

**SOCIAL STUDIES AND RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION**

Date: 17/06/2026

Period: 2:00-4:00 PM



**END OF TERM III EXAMINATIONS 2025-2026
QUESTION PAPER**

GRADE : P5

LEVEL:

UPPER PRIMARY

DURATION: 2 HOURS

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INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1) Do not open this question paper until you are told to do so.
- 2) This paper consists of **TWO** parts: **A** and **B**
PART(A) Social Studies: Attempt **23** questions **(35 marks)**
PART(B) Religious Education: Attempt **7** questions **(15 marks)**
- 3) Read questions carefully before answering, you are NOT allowed to change your answers (avoid any rubbing).
- 4) Use only a **blue** or **black** pen

PART (A) SOCIAL STUDIES: ATTEMPT 23 QUESTIONS. (35MARKS)

For multiple choice questions, circle a letter corresponding to the correct answer.

- 1) Choose one subsistence crop grown in your district from the following. **(1 mark)**
 - A) Sweet potatoes
 - B) Tea
 - C) cotton
 - D) Coffee
- 2) How many districts are found in the southern province of Rwanda? **(1 mark)**
 - A) 8
 - B) 5
 - C) 4
 - D) 7
- 3) Which action shows social cohesion in schools? **(1 mark)**
 - A) Students fighting in class.
 - B) Students sharing books and working together.
 - C) Students refusing to help each other.
 - D) Students breaking school rules.
- 4) Which behavior is best for social cohesion? **(1 mark)**
 - A) Respecting others
 - B) Discriminating others
 - C) Fighting neighbors
 - D) Refusing to share ideas
- 5) Which Genocide Memorial Site is found in Nyamagabe District? **(1 mark)**
 - A) Murambi Genocide Memorial Site
 - B) Ntarama Genocide Memorial Site
 - C) Kigali Genocide Memorial Site
 - D) Nyarubuye Genocide Memorial Site
- 6) What is the main purpose of Genocide Memorial Sites? **(1mark)**
 - A) To promote peace
 - B) To honour and remember the victims of the 1994 Genocide against Tutsi
 - C) To promote unity among the community
 - D) To encourage Reconciliation
- 7) Which National Park is located in the Eastern Province and is known for wild animals and savannah? **(1mark)**
 - A) Nyungwe National Park
 - B) Akagera National Park
 - C) Volcanoes National Park
 - D) Gishwati-Mukura National Park

8) Which of the following is NOT a good quality of a leader? **(1 mark)**

- A) Honesty
- B) Humility
- C) Intolerance
- D) Hardworking

9) List down any two elements of a good map. **(2 marks)**

i) _____

ii) _____

10) Give any two examples important places in your district. **(2 marks)**

i) _____

ii) _____

11) Give any one economic activity carried out in pre-colonial Rwanda.

(1 mark)

i) _____

12) Match the budget types in **Column A** with their correct descriptions in **Column B** **(3 marks)**

Column (A) Budget Types	Column (B) Correct Descriptions
i) Surplus budget	a) When income and expenses are equal.
ii) Deficit budget	b) When income is more than expenses.
iii) Balanced budget	c) When expenses are more than incomes.

13) Define the following terms: **(2 marks)**

i) Afforestation

ii) Re-afforestation

14) Match the types of education with descriptions: **(3 marks)**

Types of education	Descriptions
i) Formal Education	a) Learning from daily life, family, friends, or media.
ii) Non-Formal Education	b) Learning that happens in school and leads to certificates
iii) Informal Education	c) Organized Learning outside school, like workshops or training centers.

15) State different two ways of keeping our environment clean in the provinces. **(2 marks)**

i) _____

ii) _____

16) Give any two examples of important human rights in your community. **(2marks)**

i) _____

ii) _____

17) Give two reasons why peace is important in your province. **(2 marks)**

18) Mention any two roles performed by leaders in your province. **(2marks)**

19) Identify any two importance of complementarity in your society. **(2marks)**

20) Which of the following is the importance of banks and financial institutions in your province? **(1 mark)**

- A) Safe keeping of money
- B) Creating employment
- C) Money transfer services
- D) All of the above

21) Use words given in the brackets to fill in the following gaps **(climate, weather)** **(1mark)**

i) _____ is the day-to-day conditions of the atmosphere.

ii) _____ is the average conditions at of place for a long period of time usually 35 years.

22) Which of the following is the colonial master of Rwanda? **(1 mark)**

- A) Germany
- B) France
- C) Ethiopia
- D) Italy

23) Give one reason why Missionaries came in Rwanda **(1 mark)**

PART (B) RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: ATTEMPT ALL 7 QUESTIONS. (15MARKS)

24) In which language was the Qur'an originally written? **(2 marks)**

- A) English
- B) Arabic
- C) French
- D) Latin

25) Which statement correctly explains how the Bible is organized? **(2 marks)**

- A) The Bible is divided into two main parts called the Old Testament and the New Testament.
- B) The Bible is divided into five equal parts that contain only songs and poems.
- C) The Bible has only one section with no divisions or chapters.
- D) The Bible is divided into four major parts that are studied separately.

26) Which of the following is an example of sin? **(2 marks)**

- A) Helping a neighbor carry water
- B) Respecting teachers at school
- C) Telling lies to other people
- D) Sharing food with classmates

27) What is the Bible? **(2 marks)**

- A) A storybook
- B) A holy book for Christians
- C) A science book
- D) A cooking book

28) Use the words given the brackets to fill in blanks (Charity, Zakat, need, God) **(2 marks)**

- i) In Islam, obligatory annual giving to the poor is called
- ii) A good action done to help someone else is called an act of
- iii) Faith means trusting and believing in
- iv) We show our faith by helping people in

29) Show whether the following statements are **True or False** **(4 marks)**

- i) Faith discourages people from helping those in need. _____
- ii) A true Christian believes in Jesus Christ as God and Saviour. _____
- iii) A true Muslim believes in many gods. _____
- iv) Muslims accept Muhammad as Allah's prophet. _____

30) Name one thing God created to show that there is a day and night. **(1 mark)**

- i) _____

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