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1ST YEAR 2nd SEMESTER

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

SCHOOL BASED PROGRAMME (MAIN EXAM)

COURSE CODE: REL 110

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO AFRICAN RELIGION

DATE: 29th August, 2013 **TIME:** 8. 00a.m. – 11. 00a.m.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

• Answer any FOUR questions

- 1. Critically examine the problems encountered in the definitions of African Religion. (20mks)
- 2. "Religion permeates every department of life."(J.S. Mbiti 1969). Discuss this statement using relevant examples. (20mks)
- 3. In the African Thought, God is a reality; using examples, analyze the nature and attributes of God. (20mks)
- 4. "Marriage is compulsory and everyone is to marry." Discuss this statement in line with the features of marriage in traditional African Communities. (20mks)
- 5. Name and explain the role played by religions functionaries in African Religion. (20mks)
- 6. Analyze the use of Magic among Africans. (20mks)
- 7. Write short notes on three of the following terms showing their significance in African Religion. (20mks)
- i) Liturgy
- ii) Worship
- iii) Sacrifices
- iv) Taboos/Prohibitions.
- 8. Discuss the future of African Religion focusing on the challenges and its prospects. (20mks)