

**ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE
RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

2768

Judaism 1

WEDNESDAY 16 JANUARY 2008

Morning
Time: 1 hour

Additional materials: Answer Booklet (8 pages)



INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name, Centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the answer booklet.
- Write your answers in the separate answer booklet provided.
- If you use extra sheets of paper, fasten the sheets to the answer booklet.
- 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.

This document consists of **2** printed pages.

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

Part 1

Answer **one** question from this part.

- 1 (a) Explain the importance for Jews of the Law in Exodus 20. [33]
(b) 'Judaism could not survive without the Law.' Discuss. [17]
- 2 (a) Explain the purpose of the mitzvot for Jews. [33]
(b) To what extent is it necessary for Jews to keep all mitzvot today? [17]
- 3 (a) Explain how the principles of kashrut are applied in Jewish life. [33]
(b) 'Kashrut divides not unites Jews.' Discuss. [17]

Part 2

Answer **one** question from this part.

- 4 (a) Explain the significance of the various forms of Jewish worship in the home. [33]
(b) 'Worship in the synagogue should be more important for Jews than worship in the home.' Discuss. [17]
- 5 (a) Explain the religious purpose of Shabbat. [33]
(b) 'Observing Shabbat is the most important aspect of Judaism.' Discuss. [17]
- 6 (a) Explain the religious significance of the Pilgrim Festivals for Jews. [33]
(b) 'Shavuot should be the most important of the Pilgrim Festivals.' Discuss. [17]

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