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Tuesday 19 May 2020					
Afternoon (Time: 50 minutes)	F	Paper Re	eference 1	RAO/2B	
Religious Studies A					
Paper 2: Area of Study 2 – Study of Second Religion Option 2B – Christianity					
You do not need any other materials. Total Marks					

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer all questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
 - there may be more space than you need.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 51.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets
 - use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.
- The question labelled with an asterisk (*) is the one where the quality of your written communication will be assessed
 - you should take particular care on this question with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the use of specialist terminology.
- The marks available for spelling, punctuation and grammar are clearly indicated.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Question 1: Beliefs and Teachings

1	(a)	Outline three ways a Christian might respond to the problem of evil and suffering.	
			(3)
	(b)	Explain two reasons the Holy Spirit is important to Christians.	(4)

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and au	thority. (5)



In this question, 3 of the marks awarded will be for your spelling, punctuation and grammar and your use of specialist terminology.

*(d) "Believing in life after death makes Christians live better lives."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- refer to Christian teachings
- refer to different Christian points of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

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	Question 2: Pra		
(a	a) Outline three things a local church can do to hel	p the community.	
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In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authorit	ty. (5)



(a) It is more important for Christians to celebrate Easter than Christmas.			
Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.			
In your response you should:refer to Christian teachingsreach a justified conclusion.			
	(12)		



(Total for Question 2 = 24 marks)
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