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SECTION 1: BELIEFS AND VALUES

You must answer ONE question from this section. Write your answer in the spaces provided.

EITHER

1. (a) What is **Zionism**? (2)
- (b) Outline the beliefs about the Almighty found in the Ten Commandments. (6)
- (c) Explain why the Tenakh is important for Jewish people. (8)
- (d) *‘All Jewish people should expect the Messiah soon.’*
- Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion, showing you have considered another point of view. (4)

Q1

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OR

2. (a) What are the **Nevi'im**? (2)
- (b) Outline how the state of Israel was established. (6)
- (c) Explain why the holiness of the Almighty is important for Jewish people. (8)
- (d) *‘The Almighty is not the creator.’*
- Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion, showing you have considered another point of view. (4)

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SECTION 2: COMMUNITY AND TRADITION

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- 3.** (a) What is **Halakhah**? (2)
- (b) Outline **one** form of synagogue worship. (6)
- (c) Explain why the Codes and Responsa are important for Jewish people. (8)
- (d) *‘It is no longer possible to observe Shabbat properly.’*
Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion, showing you have considered another point of view. (4)

Q3

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OR

- 4.** (a) What is **Shabbat**? (2)
- (b) Describe the role of the Bet Din. (6)
- (c) Explain why Reform Judaism started. (8)
- (d) *‘Attending synagogue keeps you closer to the Almighty.’*
Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion, showing you have considered another point of view. (4)

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SECTION 3: WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION

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5. (a) What is a **yamulkah**? (2)
- (b) Outline how Hanukkah is celebrated. (6)
- (c) Explain why daily prayers are important for Jewish people. (8)
- (d) *‘Yom Kippur is the most important Jewish festival.’*
 Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion, showing you have considered another point of view. (4)
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Q5

OR

6. (a) What is a **tallit**? (2)
- (b) Describe how Sukkot is celebrated. (6)
- (c) Explain why Pesach is important for Jewish people. (8)
- (d) *‘Without fasting and repentance you cannot find the Almighty.’*
 Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion, showing you have considered another point of view. (4)
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SECTION 4: LIVING THE JEWISH LIFE

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7. (a) Who are the **Chevra Kaddisha**? (2)
- (b) Outline the Jewish food laws. (6)
- (c) Explain why coming of age ceremonies are important for Jewish young people. (8)
- (d) *‘Jewish people should try to fit in with the modern world.’*
 Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion, showing you have considered another point of view. (4)

Q7

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OR

8. (a) What does the **Sandek** do? (2)
- (b) Describe the main features of a Jewish funeral. (6)
- (c) Explain why the Mitzvot are important for Jewish life. (8)
- (d) *‘Girls and boys should be treated the same.’*
 Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion, showing you have considered another point of view. In your answer, you should refer to Judaism. (4)

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