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Pearson Edexcel
Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)

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Religious Studies B

(Short Course)
Paper 1: Area of Study 1 – Religion and Ethics
Option 1G – Sikhism

Monday 14 May 2018 – Afternoon
Time: 50 minutes

Paper Reference
3RB0/1G

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: Sikh Beliefs

1 (a) Outline **three** ways Sikhs perform sewa.

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(b) Explain **two** Sikh teachings about life after death.

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(c) Explain **two** Sikh beliefs about the nature of human life.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

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

*(d) "God is best described as the Creator."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:
• refer to Sikh teachings
• reach a justified conclusion.

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(Total for Question 1 = 27 marks)

Question 2: Marriage and the Family

2   (a) Outline **three** Sikh teachings about gender discrimination.

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(b) Explain **two** reasons why family planning may be important for Sikhs.

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(c) Explain **two** Sikh teachings about marriage.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

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(d) "Married people should never get divorced."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:
- refer to Sikh teachings
- refer to non-religious points of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

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