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# RELIGIOUS STUDIES SPECIFICATION A UNIT 7: Islam

P.M. MONDAY, 23 May 2016

1 hour 45 minutes

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Question	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
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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.

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#### 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.



A mosque

[4]	(a) Describe the features of a mosque.

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(b)	Explain how Muslims use a mosque. [4]	Examiner only
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(c)	Explain why din is important for Muslims. [4]	
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(d)	'Imams are the most important people in a Muslim community.'	,
	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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2. Study the information below and answer the questions which follow.

The Qur'an is the most important Muslim holy book.

(a)	Describe Muslim beliefs about the Qur'an.	[4]
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(b)	Explain how Muslims treat the Qur'an with respect.	[4]
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(c)	Explain why angels are important for Muslims.	[4]
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(d)	'The Qur'an is the only important source of authority.'	
	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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'Dress customs are important for Muslim identity.'

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



Muslim bride and groom

(a)	Describe how Muslims marr	[4]
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(b)	Explain why marriage is important to Muslims. [4]	Examiner only
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(c)	Explain the Muslim belief that life is a gift from Allah. [4]	
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(d) 'Muslims should never have sex before marriage.'				
	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)	'The media does not show Islam in a fair way.'					
	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 which follow.

The aqiqah ceremony celebrates the birth of a baby.

(a) Describe a Muslim aqiqah ceremony.	[4]

(b)	Explain the duties of Muslim parents towards their children. [4]	Examir only
(c)	Explain Muslim teachings about life after death. [4]	
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(d)	'It is easy to live as a Muslim in Britain.'				
	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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'Shahadah is the most important Pillar of Faith.'

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