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RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Unit K World Religions 2:
Christianity OR Judaism OR
Islam 1 The Way of Submission

Thursday 19 May 2016

Morning

Time allowed: 1 hour 15 minutes

Materials

For this paper you must have:

- an AQA 8-page answer book.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Paper Reference** is RSS10.
- Choose **one** section only.
 - Section A Christianity page 2 or
 - Section B Judaism page 4 or
 - Section C Islam 1 The Way of Submission page 6
- Answer **two** questions in the section you have chosen. Each question has **two** parts. Answer **both** parts of each question chosen.
- Do all rough work in your answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 90.
- In each question, the first part tests your knowledge and understanding. The second part tests your skills of reasoning and evaluation.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

Section A Christianity

Answer **two** questions.

Each question has **two** parts. Answer **both** parts of each question chosen.

Question 1 Some beliefs about God: Trinity and salvation

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 Examine the beliefs about **both** Jesus and the Holy Spirit as found in the creeds.
[30 marks]

and

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 'The Holy Spirit is the most important part of the Trinity for Christians today.'
Assess this claim.
[15 marks]

Question 2 Christian scriptures: nature and purpose

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 Outline the different ways scripture is used in Christian churches **and** explain how scripture is treated.
[30 marks]

and

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 'Too much importance is given to scripture by Christians today'.
How far do you agree?
[15 marks]

Question 3 Aspects of Christian worship

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 Outline the practices of the eucharist **and** examine the different Christian beliefs about the eucharist.
[30 marks]

and

0	6
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 'The eucharist should be at the centre of all Christian services.'
Assess this claim.
[15 marks]

Question 4 A Christian way of life; initiation, marriage and death

0 7 Explain **both** the beliefs about, and practices of believers' baptism.

[30 marks]

and

0 8 'True baptism can only ever be for believers.'

Assess this claim.

[15 marks]

Turn over for Section B

Turn over ►

Section B JudaismAnswer **two** questions.Each question has **two** parts. Answer **both** parts of each question chosen.

Question 5 God and his people

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 Examine ideas found in the Psalms about the nature of God.**[30 marks]**

and

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 'Ideas about God found in the Psalms are still relevant for Jews in the 21st century.'

How far do you agree?

[15 marks]**Question 6 Scripture**

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 Explain why **both** written law (Tanak) and oral law (Talmud) are seen as the word of God.**[30 marks]**

and

1	2
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 'For Jews, the written law always has more authority than the oral law.'

Assess this view.

[15 marks]**Question 7 Aspects of worship and festivals**

1	3
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 Examine the ways in which Shabbat is observed in the home.**[30 marks]**

and

1	4
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 'Observance in the home is the most important aspect of Shabbat'.

How far do you agree?

[15 marks]

Question 8 Styles of Judaism: Orthodox and Reform beliefs and practices

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 Examine the views of **both** Orthodox and Reform Jews about the land of Israel.
[30 marks]

and

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 'The land of Israel is important only to Jews who live there.'
Assess this claim.
[15 marks]

Turn over for Section C

Turn over ►

Section C Islam 1 The Way of Submission

Answer **two** questions.

Each question has **two** parts. Answer **both** parts of each question chosen.

Question 9 The Qur'an

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Outline the nature of **both** the hadith and the sunnah, **and** explain their importance.

[30 marks]

and

1	8
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'The Qur'an makes the hadith and sunnah unnecessary.'

Assess this claim.

[15 marks]

Question 10 The Five Pillars

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Outline what is meant by the 'ideal' Muslim character **and** explain the importance of Sawm in the development of this ideal.

[30 marks]

and

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'Failing to fast does not make one a 'bad' Muslim.'

Assess this claim.

[15 marks]

Question 11 The doctrine of God

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Examine the ways the concept of Tawhid reflects Muslim ideas on humanity's relationship with God.

[30 marks]

and

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'The relationship between God and the Muslim community is more important than the relationship between God and individual Muslims.'

Assess this claim.

[15 marks]

Question 12 Key beliefs

2	3
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 Explain the authority of Muhammad as the seal of the prophets.

[30 marks]

and

2	4
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 'A Muslim must believe in all the prophets.'

How far do you agree?

[15 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS

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