



**FINAL EXAMINATIONS**

**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**KITENGELA CAMPUS**

**SEP-DEC SEMESTER, 2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN EDUCATION**

**CRE1123: PENTECOST TO REFORMATION**

**STREAM: BEDU**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**EXAMINATION SESSION: DECEMBER**

**YEAR: 2025**

**DAY**

**DATE:**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Attempt ALL the questions in **Section A**
2. Attempt any **Two** questions in **Section B**
3. The entire exam is worth sixty (40) marks.
4. Write **ONLY** on the space provided on the answer sheet or as otherwise instructed.
5. Where necessary Show your working clearly.
6. Do **NOT** attempt to access any library, online (audio, video, digital or electronic) or paper-based (written), sources for your answers unless this is clearly advised in the Question.

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**SECTION A (20 MARKS) – ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS**

**Question One**

- a) Using four points, examine the characteristics of the church during the Apostolic age. (4marks)
- b) Explore three factors that show the nature of early Monasticism. (3marks)
- c) Examine four causes of the persecutions in the early church. (4marks)
- d) Explore five causes of the crusades between 1096-1270. (3marks)
- e) Briefly describe the decline of papacy (1294-2517) and abuses of papal power. (6marks)

## **SECTION B (20 MARKS) – CHOOSE TWO QUESTIONS**

### **Question Two**

- a) Illustrate five factors that show how the Greco-Roman civilization contributed to the growth of Christianity(5marks)
- b) Examine five issues discussed by the council of Nicaea and the council at Ephesus. (5marks)

### **Question Three**

- a) Examine five reasons why the time of Constantine was the turning point of Christianity. (5marks)
- b) Describe five similarities between Christianity and Judaism. (5marks)

### **Question Four**

- i. Examine five factors that have favored the modern day Christian church in Evangelism and church ministry. (5marks)
- ii. Analyze five ways how modern day Christians can respond to heresies. (5marks)

### **Question Five**

- i. Analyze five heresies that emerged during the early church. (5marks)
- ii. Explain the importance of theological controversy to the contemporary Christian church. (5marks)

