

GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

RELIGIOUS STUDIES C (RELIGION AND BELIEF IN TODAY'S WORLD)

Religion and Belief in the Modern World

B611



Candidates answer on the question paper.

OCR supplied materials:

None

Other materials required:

None

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes above. Please write clearly and in capital letters.
- Use black ink.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If additional space is required, you should use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.
- Answer any **two** questions; you must answer all parts (a)-(c) of the two questions that you choose.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **48**.
- Quality of written communication is assessed in all questions.
- This document consists of **12** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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

Religion and Secularisation

- 1 (a) Describe the relationship between religion and the state in **both** of the countries that you have studied.

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- (b)** Explain how secularisation has affected education in **one** of the countries that you have studied.

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- [6]

- (c) ‘Religious Education should not be part of a state-run education system.’

Discuss this statement. You should include different, supported points of view and a personal viewpoint. You must refer to more than one religion/secular philosophy in your answer.

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[Total: 24]

Issues Across the Faiths

- 2 (a)** Describe how religious practices or laws might affect travellers to other countries.

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- (b)** Explain why people might choose to have an arranged marriage.

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- (c) ‘Freedom to take part in any religious practice is a human right.’

Discuss this statement. You should include different, supported points of view and a personal viewpoint. You must refer to more than one religion/secular philosophy in your answer.

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[Total: 24]

The Rise of and Interest in Religious Movements

- 3 (a) Explain how teachings from **one** religious movement you have studied might affect its followers' attitudes to other people.

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- [6]

- (b) Describe how **one** of the religious movements you have studied developed into its modern form.

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- (c) ‘Religious Movements are not religions.’

Discuss this statement. You should include different, supported points of view and a personal viewpoint. You must refer to more than one religion/secular philosophy in your answer.

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