

**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS**  
**ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE**  
**G571**  
**RELIGIOUS STUDIES**  
**Philosophy of Religion**

**WEDNESDAY 12 JANUARY 2011: Morning**  
**DURATION: 1 hour 30 minutes**

**SUITABLE FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES**

**Candidates answer on the answer booklet.**

**OCR SUPPLIED MATERIALS:**

**8 page answer booklet**  
**(sent with general stationery)**

**OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:**

**None**

**READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF**

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- **Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the answer booklet. Please write clearly and in capital letters.**
- **Use black ink.**
- **Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.**
- **Answer TWO questions.**
- **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 is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.**
- **The total number of marks for this paper is 70.**

**Answer TWO questions.**

- 1 (a) Explain what it means to say that 'God is good'.  
[25]
- (b) To what extent are things only good because God commands them? [10]
- 2 (a) Explain why some creationists do not believe in the Big Bang theory. [25]
- (b) 'Scientists are the only ones who can explain why the universe is here.' Discuss. [10]
- 3 (a) Explain the nature of the problem of evil. [25]
- (b) 'Moral evil may be the fault of humanity but natural evil is God's fault.' Discuss. [10]
- 4 (a) Explain what Kant means by 'Summum Bonum'.  
[25]
- (b) 'The existence of morality is not evidence for the existence of God.' Discuss. [10]



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