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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

Although the assessment objectives are weighted separately, they are inter-related.

AO1 requires informed insight and awareness of differing viewpoints, and AO2 requires knowledge and understanding of the specification content.

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar Marking Guidance

- The spelling, punctuation and grammar assessment criteria are common to GCSE English Literature, GCSE History, GCSE Geography and GCSE Religious Studies.
- All candidates, whichever subject they are being assessed on, must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Spelling, punctuation and grammar marking criteria should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have demonstrated rather than penalised for errors.
- Examiners should mark according to the marking criteria. All marks on the marking criteria should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the marking criteria are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the marking criteria.
- Examiners should be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the marking criteria.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the marking criteria to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked unless the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.
- Handwriting may make it difficult to see if spelling, punctuation and grammar are correct. Examiners must make every effort to assess spelling, punctuation and grammar fairly and if they genuinely cannot make an assessment, the team leader must be consulted.
- Specialist terms do not always require the use of complex terminology but the vocabulary used should appropriate to the subject and the question.
- Work by candidates with an amanuensis, scribe or typed script should be assessed for spelling, punctuation and grammar.
- Examiners are advised to consider the marking criteria in the following way:
 - o How well does the response communicate the meaning?
 - o What range of specialist terms is used?
 - o How accurate is the spelling, punctuation and grammar?

Unit 5: Religion and Life Based on a Study of Judaism

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
1 (a) AO1	 things that cause suffering that have nothing to do with humans suffering that is caused by natural disasters evil not caused by humans evil caused by natural disasters Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2) 	 evil that is not moral evil natural disasters examples of natural evil Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1) 	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

Question	Answer	Mark
Number 1 (b)	Indicative content	4
AO2	Answers which think that everyone should have a religious upbringing are likely to use such reasons as: • it leads to belief in the Almighty • it provides moral structure • it gives life purpose	7
	Answers which do not think that everyone should have a religious upbringing are likely to use such reasons as: • it is brainwashing • children should have the freedom to choose • some parents are not religious	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows:	
	For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. children should have the freedom to choose)	
	1 mark	
	For a personal response with: • two brief reasons • or one developed reason (e.g. children should have the freedom to choose, otherwise it is brainwashing) 2 marks	
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks	
	For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks	

Question Number	Indicative content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)			
1 (c)		nain ways include:		
AO1	 numinous experience would provide evidence for the existence of the Almighty they could show that the Almighty is able to act in the world an answered prayer would prove to a person that the Almighty listens to them conversion would make a person feel the presence of the Almighty 			
		approaches are possible and must be marked according to the . If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to v.		
Level	Mark	Descriptor		
	0	No rewardable material.		
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: • giving a way • not explaining but only describing The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors.		
Level 2	3-4	Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using two brief ways • or a developed way The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.		
Level 3	5-6	A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using three brief ways • or a fully developed way • or two ways with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.		

Level 4	7-8	A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using four brief ways
		or two developed ways
		or two ways, one brief and one fully developed
		or three ways with one developed
		 or a comprehensive explanation using one way only.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and
		correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary
		where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing
		extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very
		few syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent
		organisation and planning.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
1 (d) AO2	Indicative content Reasons for supporting this statement could be: • the Almighty should be powerful enough to end suffering • the Almighty could make a world free of suffering • the Almighty would show his love by preventing suffering Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: • humans cause suffering • suffering is part of the Almighty's plan	
	 suffering is part of the test of life Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. Award marks as follows: 	
	Candidates who do not refer to Judaism in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons 	3
	 or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	3

Question 1	Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar		
(a, b, c, d)			
		0	Errors severely hinder the meaning of the
		marks	response or candidates do not spell, punctuate
			or use the rules of grammar within the context
			of the demands of the question.
Threshold	Level	1 mark	Candidates spell, punctuate and use the rules of
performance	1		grammar with reasonable accuracy in the
			context of the demands of the question. Any
			errors do not hinder meaning in the response.
			Where required, they use a limited range of
			specialist terms appropriately.
Intermediate	Level	2-3	Candidates spell, punctuate and use the rules of
performance	2	marks	grammar with considerable accuracy and
		general control of meaning in the context of the	
			demands of the question. Where required, they
			use a good range of specialist terms with
			facility.
High	Level	4	Candidates spell, punctuate and use the rules of
performance	3	marks	grammar with consistent accuracy and effective
			control of meaning in the context of the
			demands of the question. Where required, they
			use a wide range of specialist terms adeptly
			and with precision.

