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RELIGIOUS STUDIES
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Answer Section A (Christianity)

and Section E (Issues of Belief and Morality)

and one other Section, on the religion you have studied. Choose

Section B—Hinduism

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Section C—Islam

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Section D—Judaism.

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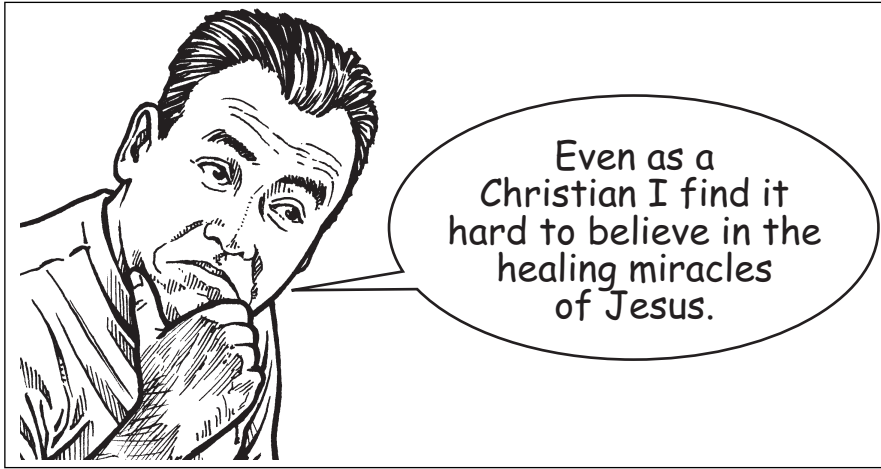


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(c)



Do you think it is hard for Christians today to believe in the healing miracles of Jesus?

Give reasons for your answer.

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1. (continued)

(d) Many Christians try to stop injustice.

Do you think **all** Christians have a duty to stop injustice?

Give reasons for your answer.

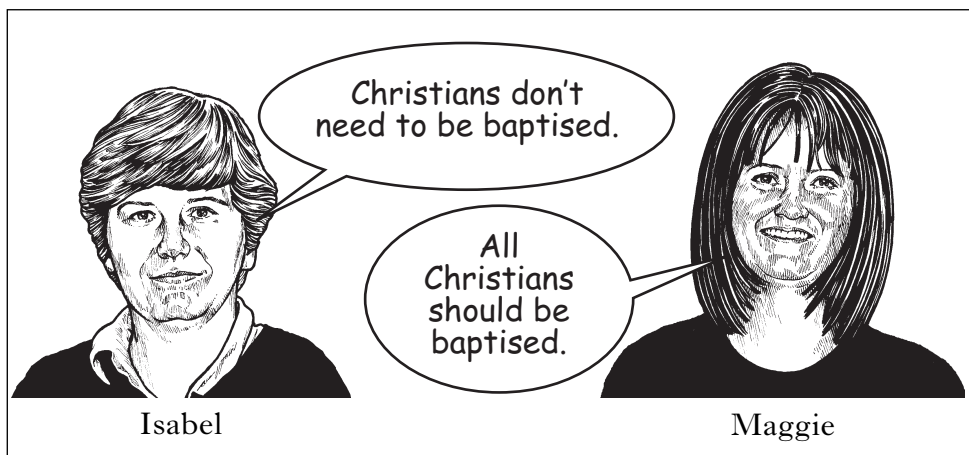
2. (a) Describe **one** type of baptism you have studied.

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(b)



Who do you agree with?

Give reasons for your answer.

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4. (continued)

(b) Hindus can choose their own personal God.

Do you think this is a good idea?

Give reasons for your answer.

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(c) Do you think Puja is the best way for Hindus to learn about God?

Give reasons for your answer.

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5. (a) Muslims believe that God is Alone and God is Creator.
Explain these **two** names of God.

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- (b) Do you think belief in a Creator God will affect how a Muslim treats the Earth?
Give reasons for your answer.

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SECTION D—JUDAISM

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7. (a) Describe how the Egyptians were defeated at the Red Sea.

(b) Do you think the Exodus has any real meaning for Jewish people today? Give reasons for your answer.

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7. (continued)

(c) Jews were given ten Commandments.

List **four** of the Commandments.

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(d) "Sometimes it's hard for Jewish people to keep **all** Ten Commandments."

Do you agree?

Give reasons for your answer.

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8. (a) Explain **two** things which happen at Simchat Torah.

(b) “Jewish pupils should get time off school to celebrate their religious festivals.”
Do you agree?
Give reasons for your answer.

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9. (continued)

(c) “We don’t need religion. Science has all the answers.”

Do you agree?

Give reasons for your answer.

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10. (a) What is euthanasia?

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10. (continued)

(b)



Do you think hospices help people enough?
Give reasons for your answer.

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10. (continued)

(c) “Euthanasia is a medical issue, not a moral issue.”

Do you agree?

Give reasons for your answer.

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