

London Examinations General Certificate of Education

7560 Religious Studies

Reading List

LONDON EXAMINATIONS

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ORDINARY LEVEL RELIGIOUS STUDIES (7650)

The following books may be of use to candidates studying the Ordinary Level Religious Studies syllabus. Several of the editions listed have been written for the GCSE examination but are of equal value to the GCE examination. It is not intended to suggest that a candidate should attempt to consult all of the books but rather select a few of them for study.

General Commentaries and Reference Books

Author	Title/edition/ISBN	Publisher
Alexander DS	Lion Handbook to the Bible (ISBN: 07459 2150)	Lion, 1992
Barrera JT	The Jewish Bible and the Christian Bible (ISBN: 90 04 10889 0)	Brill, 1998
Peake AS	Commentary on the Bible (ISBN: 0 415 05147 5)	Routledge, 1991

See also Section 6(c)

Section 1

Anderson BW	The Living World of the Old Testament (ISBN: 0 582 02561 3)	Longman, 1998
Bandstra B L	Reading the Old Testament (ISBN: 0534 52727 2)	Wadsworth, 1999
Dillard R B & T Longman III	An introduction to the Old Testament (ISBN: 085 1106536)	Apollos, 1995
Gordon R P	I and II Samuel (ISBN: 1 905774 64 7)	Sheffield Academic Press, 1998
McGonville G	(Teach Yourself) the Old Testament (ISBN: 0 340 62036 6)	Hodder & Stoughton, 1996
Provan IW	I and II Kings (ISBN: 1 85075 802 6)	Sheffield Academic Press, 1997

Section 2

Caird GB	Gospel of St Luke (ISBN: 0 14 013773 4)	Penguin New Testament Commentaries, 1990
Bishop Dimitri	The Kingdom of God: The Sermon on the Mount (ISBN: 88141 116 7)	St Vladimair's Seminary Press, 1992
Guy HA	Gospel of Luke (ISBN: 0 333 11314 4)	Thomas Nelson, 1971
Kee HC & Young FW	The Living World of the New Testament (ISBN: 0 232 51180 2)	Darton L & T, 1972
Knight J	Luke's Gospel (ISBN: 0 415 17322 1)	Routledge, 1998
Lieu J	The Gospel of Luke (ISBN: 0 7162 0516 5)	Epworth, 1997
Morris L	St Luke: An Introduction and Commentary (ISBN: 085111 872 0)	IVP, 1988
Thomson J	Christian Belief and Practice (ISBN: 0 7131 0713 8)	Hodder, 1982
Tuckett CM	Christian Belief and Practice (ISBN: 1 85075 751 8)	Sheffield Academic Press, 1997

Section 3

Dunn JDG	I Corinthians (ISBN: 1 8075 742 9)	Sheffield Academic Press, 1999
Lewis ER	The Acts of the Apostles and Letters of St Paul (ISBN: 0 227 67401 4)	J Clarke, 1960
Marshall I H	The Acts of the Apostles (ISBN: 1 85075 372 5)	Sheffield Academic Press, 1997
Scott Spencer F	Acts (ISBN: 1 85075 817 4)	Sheffield Academic Press, 1997

Section 4

Arberry AJ	The Korean Interpreted (ISBN: 019 283 5017)	OUP, 1983
Dawood NJ	The Koran (ISBN: 014 04455587)	Penguin, 1956
Haleem MA	Understanding the Qu'ran (ISBN: 1 86064 009 5)	
Pickthall MM	The Meaning of the Glorious Qu'ran (ISBN: 1 85075 817 4)	Amana (first printed 1930)

Section 5

Cole WO (ed)	Moral Issues in Six Religions (ISBN: 0 435 30299 X)	Heinemann, 1991
Jenkins, J	Contemporary Moral Issues (ISBN: 0435 30001 6)	Heinemann, 1997
McQuarrie JA & Childress JF	A New Dictionary of Christian Ethics (ISBN: 0 33402204 5)	SCM, 1990
King ML	Strength to Love (ISBN: 0 8006 14410)	Fortress, 1963
Vardy P	The Puzzle of Ethics (ISBN: 0 00628 1443)	Harper Collins, 1997
Biblical Material	e.g. parts of Genesis and Exodus (especially the Ten Commandments), the work of the prophets, the problem of suffering in Job, the teaching of Jesus in the synoptic Gospels, of I Corinthians and Romans.	

Useful addresses for Literature:

British Council of Churches (Publications sec) (B.C.C)
10 Eaton Gate, Solace Square, London SW1

Catholic Institute for International Relations
41 Holland Park, London W11

Christian Aid PO Box No 1, London SW1

Christian Education Movement
Annandale, 2 Chester House, Pages Lane, London N10

Ministry of Overseas Development
Eland House, Stag Place, London SW1

Oxfam 173 Archway Road, Highgate, London N6 5RL

Voluntary Committee on Overseas Aid and Development (V.C.O.A.D.)
Parnell House, 25 Wilton Road, London SW1

War on Want 467 Caledonian Rd, London N7

Lutterworth Press Luke House, Farnham Road, Guildford, Surrey

Section 6 Part (a)

