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**SECOND TERM: E-LEARNING NOTES  
JS 3 (BASIC 9)**

**SUBJECT: CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS STUDIES  
SCHEME OF WORK**

**WEEK TOPIC**

1. **Revision and correction of first term's work.**
2. **The Ministry of Peter:** (a) Peter and Simon the Magician (Sorcerer) (b) Healing miracles of Peter: (i) Raising of Dorcas from Death. Acts 9:32-42.
3. **The Ministry of Peter:** (c) Peter Converts Cornelius Acts 11:1-18, (d) Peter defends his action in Cornelius' house. Acts 11:1-18. (e) The Detention of Peter and his divine release from Herod's prison and death. Acts 12:1-24
4. **Paul's Early Life and His Conversion:** (a) Paul's Nativity and Education Acts 22:1-5; 26-38. (b) Paul's persecution of the early Church. Acts 7:57-58; 8:1-3; (c) Paul's Conversion Acts 9:1-19.
5. **The Missionary Activities of Paul:** (a) Paul's first Missionary Journey Acts 13 and 14. (b) The Church council at Jerusalem. Acts 15:1-35.
6. **The Missionary Activities of Paul:** (c) Paul's second Missionary Journey. Acts 15: 36-38; 18:22 (d) Paul's third Missionary Journey. Acts 18:23-28.
7. **Some of Paul's Teaching:** Paul's teaching on: Dignity of Labour. 2Thess. 3:6-15; Col. 3:23. (ii) Paul's teaching on: Obedience to constituted authority. Rom.13:1-7, Eph. 6:5-8. (iii) Paul's teaching on: Love, 1Cor.13; Rom.13:8-10.
8. **Paul and his Trials:** (a) Paul's arrival at Jerusalem and his arrest. Acts 21:17-40. (b) Paul before the Jewish Council (The Sanhedrin) and the plot to kill him. Acts 22:30-33, 35. (c) Paul before Roman Governors (Felix, Festus and King Agrippa) and his appeal to Rome. Acts 25: 1-21; (i) Felix –Acts 24:1-27, Festus and Agrippa- Acts 25:22; 26:1-32.
9. **The Growth of the Church:** (a) The Great Commission. Matt.28: 19-20; Mark 16:15-16; Luke 24: 47; Acts 1:8. (b) The Orthodox Churches e.g. Roman Catholic Mission, Anglican, Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, EWCA, etc (c) Indigenous Churches e.g. Cherubim and Seraphim, Celestial Church of Christ, CAC, etc.
10. **The Growth of the Church:** (d) Pentecostal Churches e.g. Deeper Life Bible Church, The Redeemed Christian Church of God, Winners Chapel, Church of God Mission, etc. (e) Marks of growth in the church e.g. organizing crusades, Revivals, Vigils, prayer meetings, miracles etc. Acts 2:1-end.
11. **Revision**
12. **Examination.**

**WEEK 1: Revision and correction of first term's work.**

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**WEEK 2:**

**TOPIC: THE MINISTRY OF PETER:**

**CONTENTS: 1. Peter and Simon the Magician (Sorcerer) Acts 8:14-25.**

**2. Healing miracles of Peter: (i) Raising of Dorcas from death. Acts 9: 32-42.**

**Sub –Topic 1: Peter and Simon, the Magician (Acts 8:14-25)**

Peter was the first apostle to be called by Jesus during His earthly ministry. The name, "Peter" means **Rock**. After the resurrection of Jesus, he was appointed to lead the Church of Christ. Thus; Jesus reiterated during Peter's commission: **"..... I will give you the key of the kingdom of heaven and whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven"** Hence, Peter became the superintendent of the Church after the death, resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ. It was Peter that announced and supervised the replacement of Judas by Matthias. During the ministry of Peter, he manifested the power of God by the leading of the Holy Spirit. One of the miraculous activities in Peter's ministry was his encounter Simon, the Magician. The early Church encountered untold persecution and the bitter experience made them to flee Jerusalem for other places to seek a refuge. However, while they were staying there, they would preach the undiluted gospel message which would convict many to be converted. Philip went down to Samaria, preached the gospel, healed the sick and delivered the oppressed. There was a great joy in Samaria and many were converted to Christ including Simon, the Magician. Simon forfeited the practice of magic and...