



Tuesday 13 May 2014 – Morning

AS GCE RELIGIOUS STUDIES

G578/01 Islam

QUESTION PAPER

Candidates answer on the Answer Booklet.

OCR supplied materials:

- 12 page Answer Booklet
(sent with general stationery)

Other materials required:

None

Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes



INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Complete the boxes on the Answer Booklet with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Use black ink.
- Write the number of each question answered in the margin.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **TWO** questions.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.

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**.
- This document consists of **2** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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Answer **two** questions.

- 1 (a) Explain the theological meaning of the Shahadah. [25]
- (b) To what extent are all the Five Pillars of equal importance in Islam? [10]
- 2 (a) Explain why the Night Journey was significant in the life of Muhammad ﷺ. [25]
- (b) 'The Night Journey reflected the religious influences Muhammad ﷺ experienced in his early life.' Discuss. [10]
- 3 (a) Explain the significance of the preparations and movements when Muslims pray in a mosque. [25]
- (b) 'Intention is more important than action for Muslims.' Discuss. [10]
- 4 (a) Explain what Surah 96 teaches about the revelation and knowledge of Allah. [25]
- (b) To what extent was the Qur'an a new revelation? [10]



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