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## Religious Studies

### Assessment Unit AS 3

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An Introduction to Old Testament  
Covenant and Prophecy

[AR131]

FRIDAY 11 JUNE, MORNING

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#### TIME

1 hour 20 minutes.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number on the Answer Booklet provided.  
Answer **one** question from Section A and **one** question from Section B.

#### INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 100.  
Quality of written communication will be assessed in **all** questions.  
Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

#### ADVICE TO CANDIDATES

You are advised to take account of the marks for each question or part question in allocating the available examination time.

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## Section A

Answer **one** question from Section A.

- 1 (a) Give an account of the confrontation between Nathan and King David and its significance. [35]
- (b) Comment on the view that David's religious faith in God was weak. Justify your answer. [15]
- 2 (a) Describe the events immediately after Mount Carmel, including Elijah's experience of God at Mount Horeb. [35]
- (b) Explain the claim that Yahweh was truly a jealous God. Justify your answer. [15]

## Section B

Answer **one** question from Section B.

- 3 (a) Explain the central themes of the teaching of the prophet Amos. [35]
- (b) With reference to other aspects of human experience, explore the relevance of moral responsibility for the religious believer. Justify your answer. [15]
- 4 (a) Give an account of the teaching of the prophet Micah on the theme of judgement. [35]
- (b) With reference to other aspects of human experience, comment on the view that the removal of injustice remains society's greatest challenge. Justify your answer. [15]

