



General Certificate of Education
Advanced Subsidiary Examination
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Archaeology

ARCH1

Unit 1 The Archaeology of Religion and Ritual

Thursday 10 January 2013 1.30 pm to 2.45 pm

For this paper you must have:

- an AQA 12-page answer book.

Time allowed

- 1 hour 15 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Examining Body** for this paper is AQA. The **Paper Reference** is ARCH1.
- Answer **six** questions.
Answer the **three** compulsory questions in Section A, **one** question from Section B and **two** questions from Section C.
- Do all rough work in your answer book. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 60.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

Advice

- You are advised to spend about 40 minutes answering Section C.

Section A: The Terminology of Religion and Ritual

Answer **all** the questions from this section.

Your archaeological examples may be drawn from one or more periods.

Question 1

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 Giving at least **one** archaeological example, explain what is meant by worldview.
(5 marks)

Question 2

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 Giving at least **one** archaeological example, explain what is meant by rites of passage.
(5 marks)

Question 3

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 Giving at least **one** archaeological example, explain what is meant by totemism.
(5 marks)

Section B: Religion and Ritual of Prescribed Sites

Answer **one** question from this section.

Choose one of the following periods and its associated site and use your own knowledge and understanding of this site. You must focus on the religious and ritual aspects of the site that you choose.

Prehistoric Europe 30 000BC to AD43**Question 4**

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 In the context of religion and ritual, explain the significance of Vedbaek. *(15 marks)*

Ancient Egypt 3000BC to 50BC**Question 5**

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 In the context of religion and ritual, explain the significance of the Tomb of Nebamun. *(15 marks)*

Roman Europe 753BC to AD410**Question 6**

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 In the context of religion and ritual, explain the significance of the Roman Lady from Spitalfields Market. *(15 marks)*

Turn over for the next question

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Section C: Religion and Ritual in Cultural Context

Answer any **two** questions, either from the same culture or from two different ones.

In answering the questions you should make reference to archaeological sites and evidence.

Prehistoric Europe 30 000BC to AD43**Question 7**

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 Outline Bronze Age funerary practices. *(15 marks)*

Question 8

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 Explain the typical features of megalithic monuments. *(15 marks)*

Question 9

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 Outline the practice of votive deposition in prehistoric Europe. *(15 marks)*

Question 10

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 Compare two different types of Iron Age burial. *(15 marks)*

Ancient Egypt 3000BC to 50BC**Question 11**

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 Outline the archaeological evidence for the nature and purpose of the 'Heb Sed Festival'. *(15 marks)*

Question 12

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 Compare two different types of Egyptian tomb. *(15 marks)*

Question 13

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 Explain the archaeological evidence for the role of the deities Ma'at and Seth in Egyptian religion. *(15 marks)*

Question 14

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 Explain how the Egyptians used magic to protect themselves in life and death. *(15 marks)*

Turn over for the next question

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Roman Europe 753BC to AD410**Question 15**

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 Outline the range of archaeological evidence for ritual activity along Hadrian's Wall. *(15 marks)*

Question 16

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 What evidence is there for animal sacrifice in Roman Europe? *(15 marks)*

Question 17

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 Outline the evidence for the practice of animism as a component of Roman religion. *(15 marks)*

Question 18

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 Compare the evidence for two different forms of temple in Roman Europe. *(15 marks)*

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