ISLAMIC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

2 ½ hours

KCSE 2008 PAPER 1

Answer any five Questions

1.	a) Give reasons for narrating stories of the Prophets in the Holy <i>Qur'an</i> .		
		(10mks)	
	b) Explain the importance of the Qur'an to a Muslim.	(10mks)	
2.	a) Identify the themes emphasized in the Makkan Surahs.	(8mks)	
	b) Discuss the importance of Surah Fatihah.	(12mks)	
3.	a) Give the conditions that <i>Hadith</i> should fulfill before it is accepted	ve the conditions that <i>Hadith</i> should fulfill before it is accepted as	
	Sound <i>Hadith</i> .	(10mks)	
	b) State the methods used by the Prophet (S.A.W) to teach his Sun	nah and	
	Hadith.	(10mks)	
4.	a) Give the terms used in the <i>Qur'an</i> for the Day of Resurrection.	(6mks)	
	b) Explain conditions under which life may be taken as punishmen	t	
	according to Islamic Law.	(8mks)	
	c) What are the conditions for <i>Tawba</i> ?	(6mks)	
5.	a) Give the features of <i>Jumu'a</i> Prayer.	(8mks)	
	b) Explain the significance of <i>Jumu'a</i> prayer.	(12mks)	
6.	a) Define the term <i>Ijtihad</i> .	(5mks)	
	b) Apart from the Qur'an discuss the other sources of Sharia.	(15mks)	