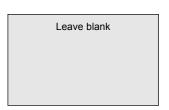
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RELIGIOUS STUDIES (SPECIFICATION C) 3063/8/3 RELIGIOUS STUDIES (SPECIFICATION C) (SHORT COURSE) Paper 3 Hinduism



Tuesday 14 June 2005

1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

No	additional	materials	are	required.
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Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use blue or black ink or ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer all questions.
- Write your answers to Parts A and B in the spaces provided in this booklet.
- Write your answers to Part C on the continuation sheets at the end of this booklet.
- If you use any additional sheets, tie them loosely to the back of the booklet.
- Do all rough work in this booklet or on the continuation sheets. Cross through any work that you do not want marked.

Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 83.
- Mark allocations are shown in brackets.
- You will be awarded up to three marks for quality of written communication.
- You are required to:
 - Present relevant information in a form that suits its purposes.
 - Ensure that text is legible and that spelling, punctuation and grammar are accurate so that the meaning is clear.
 - Use a suitable structure and style of writing.
- Pages 9 and 10 are perforated. You may remove these pages if you wish.

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PART A

Answer all questions in this part in the spaces provided.

A1	The I	Nature of God
	(a)	Who are the partners of Krishna and Rama?
		Krishna
		Rama
	<i>a</i> >	(2 marks)
	(b)	Explain why Hindus worship Shakti.
		(2 marks)
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	Expla	in Hindu beliefs about atman.



A3	Scrip	iptures and Religious Literature							
	(a)	Name two Hindu scriptures.							
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	(b)	Explain the differences between shruti and smriti scriptures.							
		(3 marks)							

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PART B

Answer all questions in this part in the spaces provided.

B4 Matters of Life and Death

Look at this photograph of a funeral procession and answer the questions which follow.



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(a)	Describe Hindu death rites.
	(4 marks)

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B5 Worship and Wealth

Look at this photograph and answer the questions which follow.



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(a)	Describe what Hindus do when visiting a temple for worship.	
		(4 marks)
(b)	Explain what Hinduism teaches about the value of wealth.	
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Explain why Hindus might believe that they have no need to help the poor.	
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Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about 1	more
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PART C

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Answer all questions in this part on pages 11 to 16.

Each question carries 20 marks.

C6 The Four Stages of Life

(a) Describe the four stages of life for a Hindu.

(8 marks)

(b) Explain the importance of the sacred thread ceremony for Hindus.

(7 marks)

(c) "There are so many ceremonies in Hinduism that worship is forgotten."

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. (5 marks)

C7 Brahman and the Created World

(a) Brahma and Vishnu are two of the three gods of the Hindu Triad. Explain the work and the powers of Brahma **and** Vishnu.

(8 marks)

(b) Explain Hindu attitudes to

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OR diet. (7 marks)

(c) "Hindus worship many gods, not one God."

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. (5 marks)

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