



GARISSA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

(A Constituent College of Moi University)

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR ONE
SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMINATION

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

COURSE CODE: REL 110

COURSE TITLE: TRADITIONAL AFRICAN WORLD VIEW

EXAMINATION DURATION: 3 HOURS

DATE: 28/09/17

TIME: 09.00-12.00 PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

- **The examination has SIX (6) questions**
- **Question ONE (1) is COMPULSORY**
- **Choose any other THREE (3) questions from the remaining FIVE (5) questions**
- **Use sketch diagrams to illustrate your answer whenever necessary**
- **Do not carry mobile phones or any other written materials in examination room**
- **Do not write on this paper**

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QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)

- (a) Define the terms Culture and Worldview **(4 marks)**
- (b) Using examples from Kenya, explain the influence culture on an individual's worldview **(9 marks)**
- (c) Compare and contrast the Islamic Religious Worldview with the Christian one **(12 marks)**

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Explain the African concept of a “spirit” **[6 marks]**
- (b) What is the influence and impact of the religious belief in spirit beings upon the whole of traditional African life **[9 marks]**

QUESTION THREE

- (a) Discuss the traditional European idea of individualism. How is it different from the Traditional African worldview **[9 marks]**
- (b) Differentiate between Cultural Factors and cultural manifestations **[6 marks]**

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Explain Some of the contemporary challenges facing the Traditional African worldview **[8 marks]**
- (b) Describe the African concept of time **[7 marks]**

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Differentiate between sacrifices in the Traditional African worldview with those of a religion of your choice **[8 marks]**
- (b) Explain the African understanding of the causes of disease as compared to the modern scientific one **[7 marks]**

QUESTION SIX

- (a) What is the teaching of Hinduism, regarding life after Death **[6 marks]**
- (b) Explain The Buddhist Religious Worldview **[9 marks]**

