

**ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE
RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

Islam 1

TUESDAY 3 JUNE 2008

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Afternoon
Time: 1 hour

Additional materials (enclosed): None

Additional materials (required):
Answer Booklet (8 pages)



INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided on the Answer Booklet.
- Read each question carefully and make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **two** questions, one from each part.
- Do **not** answer two questions from the same part.
- Write your answers, in blue or black ink, in the separate Answer Booklet provided.
- If you use extra sheets of paper, fasten the sheets to the Answer Booklet.
- Write the number of each question attempted in the grid on the front of the Answer Booklet.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks for each question is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The quality of your written communication will be taken into account.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **100**.

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 why the message of the Qur'an has authority for Muslims. [33]
 (b) To what extent is Surah 1 a perfect summary of the message of the Qur'an? [17]
- 2 (a) Explain the manner in which the Qur'an was compiled by the followers of Muhammad ﷺ. [33]
 (b) To what extent was the revelation to Muhammad ﷺ a 'new' revelation? [17]
- 3 (a) Explain the theological significance of the shahadah. [33]
 (b) 'The shahadah is the most important of the Five Pillars of Islam.' Discuss. [17]

Part 2

Answer **one** question from this part.

- 4 (a) Explain the implications of Ummah for Muslim ethics. [33]
 (b) To what extent is Ummah more important than the individual Muslim? [17]
- 5 (a) Explain the significance of Salat-ul-Jumu'ah for the Muslim community. [33]
 (b) 'All true Muslims should go to Friday prayers at the mosque.' Discuss. [17]
- 6 (a) Explain the theological significance of Jihad. [33]
 (b) 'Believers in God should never fight other people who believe in God.' Discuss with reference to Islam. [17]

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