Badani MAZ & A Hamid	Living Islam (CD-ROM) (ISBN: 1 90254000 X)	I-Seek Ltd, 1998
Bogle EC	Islam: Origin & Belief (ISBN: 0 292 70862 9)	University of Texas Press, 1998
Bowker J	What Muslims Believe (ISBN: 1 85168 169 8)	Oneworld, 1998
Chaudri	Muslim Festivals and Ceremonies (ISBN: 0 85525 019 4)	London Mosque, 1983
Elias JJ	Islam (ISBN: 0 415 21165 4)	Routledge, 1999
Gibb HAR	Islam (ISBN: 0 19 888 0170)	OUP, 1986
Guillame A	Islam (ISBN: 14 013555 3)	Penguin, 1990
Horrie C and Chippendale P	What is Islam? (ISBN: 0 352 32636)	Virgin, 1998
Iqbal, Sir M	The Way of the Muslim (ISBN: 0 7175 0632 0)	Stanley Thomas, 1973
Isharc I	Islam and its Festivals (ISBN: 1 897940 67 X)	Sheffield Academic Press, 1999
Maqsood	(Teach Yourself) Islam (ISBN: 0 340 60901 X)	Hodder , 1994

McDermott MY & MM Ahsan	The Muslim Guide: Teachers, Community and Social Administrators in Britain (ISBN: 0 86037 061 5)	Islamic Foundation, 1980
Ruthven M	Islam (ISBN: 0 19 285334 1)	OUP, 1997
Taylor JB	Thinking About Islam (ISBN: 0 7188 2583 7)	Lutterworth, 1983
Tayob A	Islam: A Short Introduction (ISBN: 1 85168 192 2)	Oneworld, 1999
Watt	A Short History of Islam (ISBN: 1 85168 109 4)	Oneworld, 1996

Section 6 Part (b)

Brichts S	"Funny...You don't look Jewish" (ISBN: 1 899044 00 0)	Pilkington, 1994
Domnitz	Thinking About Judaism (ISBN: 0 7188 1823 7)	Lutterworth, 1971
Epstein I	Judaism (ISBN: 014 013552 9)	Penguin, 1990
Fishbone M	Judaism (ISBN: 0 06 062655 0)	Harper & Row, 1987
Forta A	Judaism (ISBN: 0 435 30313 9)	Heinemann, 1989
Pilkington CM	(Teach Yourself) Judaism (ISBN: 0 340 61131 6)	Hodder, 1995
Pilkington CM	Judaism (ISBN: 0 340 51951 7)	Hodder, 1991
Singer S	Authorised Daily Prayer Book (ISBN: 1 85733 255 5)	Via Kuperwaard, 1998

Section 6 Part (c)

Anderson N	The World's Religions (ISBN: 0 80281 636 3)	IVP, 1991
Cole WO	Six religions in the Twentieth Century (ISBN: 0748 72265 3)	Stanley Thomas, 1984

Simmonds D	Believers All: Book of six World Religions (ISBN: 0 174 37057 1)	Nelson, 1984
Singh, B	The Sikhs	Lahore Bookshop, 1999
Singh G	The Sikhs (ISBN: 1 85501 930 2)	Tiger International, 1998
Smart N	Worlds Religions: Old Traditions (ISBN: 0 521 63748 1)	Cambridge, 1989
Whaling F	World's Religious Traditions (ISBN: 0 567 093530)	T&T Clark, 1984
Whiting JRS	Religions of Man (ISBN: 0 85950 655 X)	Stanley Thomas, 1986

Section 7 Part (a)

Cush D	Buddhism (ISBN: 0 340 54691 3)	Hodder, 1994
Erricker C	(Teach Yourself) Buddhism (ISBN: 0 340 62069 2)	Hodder, 1995
Penney S	Buddhism (ISBN:0435 30303 1)	Heinemann, 1998
Snelling	The Bhuddist Handbook (ISBN: 0 71 267112 9)	Rider, 1998

Section 7 Part (b)

Ellinger H	Hinduism (ISBN: 0 334 02602 4)	SCM, 1995
Howley J	Simple Introduction to Hinduism (ISBN: 0 965 3858 33)	Spiritual Guides, 1998
Ions V	Indian Mythology (ISBN: 0 600 32485 9)	Newnes, 1983
Kanitkar H and MacPherson D	Accessing Hinduism (ISBN: 1 901 764 07 9)	Melisende, 1999
Klostermaier KK	Short Introduction to Hinduism (ISBN: 1 85168 163 9)	Oneworld, 1998
Narayan RK	Gods, Demons and Others (ISBN: 0 7493 0606 8)	Mandarin, 1990

Penney S	Hinduism (ISBN: 0 435 304712)	Heinemann, 1988
Sharpe EJ	Thinking About Hinduism (ISBN: 0 7188 27112)	Lutterworth, 1976
Shattuck C	Hinduism (ISBN: 0 415 21163 8)	Routledge, 1999
Yogeshanda S	The Way of the Hindu (ISBN: 0 7175 0626 6)	Hulton, 1973
Kamitkar VC and Cole WO	(Teach Yourself) Hinduism (ISBN: 0 340 61105 7)	Hodder, 1995
Zaehnar RC	Hinduism (ISBN 0 19 8880 12 X)	OUP, 1966