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## AFRICAN MORAL AND CULTURAL VALUES

1. 1990 Q 42

a) State the significance of the traditional African initiation rites.

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b) Explain the role of the sponsor during tradition African circumcision ceremonies

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2. 1991 Q 45

Give factors that are affecting the traditional African heritage.

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**3. 1992 Q 46**

Explain reasons why myths are important in traditional African Communities

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**4. 1992 Q 4a, b**

(a) Discuss how the rites with initiation into adulthood express traditional African beliefs in life after death

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(b) Ways in which ceremonies connected with death stress the importance of solidarity in traditional African communities

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**5. 1993 Q 23a, b**

a) Explain ways in which traditional African communities demonstrate their belief in life after death

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b) Explain why expectant mothers are given special treatment in traditional African communities.

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**6. 1993 Q 5b**

b) Discuss the method of disciplining errant members in traditional African communities.

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**7. 1994 Q 4a**

Discuss what were some methods used in teaching the truth in traditional African communities.

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**8. 1994 Q 36**

Give the requirement which a man had to fulfil to become an elder.

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**9. 1995 Q 36**

Give five reasons why the newly initiated young men lived together in a community for some time.

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**10. 1995 Q 4a (pp 2)**

(a) Describe how wealth was acquired in traditional African communities (5 marks)

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**11. 1996 Q 12**

State the duties of a traditional African community helped bereaved families (5marks)

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**12. 1996 Q 13**

State five ways in which people in the traditional Africa marriage. (5marks)

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**13. 1996 Q 14**

Give five reasons why courtship was as important aspect of traditional African marriage.

(5marks)

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**14. 1996 Q 4(pp 2)**

a) Give reasons why cleansing rituals were performed in traditional African Communities. (16marks)

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b) Explain the factors which promoted harmony in traditional African communities .  
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**15. 1997 Q 14**  
Identify five occasions when oaths were administered in traditional African Communities  
(5marks)

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**16. 1997 Q 15**  
List occasions when the services of a medicine man were required in traditional African communities (5marks)

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**17. 1997 Q 4 (pp 2)**  
a) Discuss the measures taken by the traditional African communities to discourage pregnancy before marriage. (12marks)

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**18. 1998 Q 11**

With reference to African traditional communities, state five factor that promote harmony and mutual responsibility in Kenya today. (5 marks)

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**19. 1998 Q 12**

Give five reasons why initiation rites were important in African traditional communities (5 marks)

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**20. 1998 Q 14**

State five reasons why, marriage in traditional African communities is regarded as a covenant (5 marks)

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**21. 1998 Q 15**

List five responsibilities of priests in traditional African communities. (5 marks)

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**22. 1998 Q 16**  
Give reasons why taboos are important in traditional African communities (5 marks)

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**23. 1999 Q 11**  
Identify five occasions when prayers were offered in traditional African Communities (5 marks)

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**24. 1999 Q 12**  
State five rituals marking the birth of child traditional African communities (5 marks)

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**25. 1999 Q 14**  
List five factors that affected traditional African Education system (5 marks)

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**26. 1999 Q 4b (pp 2)**  
(b) Give reasons why people work in traditional African Communities (5 marks)

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**27. 1999 Q 5b, c**  
(b) Give ways in which traditional African communities show respect for the unborn Child (6 marks)

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(c) Explain how a child learns to be part of the traditional community (10 marks)

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**28. 2000 Q 16**  
Identify five African cultural expressions used in Christian worship today. (5 marks)

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**29. 2000 Q 5c (pp 2)**

a) How was marriage formalized in traditional African communities (8marks)

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b) Why was polygamy common in traditional African communities. (8marks)

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c) State the role of parents in a traditional African family (9marks)

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**30. 2001 Q 13**

State five reasons why the observance of the blood kinship is important in African traditional African societies. (5marks)

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**31. 2001 Q 14**

Give five reasons why the birth of a child is a joyous event in traditional African Societies.

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**32. 2001 Q 5 (pp 2)**

a) Explain the activities carried out in traditional African communities? (6marks)

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b) State ways through which the youth are traditional African communities? (7marks)

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c) What is the role of a grandfather in traditional African communities? (6marks)

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**33. 2002 Q 5**

a) Give reasons why there was singing during the initiation ceremonies in traditional African communities. (12marks)

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b) How were the initiates prepared for adult life in traditional African

communities?

