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## **GCSE**

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# RELIGIOUS STUDIES SPECIFICATION A UNIT 2 CHRISTIANITY THROUGH THE GOSPELS

P.M. THURSDAY, 14 June 2012

1 hour 45 minutes

Examiner's use only	Mark
Question 1	
Question 2	
Question 3	
Question 4	
TOTAL	

### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer all questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

If you run out of space in this question-and-answer booklet you may use continuation sheets. Number the questions clearly and enclose your sheets in this question-and-answer booklet.

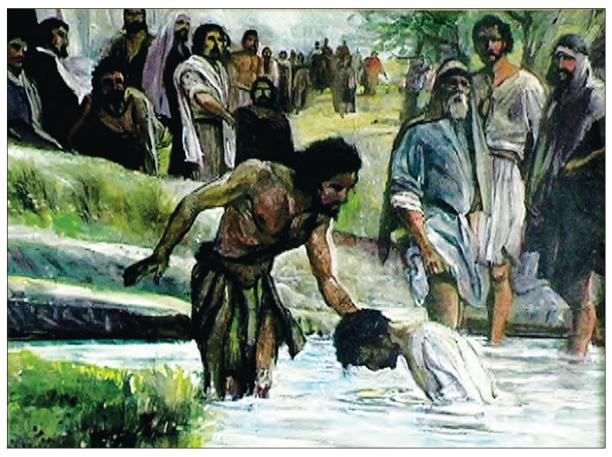
### INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You are reminded that assessment will take into account the Quality of Written Communication used in your answers that involve extended writing (questions 1(e), 2(e), 3(e) and 4(e)).

# Answer all questions.

1. Study the information below and answer the questions which follow.



The Baptism of Jesus

(a)	Describe Jesus' baptism.	[4]
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(b)	Explain why Jesus' baptism is important to Christians.	[4]
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(c)	Explain the benefits of being a member of a Christian community.	[4]
(d)	'Babies should not be baptised.'  Do you agree <b>or</b> disagree? Give <b>two</b> reasons for your answer.	
	(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)	[4]

(e)	'It is difficult being a Christian in Britain today.'  Do you agree? Give reasons or evidence for your answer, showing that considered more than one point of view.  (You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)	you have
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Total mark for Question 1.

2. Study the information below and answer the questions which follow.

Jesus taught many things by the use of parables. One parable describes a man on a journey from Jerusalem to Jericho.

(a)	Describe the parable of the Good Samaritan.	[4]
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(b)	Explain why the parable of the Good Samaritan is important to Christians.	[4]
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(c)	Explain how Christians might obey Jesus' command to love your neighbour.	[4]
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( <i>d</i> )	'What you do is more important than what you believe.'	
	Do you agree <b>or</b> disagree? Give <b>two</b> reasons for your answer. (You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)	[4]
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3. Study the information below and answer the questions which follow.



(a)	Describe Jesus' teaching about the use of wealth.	[4]
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(b)	Explain what Jesus taught about doing good.	[4]
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(c)	Explain how Christians might use their wealth to help others.	[4]
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( <i>d</i> )	'It is impossible to do good in secret.'	
	Do you agree <b>or</b> disagree? Give <b>two</b> reasons for your answer. (You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)	[4]
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(e)	'You should not be a rich Christian.'  Do you agree? Give reasons or evidence for your answer, showing that you have considered more than one point of view.  (You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)  [8]
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4. Study the information below and answer the questions that follow.

In the Lord's Prayer Jesus uses the word 'Father' to describe his and the Christian's relationship with God.

(a)	Describe Jesus' teaching about God as a loving Father.	[4]
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(c)	Explain how Christians show concern for the quality of life of others.	[4]
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(d)	'God is not a loving Father.'	
	Do you agree <b>or</b> disagree? Give <b>two</b> reasons for your answer. (You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)	[4]
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(e)	'It is this life that matters, not the next.'  Do you agree? Give reasons or evidence for your answer, showing that you have considered more than one point of view.  (You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)  [8]
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