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**GCSE**

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**RELIGIOUS STUDIES  
SPECIFICATION A**

**UNIT 3**

**ROMAN CATHOLICISM 1**

A.M. MONDAY, 23 May 2011

1 hour 45 minutes

Examiner's use only	Mark
<b>Question 1</b>	
<b>Question 2</b>	
<b>Question 3</b>	
<b>Question 4</b>	
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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 the question-and-answer booklet you may use continuation sheets.**

**Number the questions clearly and put 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.

According to the Gospels, before he began his public ministry, Jesus was tempted in the desert by Satan.

(a) Describe the temptations of Jesus in the desert. [4]

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(b) Explain how Catholics celebrate the season of Lent. [4]

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(c) Explain why Catholics believe forgiveness is important.

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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) 'It is easy to forgive.'

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



Pilgrims at the shrine of Lourdes

(a) Describe what religious activities pilgrims might take part in at Lourdes. [4]

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(b) Explain why the Catholic Church teaches that euthanasia is wrong. [4]

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(c) Explain how Catholics may put Jesus' teaching on love for others into practice . [4]

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(d) 'God the Father should make sure that no one suffers.'  
Do you agree or disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.  
You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer. [4]

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(e) 'All Catholics should go on a pilgrimage.'

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 information below and answer the questions which follow.

Catholics believe that the death and resurrection of Jesus brings the hope of eternal life to all.

(a) Describe what happened at the crucifixion of Jesus. [4]

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(b) Explain Catholic beliefs about life after death. [4]

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(c) Explain what happens in a Catholic funeral service.

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(d) 'Funerals are a celebration.'

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) 'Easter is the most important Christian festival.'

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.



A Catholic priest celebrates Mass

(a) Describe the main parts of the Catholic Mass. [4]

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(b) Explain what Catholics believe about the Real Presence. [4]

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(c) Explain how the pastoral role of the Catholic Church supports its members. [4]

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(d) ‘Catholic parents must take their children to Mass every Sunday.’  
Do you agree or disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.  
You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer. [4]

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(e) 'It is more important to love one another than to go to Mass.'

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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