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**GCSE**

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**RELIGIOUS STUDIES  
SPECIFICATION A  
UNIT 3: Roman Catholicism 1**

A.M. FRIDAY, 17 May 2013

1 hour 45 minutes

Examiner's use only	Mark
Question 1	
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Question 2	
Question 3	
Question 4	
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**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)).

In addition, your ability to spell, punctuate and use grammar accurately will be assessed in question 1(e).

Answer **all** questions.

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



The empty tomb

(a) Describe the resurrection of Jesus.

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(b) Explain how Lent may be celebrated by Catholics.

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(c) Explain why Advent is important to Catholics.

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(d) 'It is important to follow Jesus' teaching about love.'

Do you agree **or** disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.  
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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(e) ‘Christmas is more important than Easter.’

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]

*Marks for spelling, punctuation and the accurate use of grammar are allocated to this question.* [5]

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



Inside a Roman Catholic Church

(a) Describe the internal features of a Roman Catholic church.

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(b) Explain Catholic beliefs about The Mass.

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(c) Explain why Catholics celebrate rites of passage.

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(d) 'You do not need to go to church to show that you believe in God.'  
Do you agree **or** disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.  
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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

**Human beings are created by God to love one another.**

(a) Describe Catholic teaching about homosexuality. [4]

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(b) Explain what Catholic teaching is about birth control. [4]

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(c) Explain the importance of marriage for Catholics.

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(d) ‘Catholics should marry other Catholics.’

Do you agree **or** disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.  
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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(e) 'Catholic teaching about birth control is out of date.'

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.)

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

**Catholics believe that all human life is important.**

(a) Describe Catholic teaching about abortion.

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(b) Explain what Catholics believe about life after death.

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(c) Explain how Catholic life is challenged in the modern world.

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(d) 'It is difficult to forgive.'

Do you agree **or** disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.  
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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(e) 'Funerals are a time for celebration.'

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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