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OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS General Certificate of Education Advanced Subsidiary

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

RELIGIOUS ETHICS 2 (AS)

Thursday 9 JUNE 2005 Afternoon 1 hour

Additional materials: Answer paper

TIME 1 hour

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, Centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the answer paper/answer booklet.

Write your answers on the separate answer paper provided.

If you use more than one sheet of paper, fasten the sheets together.

Answer two questions, one from each part.

Do **not** answer two questions from the same part.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.

The quality of your written communication will be taken into account.

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Answer two questions, one from Part 1 and one from Part 2

Part 1

Answer one question from this part.

1	(a)	Explain 's oft' determinism.	[33]]
	(b)	'S oft determinism is an unacceptable compromise.' Discuss.	[17]	
2	(a)	Explain the main features of the ethics of the religion you have studied.	[33]	
	(b)	'People can be good without religion.' Discuss.	[17]	
3	(a)	Explain how religious ethics might be applied to issues of war and peace.	[33]	
	(b)	'A religious believer could never justify war.' Discuss.	[17]	
Part 2				
Answer one question from this part.				
4	(a)	Explain a teleological approach to ethics.	[33]	l
	(b)	'A teleological approach to ethics can easily be defended.' Discuss.	[17]	
5	(a)	Explain a deontological approach to ethics.	[33]	ļ
	(b)	'A deontological approach to ethics can easily be defended.' Discuss.	[17]	
6	(a)	Explain how Kant's theory of duty might be applied to sexual ethics.	[33]	
	(b)	'There is no place for rules in sexual ethics.' Discuss.	[17]]

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