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RELIGIOUS STUDIES

SPECIFICATION A

UNIT 2: Christianity Through the Gospels

P.M. TUESDAY, 16 June 2015

1 hour 45 minutes

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Question	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
1.	24	
SPaG	5	
2.	24	
3.	24	
4.	24	
Total	101	

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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.

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



Jesus in the wilderness

(a) Describe Jesus' temptations in the wilderness.

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(b) Explain why Jesus' example is important to Christians.

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(c) Explain how Christians might remember Jesus' temptations.

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(d) 'It is impossible not to give in to temptation.'

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) 'Christianity is still important in Britain today.'

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

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

Jesus taught many things about the importance of prayer.

(a) Describe Jesus' teaching on public and private prayer. [4]

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(b) Explain why the Eucharist/Communion service is important to some Christians. [4]

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(c) Explain how Christians might use prayer.

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(d) 'Christians should worship God every day.'

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) 'God always answers prayers.'

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



The Good Samaritan

(a) Describe what Jesus taught about loving your neighbour.

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(b) Explain why Christians believe they should care for others.

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(c) Explain how Christians might show themselves to be good neighbours.

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(d) 'Actions are more important than words.'

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) 'It's not possible to love your enemies.'

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.

The use of wealth is a very important issue to many Christians.

(a) Describe what Jesus taught about doing good secretly. [4]

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(b) Explain why Sunday observance is important to many Christians. [4]

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(c) Explain how Christians might do good secretly.

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(d) 'Live for this life not for the next.'

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) 'Christians should not be wealthy.'

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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