MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2010 question paper

for the guidance of teachers

2048 RELIGIOUS STUDIES (BIBLE KNOWLEDGE)

2048/22

Paper 22 (Luke and Acts (1–21:15) Essay Questions), maximum raw mark 60

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These notes to be used in conjunction with the level descriptors

SECTION A

The Life and Teaching of Jesus as Portrayed in Luke's Gospel

1 <u>Luke 2:22–38</u>

(a) Key points:

Law of Moses/to offer sacrifice/to consecrate every firstborn male/pair of doves or two young pigeons

Simeon/righteous man/waiting for consolation of Israel/Holy Spirit upon him/Holy Spirit revealed to him that not die before seen Lord's Christ

Moved by spirit/went to Temple courts

Took Jesus in arms/praised God/now dismiss your servant in peace/my eyes have seen your salvation

A light to Gentiles/glory to your people Israel

Said to Mary/child destined to cause falling and rising of many

A sword will pierce your own soul

Anna/prophetess/old/never left Temple

Seeing Jesus/gave thanks/the child to all who were looking forward to the redemption of Jerusalem [7]

Notes:

Level 3 if only Simeon discussed in detail

(b) Examples:

Poor family (sacrifice of 2 doves) Recognised as Christ Revelation to Gentiles Cause falling and rising of many Linked to redemption of Jerusalem

Notes:

It is not expected that candidates will cover all to gain a level 4. Expect level 4 answers to refer back to text

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2 Luke 6:1-5; 6:6-11; 13:10-17; 14:1-6

(a) Expect any two of the above

Picking corn/healing withered hand/crippled woman/man with dropsy

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Notes:

Lower level 3 maximum for only one covered. Remember that as two are requested then the detail will not have to be full to gain maximum marks

(b) Examples:

- (i) Jesus Lord of the Sabbath Authority
- (ii) The Sabbath
 - Doing good Made for man The Pharisees had been over rigid and legalistic in their interpretation of the laws governing the Sabbath

Notes:

Level 2 maximum if only one dealt with

3 Luke 8:40-56

(a) Key Points:

Ruler of the synagogue/fell at Jesus' feet Only daughter dying Jairus' daughter dead/don't bother the teacher any more Don't be afraid/believe Went to house/entered alone apart from Peter, James, John, child's father and mother Crowd/stop mourning/not dead/sleeping Laughed/child stood up

Notes:

The account of the healing of the woman with a flow of blood (NIV subject to bleeding) is not required for level 4

If only dealt with the healing of the woman with a flow of blood then maximum level 1

(b) Examples:

Belief of Jairus asking Jesus/dead therefore no point Jesus going - limits to faith/believe/spirit returned [5]

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4 <u>Luke 20:9–19</u>

(a) Key Points:

Man planted vineyard, rented it out and went away Sent servants at harvest to get some of the fruit Beaten and sent away empty handed Sent another who was beaten and also left empty handed Sent third who was wounded and thrown out Sent son – respect him This is the heir – let's kill him and gain inheritance Threw son out of vineyard and killed What will the owner do to them? Kill the tenants and give the vineyard to others

Notes:

A lot of material here and not all is required in order to gain a level 4.

(b) Examples:

Allegory Vineyard tenants – Jews, servants – prophets, son – Jesus, Owner – God Rejection and death of Jesus Corner stone Teachers of law/chief priests knew it was about them (v19)

Notes:

If candidates just list the allegorical aspects without explaining what they teach, then a level 2 should be awarded. It is possible to gain level 4 without reference to the cornerstone/teachers of law

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5 <u>Luke 22:39–46</u>

(a) Key Points:

Said to disciples - Pray that you will not fall into temptation Withdrew and prayed – Father if you are willing, take this cup from me Yet not my will, but yours be done Angel appeared and strengthened him In anguish, prayed more, sweat like drops of blood Back to disciples - asleep exhausted from sorrow Why are you sleeping? – pray so that you will not fall into temptation

