual**

- increases individual earning
- makes one active and strong
- opens avenue for self-development
- promotes standard of living
- earnings from hard work brings joy and happiness

[Any 3 points x 2 Marks = 6 Marks]

Mere statement of points = 1 Mark each

Importance of hard work to the state

- brings about increase in productivity
- contributes towards national development
- brings about increase in revenue
- generates foreign income for the country

[Any 3 points x 2 Marks = 6 Marks]

Mere statement of points = 1 Mark each

(b) **Ways of developing positive attitude to work**

- Being punctual to work
- engaging in useful and productive activities
- not sleeping in class or at workplace
- should be dedicated to your work
- do away with laziness

- develop good attributes
- co-operate with others

[Any 4 points x 2 Marks = 8 Marks]
Mere statement of points = 1 Mark each

8.(a) **reasons why individuals engage in bribery and corruption**

- increased economic hardship
- frequent demand by extended family
- greed and self- centeredness
- tribalism
- bureaucracy

[Any 4 points x 2 =8 marks]
[mere mention of points =1 mark each]

(b) **ways of minimizing or preventing bribery and corruption**

- increased public education

- punitive measures
- revision of procedures in public institutions
- public exposure of corrupt officials
- improvement in the economic situations
- religious leaders preaching against bribery and corruption

[Any 4 points x 2 =8 marks]
[mere mention of points =1 mark each]

(c) **adverse effects of corruption on the Ghanaian economy.**

- it leads to diversion of public funds
- it leads to overstaffing
- it leads to employment of unqualified people.
- it tarnishes the image of the country.
- it leads to inefficiency and low productivity.

[Any 4 points x 1 =4 marks]