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BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS WITH IT.

COURSE CODE: ARE 104 (SB)

TITLE: AFRICAN RELIGION

DATE:

TIME:

DURATION: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This paper contains FIVE (5) questions
2. Answer question 1 (Compulsory) and ANY other 2 Questions
3. Write all answers in the booklet provided

1. Critique the notion of 'category mistake' in relation to African Religion. (30 marks).
2. Define African religion and indicate the key characteristics that distinguish it from other world religions. (20 marks).
3. Rites of passage are an integral part of spiritual growth and personal development. Discuss their spiritual as well as material role in the African community (20 marks).
4. Critically examine any **three** of the following terms that were used to refer to African Religion:
 - a) Spirits.
 - b) Sacrifice
 - c) Ritual
 - d) Appeasement(20 marks).
5. In African Religion, there is no distinction between the sacred and the secular. Discuss (20 marks).