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## Religious Studies

Assessment Unit A2 9

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Module 9: Exploring Connections:  
Synoptic Assessment Unit

[A2R91]

TUESDAY 2 JUNE, AFTERNOON

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### TIME

1 hour.

### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number on the Answer Booklet provided.  
Answer **one** question only.

### INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 40.  
Both questions carry equal marks.  
Quality of written communication will be assessed in **all** questions.

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## **Theme of Faith**

- 1 (a) With reference to at least **two** different areas of study, discuss some major issues or questions arising from the concept of faith. [20]
- (b) Critically assess how the issues or questions that you have considered are relevant to other aspects of human experience. [20]

## **Theme of Sin / Alienation**

- 2 (a) With reference to at least **two** different areas of study, discuss the contribution of some key people **or** traditions to the concept of sin / alienation. [20]
- (b) Critically assess how the contributions that you have considered are relevant to other aspects of human experience. [20]

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**THIS IS THE END OF THE QUESTION PAPER**

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