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c) Why do some traditional African communities practice initiation rites today. (6marks)

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**34. 2002 Q 12**  
Give five reasons why oaths were administered in traditional Africa Communities

(5marks)

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**35. 2002 Q 14**  
List five occasions when sacrifices were consulted in traditional African communities (5marks)

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**36. 2002 Q 14**

State five factors that may hinder the traditional African practice of giving dowry.

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**37. 2003 Q 15**

State five roles of elders in traditional African communities.

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**38. 2003 Q 16**

Give five reasons why children are important in traditional African community

(5marks)

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**39. 2003 Q 5 a, c (pp 2)**

a) Give reasons why pre- marital pregnancies were rare in traditional African communities.

(12marks)

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c) What is the role of a midwife in traditional African communities? (5marks)

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**40. 2004 Q 11**

Give five reasons why a naming ceremony is important in traditional African communities.  
(5marks)

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**41. 2004 Q 12**

Write down five ways of solving conflicts in traditional African communities.  
(5marks)

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**42. 2004 Q 13**

Name five specialists in traditional African communities (5marks)

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**43. 2004 Q 5a, b (pp 2)**

a) Outline ways through which a marriage partner is chosen in traditional African communities (12marks)

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b) Explain why divorce is rare in traditional African communities (6marks)

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**44. 2005 Q 11**

Write down five places where worship is carried out in traditional African communities. (5marks)

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**45. 2005 Q 12**



Give five reasons why seclusion after child birth is important in traditional African communities. (5marks)

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**46. 2005 Q 13**  
List five duties of diviners in traditional African communities (5marks)

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**47. 2005 Q 14**  
Write down five reasons why disputes over land were rare in traditional African communities. (5marks)

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**48. 2005 Q 5a,b ( pp 2)**  
(a) Discuss the factors that promote harmony and mutual responsibility in traditional African communities. (8 marks)

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- (b) What changes are taking place in property ownership in traditional African communities (10 marks)
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**49. 2006 Q 6**

- (a) Explain the importance of rituals performed during a naming ceremony in traditional African communities. (10 marks)
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- (b) Identify the moral values acquire during marriage in traditional African communities ( 5 marks)

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(c) Why is death feared in traditional African communities? ( 5 marks)

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**50. 2006 Q 1c**

(c) What are the consequences of breaking taboos in traditional African communities? ( 5 marks)

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**51. 2007 Q 6**

(a) What changes have taken place in the rite of initiation in Kenya today? (8marks)

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(b) Identify moral values taught to the youths during initiation to adulthood in traditional African communities (6 marks)

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(c) Give reasons why female circumcision is being discouraged in Kenya today (6 marks)

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**52. 2008 Q 6**

(a) Identify practices in Traditional African communities that show their beliefs in life after death (8marks)

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(b) State **six** requirements that one had to fulfill to be made an elder in Traditional African society (6marks)

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(c) Identify the factors that are undermining the role of elders in Kenya today (6marks)

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53. 2009 Q 2b

(b) Give **seven** similarities between the Jewish and traditional African practice of circumcision. (7 marks)

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54. 2009 Q 6

a) Outline six rituals performed during the birth of a baby in traditional African Communities. (6 marks)

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(b) Give **six** reasons why children are important in traditional African communities (6 marks)

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(c) Explain **four** ways children are made responsible members in traditional African Communities

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**55. 2010 Q 3c**  
(c) Why is killing condemned in traditional African communities? (6 marks)

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**56. 2010 Q 6a,b**  
(a) Name **six** places in which sacrifices are carried out in traditional African communities. (6 marks)

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(b) Give **seven** reasons why sacrifices are made in traditional African communities. (7 marks)

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**57. 2010 Q 5a ( pp 2)**

(a) State **four** similarities between the Christian and traditional African view on marriage. (8 marks)

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**58. 2011 Q 6a**

a) Describe the traditional African view of a community. (8 marks)

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**59. 2011 Q 6b ( pp 2)**

b) State seven methods of disciplining errant members in traditional African communities. (7 marks)

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**60. 2012 Q6 P1**

(a) Describe five ways in which people in traditional African communities communicate with God. (5marks)

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(b) Give eight reasons for singing and dancing during initiation ceremonies in traditional African communities.

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(c) Give seven reasons why witchcraft is feared in tradition African communities (7marks)

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