



General Certificate of Secondary Education
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Religious Studies **405004**
(Specification A)
Religious Studies
(Specification A) (Short Course)

Unit 4 Roman Catholicism: Ethics

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Part B

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Answer **either** Question **B5** or Question **B6** on pages 10 to 20 in the answer booklet.

There are 28 marks for each question.

Four of these marks are for Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG).

EITHER**B5 Christian Reconciliation**

B5 (a) Describe what happens during the Sacrament of Reconciliation. *(6 marks)*

B5 (b) 'The Sacrament of Reconciliation is no longer important for Roman Catholics.'

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. Refer to Christian teaching in your answer. *(6 marks)*

B5 (c) Explain what Christians learn from the Parable of the Good Samaritan. Do **not** retell the parable. *(6 marks)*

B5 (d) 'Forgiveness is more important than punishment.'

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. Refer to Christian teaching in your answer. *(6 marks)*

SPaG: *(4 marks)*

TOTAL MARKS FOR THIS QUESTION: *(28 marks)*

Do **not** answer Question B6 if you have answered Question B5.

OR

B6 Christian Vocation

B6 (a) Describe how lay people (the laity) can be active members of the Church. (6 marks)

B6 (b) 'It is very difficult to be a follower of Jesus today.'

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. Refer to Christian teaching in your answer. (6 marks)

B6 (c) Explain why people in religious orders take the vows of poverty, chastity and obedience. (6 marks)

B6 (d) 'Vows taken before God must never be broken.'

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. Refer to Christian teaching in your answer. (6 marks)

SPaG: (4 marks)

TOTAL MARKS FOR THIS QUESTION: (28 marks)

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