



**GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION**  
**RELIGIOUS STUDIES A (World Religion(s))**  
 Sikhism 1 (Beliefs, Special Days, Divisions and Interpretations)

**B581**

Candidates answer on the Question Paper

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None

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None

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Answer any **two** questions, you must answer **all** parts (a–e) of the questions you choose.

1 (a) What is the meaning of Waheguru?

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(b) What is the practice of nam japo?

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(c) Explain how the practice of nam simran might help Sikhs to follow their faith.

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(d) Explain the importance of balancing the practice of nam simran against that of sewa.

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2 (a) How many human Gurus were there?

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(b) Why is Guru Hargobind Dev Ji remembered during the festival of Divali?

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(c) State **three** events which take place during Divali.

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(d) Explain how the life of Guru Nanak Dev Ji might be an example to a Sikh.

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3 (a) What is the Rahit Maryada?

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(b) How is the Rahit Maryada important for Sikhs?

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(c) Give **three** examples of issues covered in the Rahit Maryada.

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(d) Explain the importance of the end of human Gurus for the Sikh faith.

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