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
2 (a) AO1	 an attempt to contact the Almighty (usually through words) communication with the Almighty the act of talking to the Almighty asking the Almighty for something worshipping the Almighty 	 communication an example of a prayer Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1)	someone who prays Answers which define a different key word (0)	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2)			

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	Indicative content	4
2 (b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think the Almighty designed the world, are likely to use such reasons as: the design of the world is so complex it could not have happened by chance the world is designed perfectly the world is so beautiful it must have been designed by the Almighty Answers which do not think the Almighty designed the world, are 	4
	 likely to use such reasons as: the world was made by the Big Bang the world is not perfect there is no evidence the Almighty designed the world Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows:	
	For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. the world is designed perfectly) 1 mark	
	 For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. the world is designed perfectly, the Almighty loves humans so he would design it for them) 	
	2 marks	
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed For a personal response with: 3 marks	
	• two developed reasons 4 marks	

Question Number	Indicative content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)			
2 (c) AO1	 The main ways include: they might make a person think about the Almighty in a positive way they might make a person think that the Almighty is a fantasy they might give information which confirms belief in the Almighty they may portray belief in the Almighty as irrational Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. 			
Level	Mark	Descriptor		
	0	No rewardable material.		
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: • giving a brief way The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors.		
Level 2	3-4	Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using two brief ways • or a developed way The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.		
Level 3	5-6	A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using three brief ways • or a fully developed way • or two ways with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.		

Level 4	7-8	A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by:
		using four brief ways
		or two developed ways
		or two ways, one brief and one fully developed
		or three ways with one developed
		or a comprehensive explanation using one way only.
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		correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary
		where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing
		extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few
		syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent
		organisation and planning.

Question	Answer	Mark	
Number			
2 (d) AO2	 Indicative content Reasons for supporting this statement could be: some people think the Almighty does not exist so miracles cannot happen today miracles cannot happen today as they can be explained by science a miracle is something that breaks the laws of science and this cannot happen Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: the Almighty can do anything including miracles an example of a modern day miracle miracles happened in the Torah so they can still happen today Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are upours of the validity of an engager it must 		
	the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.		
	Award marks as follows:		
	Candidates who do not refer to Judaism in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).		
	(i) Own opinion1 mark fora simple reason		
	2 marks fora developed reasonor two simple reasons		
	 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for 	3	
	 a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for 		
	three simple reasonsor two developed reasonsor a fully developed reason		

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(a, b, c, d)			
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			of the demands of the question.
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			context of the demands of the question. Any
			errors do not hinder meaning in the response.
			Where required, they use a limited range of
			specialist terms appropriately.
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		general control of meaning in the context of the	
			demands of the question. Where required, they
			use a good range of specialist terms with
			facility.
High	Level	4	Candidates spell, punctuate and use the rules of
performance	3	marks	grammar with consistent accuracy and effective
			control of meaning in the context of the
			demands of the question. Where required, they
			use a wide range of specialist terms adeptly
		_	and with precision.

Question	Correct Answer	Partially Correct	Reject	Mark
Number		Answer		
3 (a) AO1	 ending life painlessly when someone in great pain asks for it when someone who is suffering asks and receives help to end their life 	 ending life painlessly when someone is in great pain helping to end someone's life an example of voluntary euthanasia 	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.		

Question Number	Answer	Mar k
3 (b) AO2	Indicative content Answers which think that all Jewish people should be against abortion are likely to use such reasons as: Ilife starts at conception only the Almighty should end a life all life is holy	4
	Answers which do not think that all Jewish people should be against abortion are likely to use such reasons as: • life begins when the baby is born • religious people should try to prevent suffering • people were given free will to make these decisions	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows:	
	For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. Jewish people should try to prevent suffering)	
	 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. Jewish people should try to prevent suffering; a child born with no quality of life would suffer) 	
	2 marks	
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks	
	For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks	

Question	Indicative content				
Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this				
	answ	answer (strands i, ii and iii)			
3 (c) AO1	Indicative content The main reasons include: it is part of the teachings in the Torah it is the teaching of the prophets it is a response to their own sufferings in the past Jewish people will be rewarded for helping others Candidates do not need to name the agency.				
	Other	approaches are possible and must be marked according to the . If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to			
Level	Mark	Descriptor			
	0	No rewardable material.			
Level 1	3-4	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by:			
		command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.			
Level 3	5-6	A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using three brief reasons • or a fully developed reason • or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.			

