

## Coimisiún na Scrúduithe Stáit State Examinations Commission

### JUNIOR CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION, 2005

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - ORDINARY LEVEL**

Total Marks: 400

THURSDAY, 16 JUNE - AFTERNOON, 2.00 to 4.00

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1. Write your EXAMINATION NUMBER in this box:					
2. WRITE ALL ANSWERS INTO THIS ANS	SWER BOOK.				
3. YOU MUST ATTEMPT ALL 4 SECTIONS	S ON THIS PAPER.				
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#### **SECTION 1**

(80 marks)

YOU SHOULD SPEND ABOUT 20 MINUTES ANSWERING QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION.

YOU MUST ATTEMPT TEN OF THE FOLLOWING TWENTY QUESTIONS.

IN QUESTIONS WHERE YOU ARE REQUIRED TO TICK  $\checkmark$  THE CORRECT BOX, TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY.

(All questions carry 8 marks each)

Abraham was one of the founders / earliest followers of Judaism. (Tick ✓ the correct box)  True   False    False
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One way in which religious belief can find expression is
The religious leaders in the synagogues in Palestine at the time of Jesus were –
(Tick ✓ the correct box)
Essenes Pharisees Romans Zealots
A person's moral vision is his / her view of right or wrong. (Tick ✓ the correct box)
True False
An historical source for information about Jesus of Nazareth is - (Tick ✓ the correct box)
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A creed is a statement of religious belief. (Tick ✓ the correct box)
True False
Confirmation is one example of a Christian sacrament.
Name another Christian sacrament
Muhammad was a religious leader for the earliest followers of Christianity - (Tick ✓ the correct bo
True False
School rules are an example of a moral code.
Name another moral code
The religious court of law in Palestine at the time of Jesus was called the Sanhedrin.
(Tick ✓ the correct box)
True False

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YOU SHOULD SPEND ABOUT 20 MINUTES ANSWERING QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION.

CHOOSE THREE OF THE FOLLOWING PHOTOGRAPHS AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS ON EACH.

(All questions carry 20 marks each)

This is a photograph of Archbishop Diarmuid Martin introducing Bono from the pop Question 1. group, U2, to Pope John Paul II.



Sunday Independent

A.	Pick <b>one</b> thing from the photograph which shows that Archbishop
	Diarmuid Martin is a religious leader in a community of faith.
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	(6 marks)

B. "Archbishop" and "Pope" are titles given to religious leaders. State one other title given to the leader of a community of faith you have studied.

(6 marks)

C.	Describe faith you	-	y a religious	leader	in a co	mmunity	of

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#### This is a photograph of an enclosed religious order launching its website.



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	В.	Why is communication important for a community of faith?
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The Irish Times	C.	Apart from launching a website, describe one other way a

community of faith can encourage communication.

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#### Question 3. This is a photograph of clothes that are worn during religious ceremonies.



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	Name <b>one</b> religious ritual that takes place during a religious ceremony.
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•	Give <b>one</b> reason why people use religious rituals to express their faith.

(8 marks)

#### Question 4. This is a photograph of the monastery in Clonmacnoise, Co. Offaly.



www.asahi-net.or.jp

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	Name <b>one</b> other place of religious importance.	
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,	Give <b>one</b> reason why the place you have named religious importance for people.	above has

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#### YOU SHOULD SPEND ABOUT 20 MINUTES ANSWERING QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION.

The following is an interview given by a member of a religious order who has spent the last 20 years working with children and adults who have severe disabilities or who are dying.

#### READ THE INTERVIEW CAREFULLY AND ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS THAT FOLLOW.

PHIL - FRIEND TO THE DYING

Interviewer: Thanks, Phil, for taking time from your work with the disabled and dying to do this

interview.

Phil: It's no problem.

Interviewer: Phil, you founded several homes to care for seriously ill children and adults. What inspired

you to do this?

Phil: I once heard a story about two people walking along a beach covered in starfish. One

person picks up a starfish to throw it back into the sea. The other says: "Why bother? It won't make a difference; once the sun gets up they'll all be baked dry and die anyway." The person looks down at the starfish and says: "It'll make a difference to this one". Like the

person in this story I felt called to comfort and care for the sick and dying.

Interviewer: Why did you join your religious order?

Phil: Religion was always important in my life. My grandfather did work for the local Church.

After school I trained and worked as a nurse. One day a patient invited me to a service at his Church. There I got to know three members of the order who were very nice to me. But later on a pilgrimage it suddenly struck me that I was going to join the order. I remember sitting in a church and there were tears streaming down my face. I don't know whether they were tears of sorrow or delight. But I knew then that I wanted to be a member of the

religious order.

Interviewer: How did your family react when you told them you were going to join the order?

Phil: My mother didn't like it. She felt I would be wasting my life. As a result I had no contact

with my family for a few years. However, when I opened the home offering special care for

children who were dying, my mother could see the value of what I was doing.

Interviewer: Are you happy that you made the right decision in becoming a member of a religious order?

Phil: It's hard work but it can also be great fun. My work with sick children has broadened my

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		(Source: Adapted from The Sunday Times)	
1.	What does vocation mean?		
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	om your reading of this article describe <b>two</b> things that played a part in Phil's relimination.
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Dh	il said, "when you are caring for people you are walking on holy ground." Outline in your
WC	ords what Phil means by this statement.

YOU SHOULD SPEND ABOUT 60 MINUTES ANSWERING QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION.

#### YOU MUST ATTEMPT FIVE OF THE FOLLOWING SIX QUESTIONS.

(All questions carry 40 marks each)

#### Question 1. COMMUNITIES OF FAITH



This photograph is from a newspaper article describing how people from different Christian denominations in Westport, Co. Mayo, are using the same church building for religious services.

**A.** Explain how sharing the same church building as described above is a good example of community life. Irish Independent (10 marks) a. What is ecumenism? (8 marks) b. In what way is the sharing of the same church building as described above an example of ecumenism?

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_	Outline <b>one</b> other example of ecumenism.	(10 mark
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(16 marks)
b. Outline a story from the sacred text of a world religion you have studied in which the image of God described above can be found.
(16 marks)

# World religions have different places of worship. Tick ✓ one of the following places of worship A. and name the world religion associated with it. Mosque Shrine Synagogue Temple Church World Religion (8 marks) Name **one** religious symbol that can be seen in the place of worship you have ticked above. B. (8 marks) b. Explain the meaning of this religious symbol. (12 marks) C. Describe a religious ceremony for which people gather in the place of worship you have ticked above.

**Question 5.** THE CELEBRATION OF FAITH

Que	stion 6. THE MORAL CHALL	.ENGE	(12 marks)
<b>A.</b>	Tick ✓ the box that show		decisions about the right thing to do. situation below. The first situation has Situation 3
	Two of your friends have a row and are not speaking to each other. You get tickets to a concert and bring them both to it. The row is soon forgotten and they enjoy the concert together.	You have seen a classmate taking another student's schoolbag without permission. The student whose bag has been taken asks if you know anything about the missing bag. You have to decide what to say.	You are organising a class outing to the cinema. One of your classmates uses a wheelchair. You discover that the bus with wheelchair access will cost more. You have to decide whether to go ahead without this classmate or do more fundraising so that no one will be left out.
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	Outline how a morally mature person would decide what is right or wrong in any <b>one</b>
	situations described above.
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	Explain how a person's religious beliefs could influence his / her view of right or wrong in an
	of the situations described above.
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