

**Modified Enlarged 24pt  
OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS**

**Friday 19 May 2023 – Morning**

**AS Level Religious Studies**

**H173/01 Philosophy of Religion**

**Time allowed: 1 hour 15 minutes  
plus your additional time allowance**

**YOU MUST HAVE:  
the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet**

**READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF**



## **INSTRUCTIONS**

**Use black ink.**

**Write your answer to each question in the Answer Booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.**

**Fill in the boxes on the front of the Answer Booklet.**

**Answer ANY TWO questions.**

## **INFORMATION**

**The total mark for this paper is 60.**

**The marks for each question are shown in brackets [ ].**

**Quality of extended response will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (\*).**

## **ADVICE**

**Read each question carefully before you start your answer.**

**Answer any TWO questions.**

**In all your responses, you should:**

**demonstrate knowledge and understanding of religious and philosophical thought and teaching**

**analyse and evaluate aspects of, and approaches to, religion and belief (in a philosophical context), including their significance, influence and study.**

**1\* 'Hume successfully demonstrates that arguments for the existence of God based on observation are weak.' Discuss. [30]**

**2\* 'Plato's Form of the Good is more convincing than Aristotle's Prime Mover.' Discuss. [30]**

**3\* ‘Individual religious experiences are NEVER to be understood as union with a greater power.’ Discuss. [30]**

**END OF QUESTION PAPER**

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