Notes:

Maximum upper level 2 if temptation is not mentioned. Level 4 can only be reached if the candidate describes the contents of Jesus' prayer

(b) Examples:

Demonstrates humanity of Jesus: did not want to suffer – clearly exercised by what was about to happen to him - recognised need to pray at times of temptation – could Jesus be tempted? Yet recognised his mission: sought God's will, not his own [5]

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SECTION B

The Birth of the Church as Portrayed in the Acts of The Apostles Chapter 1–21:15

6 <u>Acts 4:5–21</u>

(a) Key points:

By what power/name Peter's speech about Jesus and salvation Discussion by Sanhedrin Could not deny miracle happened Ordered to speak no more in name of Jesus Judge for yourself if it is right in God's sight to obey you rather than God Can't but speak of what we have heard Threatened but released

Credit will also be given for material from Acts 5:27-42

Notes:

Peter's reply to Sanhedrin needs to be included for a level 4 answer

<u>Acts 4:1–22</u>

(b) Examples:

Teaching resurrection from dead against beliefs of some of Sanhedrin (Sadducees) By what power or name do you do this? Attack on Jews – you crucified – stone you builders rejected Salvation nowhere else Attracted large following Teaching contrary to leaders Challenged authorities

Notes:

Not all mark scheme required for level 4 answers. Need to explain why particular events led to persecution if level 3 - 4 answer. If just listed events then level 2

7 <u>Acts 8:9–25</u>

(a) Key Points:

He amazed people with his magic in Samaria/boasted he was someone great/acknowledged by all

This man is the divine power known as the Great Power Simon believed and was baptised Followed Philip/astonished by the signs and miracles he did Peter and John arrive to give Holy Spirit Simon saw and offered them money/give me this ability May your money perish/because you thought you could buy gift of God with money No part in ministry/heart not right before God Repent/full of bitterness/captive to sin Pray to Lord for me [7]

(b) Boldness/insight/working miracles/willingness to suffer/freedom/courage [5]

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8 Acts 11:19–30; Acts 13:1–3; Acts 15:1–21

(a) Key points:

Some believers who were persecuted went to Antioch Preached to Greeks there Many believed Barnabas sent to Antioch Saw evidence of grace of God Encouraged them Took Saul there Called Christians first at Antioch Disrupted by people teaching circumcision Council of Jerusalem Became base of Gentile mission

Notes:

Quite a lot of information but it is spread through Acts, so not all material required for level 4

Acts 15:36-41; 4:36; 11:24f

(b) Examples:

Generous supporter of early church/full of Holy Spirit/faith Lived up to name of "son of encouragement" He introduced Saul to the apostles and convinced them that Saul was sincere Could be trusted to handle difficult situations He brought in Saul to share in his work amongst Gentiles Barnabas brought the matter of circumcision to the Jerusalem Council He parted from Paul and went with John Mark and visited Cyprus

Notes:

Not all required for level 4

9 Acts 17:24–31

(a) Key Points:

Does not live in temples Not served by human hands Gives life to all and needs nothing Sets us in our place so that we would seek him He is near each of us We are God's offspring Commands us to repent for he will judge the world Proved by resurrection

Acts 17:16-34

(b) Examples:

Started where the people were Referred to their own gods No reference to Jewish Messianic hope Building to climax of Jesus Ending on central issue of the resurrection [7]

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10 <u>Acts 19:13–20</u>

(a) Key Points:

Invoked name of Jesus whom Paul preaches Seven sons of Sceva were doing these exorcisms Jesus I know, I know about Paul, but who are you? Man who had evil spirit jumped on them and beat them, they ran away Result: Jews/Greeks in Ephesus in fear Name of Lord Jesus held in high honour Those who believed confessed their evil deeds Some burnt sorcery books publicly Word of Lord spread

(b) Examples:

Recognised power of name of Jesus only Shows authority of Jesus Evil spirits spoke Had power to attack the Jews Controlled people

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