A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using four brief reasons or two developed reasons or two reasons, one brief and one fully developed or three reasons with one developed or a comprehensive explanation using one reason only. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very fe syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent organisation and planning.
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Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
3 (d) AO2	Indicative content Reasons for supporting this statement could be: it is part of the teachings of the Torah it is a reward for a good life Rabbis teach about life after death	
	Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: • there is no evidence for life after death • life after death is an idea made up to comfort people • there is no way the body can exist after death	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows: Candidates who do not refer to Judaism in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	(i) Own opinion	3
	1 mark for	5
	a simple reason	
	2 marks for	
	a developed reason	
	or two simple reasons	
	3 marks for	
	three simple reasons	
	or two developed reasons	
	or a fully developed reason	
	(ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion	3
	1 mark for	
	a simple reason	
	2 marks for	
	a developed reason	
	or two simple reasons	
	3 marks for	
	three simple reasons	
	or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason	
	or a fully developed reason	

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
4 (a) AO1	 unexplained things which are thought to have spiritual causes (e.g. ghosts, mediums) something that is supernatural 	 examples of the paranormal things that break the laws of science 	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	Any alternative wording of the above point is acceptable.		

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		4
4 (b) AO2	·	
	Answers which do not think the media should be allowed to criticise what religions say about matters of life and death are likely to use such reasons as: • what religions say is only for the benefit of religious followers • by criticising religions the media could cause conflict • the media may be biased Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows:	
	For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. the media may be biased) 1 mark For a personal response with: • two brief reasons • or one developed reason (e.g. the media may be biased and make beliefs about the afterlife appear irrational)	
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks	

Question	Indicative content				
Number		quality of written communication will be assessed in this er (strands i, ii and iii)			
4 (c)		ative content			
AO1	The main ways include:				
	•	they will attend synagogue worship			
	•	they will avoid sinful activity			
	•	they will try to obey the mitzvot			
	•	they will keep the Ten Commandments			
	Other	approaches are possible and must be marked according to the			
		. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to			
	reviev	3			
Level	Mark	Descriptor			
	0	No rewardable material.			
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by:			
		giving a brief way The appropriate like to be in benefit for all the second of t			
		The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing			
		may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible,			
		but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of			
		syntactical and/or spelling errors.			
Level 2	3-4	Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by:			
		using two brief ways			
		or a developed way The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited			
		The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command			
		of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of			
		skills needed			
		to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely			
	to be				
		passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent			
		syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.			
Level 3	5-6	A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically			
		by:			
		using three brief ways			
		or a fully developed way			
		or two ways with one developed. The condidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of			
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will			
		demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective			
		extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some			
		syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.			

Level 4	7-8	A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using four brief ways • or two developed ways • or two ways, one brief and one fully developed • or three ways with one developed • or a comprehensive explanation using one way only.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and correct
		style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing extended writing in
		place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few syntactical and/or
		spelling errors may be found. Excellent organisation and planning.

Question Number	Answer	
4 (d) AO2	Indicative content Reasons for supporting this statement could be: • it is the woman's right to choose • it should be allowed as people make mistakes • it is better than having an unwanted child	
	Reasons for not supporting this statement could be:	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows: Candidates who do not refer to Judaism in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	(i) Own opinion 1 mark for	3
	a simple reason	
	2 marks for	
	a developed reason or two simple reasons	
	or two simple reasons3 marks for	
	three simple reasons	
	 or two developed reasons 	
	 or a fully developed reason 	
	(ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion	3
	1 mark for	
	a simple reason2 marks for	
	a developed reason	
	 or two simple reasons 	
	3 marks for	
	 three simple reasons 	
ı	 or two developed reasons 	
	 or a fully developed reason 	

