



**PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY
END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF DIPLOMA IN
YOUTH MINISTRY
JANUARY – APRIL 2025**

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRY

COURSE CODE: DYM 108

COURSE TITLE: EMERGING YOUTH ISSUES

EXAM DATE:

TIME:

TIME ALLOWED:

INSTRUCTIONS

- ⇒ Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- ⇒ Write your **STUDENT NUMBER** in the Answer Booklet given
- ⇒ **Section A** is compulsory.
- ⇒ Answer **ANY TWO** questions in **Section B**.
- ⇒ PAC University examination regulations apply.

SECTION A: Answer ALL Questions (20 marks)

1. John, an active member of your youth group, has become withdrawn lately because he lost his job and could not find another, making worthless to the point of considering suicide.
 - a. Identify **two** signs of depression from the scenario. (4 marks)
 - b. Explain how unemployment has worsened John's situation. (4 marks)

- c. Outline **two** biblical principles you would use to counsel John against suicide. (6 marks)
- d. Suggest **two** practical action the church can take to support youth like John. (6 marks)

SECTION B: Answer ANY TWO Questions (20 marks)

- 2. Discuss the implication of drug abuse to youth ministry and how the church can respond. (10 marks)
- 3. Give **two** reasons why it is important to distinguish between a struggling and a practicing homosexual. (10 marks)
- 4. Discuss **two** practical ways premarital sex affect youth relationship. (10 marks)
- 5. Give **two** Biblical responses to the question, if God is good, why does he allow evil and suffering. (10 marks)