



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

**END OF SESSION EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
ARTS BIBLE AND THEOLOGY**

APRIL 2025

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: BIBLE AND THEOLOGY

COURSE CODE: BTCL3223

COURSE TITLE: PAULINE EPISTLES

EXAM DATE: APRIL 2025

TIME:

MODE: ONLINE

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Answer Question **One** and **Two** and any other **TWO** questions

SECTION A

QUESTION ONE AND TWO ARE COMPULSORY:

1. Discuss any Two religious developments during the Inter-testamental period which impacts the understanding of Pauline Epistles. Give examples to support your answers. **10marks**
2. Compare and contrast major similarities and differences between Paul's world and the contemporary world (10marks)

SECTION B

ANSWER ANY TWO OF THE FOLLOWING:

3. Discuss Five lessons the church might learn from the urban setting of Paul's mission work (10marks)
4. Discuss any Two perspectives on the Apostle Paul. Give examples to illustrate your answer (10marks)
5. Discuss Five contemporary forms of 'competition' facing the Christian gospel and church as compared to Apostle Paul's day (10marks)
6. Explain how the proposed theological axiom "Scripture's inspiration is independent of its human authorship." may negate the need for careful historical scholarship (10marks)
7. Explain how the church can respond to those challenging the sufficiency of Christ as God's agent of creation and reconciliation in the context of the book of Colosians (10marks)
8. Explain why the idea of covenant is significant in understanding Paul and ourselves as Christians. Give biblical references to support your answer (10marks)