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Question	Correct Answer	Partially Correct	Reject	Mark
Number		Answer		
5 (a) AO1	 where two sets of children(stepbrothers and stepsisters) become one family after their (divorced) parents marry each other the joining of two adults by marriage who have had previous relationships and children from them a family where there are children from previous relationships a family containing step-siblings Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	 when divorced people are married to new partners a family with children who are not related examples of reconstituted families Any alternative wording of the above point is acceptable. 	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
5 (b) AO2	Indicative content Answers which think sex outside marriage is acceptable are likely to use such reasons as: • it gives a couple the chance to get closer to each other • pre-marital sex is acceptable in society • some couples cannot marry, yet wish to have sex	4
	Answers which do not think sex outside marriage is acceptable are likely to use such reasons as: • it breaks up families • it is against some Jewish religious teachings • it can lead to suffering	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. Award marks as follows:	
	For a personal response with:	
	 one brief reason (e.g. it can lead to suffering) 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. it can lead to suffering as a person might contract an STI) 2 marks 	
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed For a personal response with: 3 marks	
	 two developed reasons 4 marks 	

Question	Indicative content
Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this
	answer (strands i, ii and iii)

5 (c) AO1 Indicative content The main reasons include: • it breaks up the family • it is not good for the community • it may cause unhappiness for the children • the Torah says a couple 'become one flesh' Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.

Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material.	
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by:	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using three brief reasons • or a fully developed reason • or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.	

Level 4 7-8 A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using four brief reasons • or two developed reasons • or two reasons, one brief and one fully developed • or three reasons with one developed The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent

organisation and planning.

Question	Answer	Mark
Number	Indicative content	
5 (d) AO2	Indicative content Reasons for supporting this statement could be: • it interferes with the Almighty's plans for a couple • some rabbis are against it • only the Almighty should decide when life is created	
	 Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: it allows a couple to plan when they have children it can protect the health of the couple the Almighty gave free will for people to make such decisions 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows: Candidates who do not refer to Judaism in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reasons or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason 	3
	 or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
6 (a) AO1	making a new lifecreating a baby	Iife Any alternative wording of the above point is	Answers which define a different key word	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	acceptable. (1)	(0)	

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
6 (b) AO2	Indicative content Answers which think that attitudes towards homosexuality have changed are likely to use such reasons as: • homosexuality is regarded as normal • civil partnerships are legal • celebrities are able to be openly homosexual	4
	Answers which do not think that attitudes towards homosexuality have changed are likely to use such reasons as: • homosexuals are unable to marry in synagogues • some rabbis teach that homosexual activity is not acceptable • it is still regarded as unnatural	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. Award marks as follows:	
	For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. civil partnerships are legal) 1 mark	
	 For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. civil partnerships are legal and equal to married relationships in the eyes of the law) 2 marks 	
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks For a personal response with:	
	For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks	

Question Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)		
6 (c) AO1	 Indicative content The main reasons include: children are a gift from the Almighty raising a family is the main purpose of marriage some contraceptives work by causing early abortions scriptures forbid 'wasting seed' Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. 		
Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material.	
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by:	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using three brief reasons • or a fully developed reason • or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.	

Level 4 7-8 A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using four brief reasons

- or two developed reasons
- or two reasons, one brief and one fully developed
- or three reasons with one developed
- or a comprehensive explanation using one reason only.

The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent organisation and planning.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6 (d) AO2	Indicative content Reasons for supporting this statement could be: • divorce can cause conflict in families • it can lead children to be unhappy • divorce separates the family	
	Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: • it might lead to less conflict in the family • it might be the lesser of two evils • Jewish teaching allows divorce as marriage is a contract	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows: Candidates who do not refer to Judaism in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	(i) Own opinion 1 mark for • a simple reason	3
	 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for 	
	three simple reasonsor two developed reasonsor a fully developed reason	
	 (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for 	3
	a developed reasonor two simple reasons3 marks for	
	three simple reasonsor two developed reasonsor a fully developed reason	

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
7 (a) AO1	 a member of an ethnic group (race) which is much smaller than the majority group a small race living among a larger race Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. 	 an example of an ethnic group Any alternative wording of the above point is acceptable. 	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

