



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY
END OF UNIT EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
ARTS IN BIBLE AND THEOLOGY
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MODE OF STUDY: ONLINE
UNIT TITLE: CHURCH GROWTH AND STRATEGY
UNIT CODE: CMN 4313
INSTRUCTOR: Dr. Phidel Adah Baraza

TIME ALLOWED: 3HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Section A is compulsory.
- Answer any TWO question in Section B.
- You are allowed to use the Bible.
- Once you have opened the exam you must complete within the allotted time (3 hours)
- Once you exit the exam you cannot return
- When the three-hour period elapses, the exam will automatically expire and cannot be recovered.

Section A: Answer **ALL** questions (20 Marks)

1. Based on Matthew 28:28-30, explain ways in which Church Growth is a spiritual and yet practical conviction combining the eternal principles of God's Word with the practical insights of social and behavioral sciences (10 marks)
2. Discuss **five** biblical criteria for Church Growth and provide biblical references to support your arguments (10 marks)

Section B: Answer **ANY TWO** questions (**20 marks**). **Each question is 10 Marks.**

3. McGavran (1955) has set out four key issues in the implementation of Church Growth. Explain these four key issues in relation to your Church ministry context. (10 marks)
4. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of the homogenous principle as applied in Church growth. Use Scriptural references to support your answer (10 marks)
5. Discuss the main idea of Briggs, in “Guardrails: Six Principles for a Multiplying Church” as it applies in a new Church plant. (10 marks)
6. Discuss the five critical commitments upon which a healthy church is built and explain steps that a church leader can take to strengthen these commitments in a local church (10 marks)