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GRADE 10
CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT
TIME: 2 HOURS 30 MINUTES | TOTAL: 100 MARKS

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name and assessment details in the spaces provided.
- Answer ALL questions.
- Read each question carefully before answering.
- Where a question asks for explanations, give clear and relevant points.
- Use appropriate biblical references where requested.
- Write neatly and ensure that all parts of each question are answered.
- Check your work before submitting the paper.

EXAMINER'S USE ONLY

Section	Question Numbers	Maximum Score	Candidate's Score
A	1–10	20	
B	11–16	40	
C	17–22	40	

SECTION A — SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

Answer ALL questions. (20 marks)

1. State two reasons why the Bible is described as the inspired Word of God. **(2 marks)**

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2. Name two methods of studying the Bible. **(2 marks)**

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3. State two ways Christians can demonstrate good stewardship over God's creation. **(2 marks)**

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4. State two consequences of the Fall of human beings according to the Genesis account. **(2 marks)**

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5. State two major events associated with the Exodus of the Israelites from Egypt. **(2 marks)**

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6. State two purposes of the Sinai Covenant. **(2 marks)**

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7. Give two ways in which a Christian can demonstrate loyalty to God. **(2 marks)**

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8. State two characteristics that can help a person distinguish a true prophet from a false prophet. **(2 marks)**

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9. Name two books/categories of books found in the New Testament. **(2 marks)**

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10. State two teachings of Jesus from the Galilean Ministry that are relevant to Christians today. **(2 marks)**

SECTION B — STRUCTURED QUESTIONS

Answer ALL questions. (40 marks)

11. The Old Testament contains teachings that continue to influence Christian life. **(8 marks)**

(a) Explain four lessons Christians can learn from the account of the Exodus. **(4 marks)**

(b) Explain two ways the Ten Commandments can guide Christians in daily life. **(4 marks)**

12. Prophets addressed moral and social issues in Israel. **(8 marks)**

(a) Explain four circumstances surrounding Elijah's flight to Mount Horeb and his encounter with God. **(4 marks)**

(b) State and explain four teachings of Prophet Amos that are relevant to society today. **(4 marks)**

13. The New Testament presents Jesus' life, ministry and teachings. **(8 marks)**

(a) Explain four ways John the Baptist prepared the way for Jesus Christ. **(4 marks)**

(b) Explain four lessons Christians can learn from the temptations of Jesus. **(4 marks)**

14. Jesus' Galilean Ministry included teachings, miracles and parables. **(8 marks)**

(a) Explain four teachings of Jesus from the Sermon on the Plain that can guide Christians today. **(4 marks)**

(b) Explain two miracles of Jesus and state one lesson from each. **(4 marks)**

15. Paul addressed important challenges in the early Church. **(8 marks)**

(a) State four causes of divisions in the Church at Corinth. **(4 marks)**

(b) Explain four ways Paul addressed moral challenges in the Corinthian Church. **(4 marks)**

SECTION C — EXTENDED APPLICATION AND CHRISTIAN LIVING

Answer ALL questions. (40 marks)

16. The Holy Spirit plays an important role in the life of the Church and the Christian. **(8 marks)**

(a) Explain four roles of the Holy Spirit in the life of a Christian. **(4 marks)**

(b) Describe four gifts of the Holy Spirit and explain how they can be used in the Church today. **(4 marks)**

17. The Christian doctrine of the Trinity teaches about the one God in three Persons. **(6 marks)**

(a) Explain the meaning of the Holy Trinity. **(2 marks)**

(b) State two ways belief in the Trinity influences Christian life. **(2 marks)**

(c) State two reasons why Christians should promote unity despite differences. **(2 marks)**

18. Baptism and Holy Communion/Lord's Supper are important Christian sacraments. **(6 marks)**

(a) Explain three reasons why baptism is important in the life of a Christian. **(3 marks)**

(b) Explain three reasons why Holy Communion/Lord's Supper is important to Christians. **(3 marks)**

19. A group of learners is discussing ethical issues facing young people today. **(8 marks)**

(a) Identify four sources of Christian ethics. **(4 marks)**

(b) Explain two ways Christian ethical principles can help young people make moral decisions. **(4 marks)**

20. Human dignity and responsible relationships are important Christian concerns. **(8 marks)**

(a) Explain four forms or causes of gender-based violence and state how Christians can help prevent it. **(4 marks)**

(b) Explain two Christian teachings that should guide male-female relationships and responsible sexual behaviour. **(4 marks)**

21. Marriage and family are presented in the curriculum as sacred institutions. **(6 marks)**

(a) Explain three Christian teachings on marriage and family life. **(3 marks)**

(b) State three challenges facing families today and suggest a solution for each. **(3 marks)**

22. Modern science, medicine and technology raise questions for Christians but also create opportunities. **(6 marks)**

(a) Explain two Christian views on euthanasia and the sanctity of human life. **(2 marks)**

(b) Explain two Christian considerations concerning cosmetic plastic surgery. **(2 marks)**

(c) Give two ways Christians can use modern technology creatively to spread the Gospel or improve people's lives. **(2 marks)**