Question	Answer	Mark	
Number			
7 (b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think men and women should have equal rights in religion are likely to use such reasons as: they are equal in all other areas of life the Almighty made all people equal it is discrimination to treat women differently 	4	
	Answers which do not think men and women should have equal rights in religion are likely to use such reasons as: • women are made differently to men • traditionally women have different rights • the Torah shows man was made first		
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.		
	Award marks as follows:		
	For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. they are equal in all other areas of life)		
	1 mark		
	 For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. they are equal in all other areas of life and it is outdated to treat them differently) 2 marks 		
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed For a personal response with: 3 marks		
	 two developed reasons 4 marks 		

Question Number	The c	hdicative content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this				
	answ	er (strands i, ii and iii)				
7 (c) AO1	Possik	 a television programme might discuss an issue such as community cohesion a television programme might show the issue of racism by portraying how a community might not work together a film might remind Jewish people and others that community cohesion is not always easy the national press might show community unrest and make a person think that community cohesion is not possible 				
	levels reviev	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the evels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to eview. Only one issue can be credited in this question Only one form of the media can be credited e.g. film				
	is pre	An answer which does not refer to identifiable examples of how the issue s presented cannot go beyond level 2. Multiple examples can come from the same source.				
Level	Mark	Descriptor				
	0	No rewardable material.				
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by:				
Level 2	3-4	Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using two brief reasons • or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.				

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Level 3	5-6	A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by:
		using three brief reasons
		or a fully developed reason
		 or two reasons with one developed.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of
		English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will
		demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective
		extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some
		syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.
Level 4	7-8	A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by:
		 using four brief reasons
		 or two developed reasons
		 or two reasons, one brief and one fully developed
		 or three reasons with one developed
		 or a comprehensive explanation using one reason only.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and
		correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary
		where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing
		extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few
		syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent
		organisation and planning.

Question	Answer	Mark	
Number 7 (d)	Indicative content		
AO2	The carrie content		
	 Reasons for supporting this statement could be: some believe they are the chosen people some Jewish people believe theirs is the only true religion some religious people are taught it is their duty to convert others 		
	 Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: it could cause conflict to try and convert others no one should try and force another person to believe in a certain faith faith is a personal matter 		
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.		
	Award marks as follows: Candidates who do not refer to Judaism in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).		
	(i) Own opinion	3	
	1 mark for		
	a simple reason		
	2 marks for		
	a developed reason		
	or two simple reasons		
	3 marks for		
	three simple reasons		
	 or two developed reasons 		
	or a fully developed reason		
	(ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion	3	
	1 mark for		
	a simple reason2 marks for		
	a developed reasonor two simple reasons		
	3 marks for		
	• three simple reasons		
	 or two developed reasons 		
	or a fully developed reason		

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
8 (a) AO1	 believing some people are inferior or superior without even knowing them a feeling that you are better or worse than someone a preconceived preference or idea an opinion formed without full examination of the facts judging someone before you've met them 	 judging someone pre-judging any example of prejudice Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1) 	Definitions/examples of discrimination Answers which define a different key word (0)	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.			

Question	Answer	Mark		
Number				
8 (b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that living in a multi-ethnic society reduces racism are likely to use such reasons as: a multi-ethnic society gives people the opportunity to become educated about different cultures mixing with people of other races means people are more likely to understand each other children raised in multi-ethnic societies will not be aware of racial differences 	4		
	 Answers which do not think that living in a multi-ethnic society reduces racism are likely to use such reasons as: different races have different cultures which can cause friction different ethnic groups have different expectations which can be difficult to live with and can lead to racism the UK is multi-ethnic and there is still racism Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. 			
	Award marks as follows:			
	For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. different races have different cultures which can cause friction) 1 mark For a personal response with: • two brief reasons			
	 or one developed reason (e.g. different races have different cultures which can cause friction, for example, there have been race riots) 2 marks 			
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks			
	For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks			

Question Number	Indicative content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)		
8 (c) AO1	 The main reasons include: it may cause problems because of assimilation it may cause conflict about the religious upbringing of the children it may cause divisions within/between families it may cause conflict about beliefs about what will happen after death Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the		
	review	If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to .	
Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material.	
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by:	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: • using three brief reasons • or a fully developed reason • or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.	

Level 4 7-8 A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by:

- using four brief reasons
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- or two reasons, one brief and one fully developed
- or three reasons with one developed
- or a comprehensive explanation using one reason only.

The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent organisation and planning.

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8 (d) AO2	(d) Indicative content	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for 	3
	 a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	3

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