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Unit 9: Christianity

1 (a) AO1	What is the catechism?			
Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
1 (a) AO1	 The (official) teachings of the (Roman Catholic)Church. Summary of Catholic teachings. 	 Religious teachings. Guidance on how to live a good life. A book of rules 	 book Answers which define a different key word (0) 	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2)	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1)		

1 (b)	Do you think all Christians should believe in the Virgin Birth?	
AO2 Question	Give two reasons for your point of view Answer	Mark
Number	Answei	WICH K
1 (b) AO2	 1 (b) AO2 Indicative content Answers which think all Christians should believe in the Virgin Birth are likely to use such reasons as: It is the teaching of the Bible It is the teaching of the creeds It shows God was Jesus' father Answers which do not think all Christians should believe in the Virgin Birth are likely to use such reasons as: Some Christians do not accept the literal truth of the Bible A virgin birth is scientifically impossible People can believe in Jesus as the Son of God without believing in the Virgin Birth 	
	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 shows that God was Jesus' father) 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (eg. It shows that God was Jesus' Father and that Jesus is divine.) 	
	For a personal response with: 2 marks • two reasons with one developed 3 marks For a personal response with: 4 marks	
	two developed reasons 4 marks	

1 (c)	Explain why believing in the Holy Spirit is important for Christians.			
A01	Indicative content			
Question Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)			
	The qu			
1 (c) AO1	The main reasons include:			
AUT	•	The Holy Spirit is part of the Trinity.		
		 The Holy Spirit is God's presence in the world today. 		
	•	5 1 5		
	•	The Holy Spirit guides/inspires the teachings of the Church.		
	•	The gifts of the Holy Spirit encourage Christians to follow their faith		
	•	The Holy Spirit can give special gifts e.g. healing and		
		speaking in tongues		
		approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you		
	are ur	nsure 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 reason		
		 not explaining but only describing the issue. 		
		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 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 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.		

1 (d)	"Describing God as 'Father' is out of date."			
AO2	In your answer you should refer to Christianity.			
Question Number	Answer	Mark		
1 (d)		6		
AO2	Indicative content	Ū		
	Decempting this statement could be			
	 Reasons for supporting this statement could be: The language of the Bible is out of date. 			
	 God has no gender. 			
	 The role of the father has changed. 			
	Reasons for not supporting this statement could be:			
	• Jesus told his disciples to call God 'Father'.			
	 The idea of God as father teaches Christians that they can have a personal relationship with God 			
	 The Apostles Creed states that God is to be called 			
	'Father'.			
	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 Christianity 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			
	 or two developed reasons 			
	 or a fully developed reason 			
	 a simple reason and a 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			
	• of two simple reasons 3 marks for			
	three simple reasons			
	 or two developed reasons 			
	or a fully developed reason			
	 a simple reason and a developed reason 			

2 (a) AO1	What is meant by the incarnation?			
Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
2 (a) AO1	 (The belief that) God took human form in Jesus. God becoming Jesus. God becoming flesh / human Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2) 	 Christmas Jesus as the Son of God Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1) 	Being reborn Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

2 (b)	Do you think God should only be described as 'One'?		
AO2	Give two reasons for your point of view.		
Question Number	Answer	Mark	
2 (b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think God should only be described as 'One' are likely to use such reasons as: The Church teaches that there is only one God. The Ten Commandments says there is only one God. God is omnipotent, so God has to be One. Answers which do not think God should only be described as 'One' are likely to use such reasons as: 	4	
	 Christians believe in the Trinity The three parts of the Trinity have appeared at the same time It is impossible for three "persons" to be one. Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are uppure of the unlidity of an approach same the same the same time.		
	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. Christians believe in the Trinity) 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. As Christians believe in the Trinity and it has three parts God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit so they believe in three, not one God.) 2marks For a personal response with: 		
	 two reasons with one developed S marks For a personal response with: two developed reasons 4 marks 		

2 (c)	Explain why it is important for Christians to love God.		
AO1			
Question Number	Indicative content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)		
2 (c)	The main reasons include:		
AO1	 Jesus taught that loving God is the most important commandment. 		
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	•	The love of God gives Christians strength to spread the good news about	
		God.	
	•	• It is through the love of God that Christians find the inspiration to show	
		their love of others.	
	•	Christians should love God because he loved the world so much he	
		sacrificed his only Son.	
	Othor	approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you	
		approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you nsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
Level	Mark		
20101	0	No rewardable material.	
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by:	
		 giving a brief reason 	
		 not explaining but only describing the issue. 	
		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 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 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.	
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2 (d) AO2	"Christians cannot achieve salvation on their own."		
Question	Answer	Mark	
Number			
2 (d) AO2	Indicative content	6	
	 Reasons for supporting this statement could be: Receiving the Eucharist is a community action. Salvation is made possible through baptism in church. Christians hear and are taught the Christian message of salvation by others. 		
	 Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: Salvation is achieved by leading a good Christian life Salvation comes through having faith Some Christians worship privately. 		
	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 Christianity 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 or two developed reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason a simple reason and a 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 a simple reason and a developed reason 		

3 (a) AO1	What are Nonconformist Churches?			
Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
3 (a) AO1	 Protestant Christians separated from the Church of England (e.g. Methodist) Protestants who are not a member of the Church of England. Churches who do not conform to the Church of England Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2) 	 One correct example e.g. Methodist, Baptist, Salvation Army A person who does not follow established beliefs. Not a member of Church of England. Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. 	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

3 (b)	Do you think bishops have the most important role in the Roman Catholic Church?	
AO2	Give two reasons for your point of view.	
Question Number	Answer	Mark
3 (b) AO2	Indicative content	4
	 Answers which think bishops have the most important role in the Roman Catholic Church are likely to use such reasons as: They act as a link between the diocese and Rome They are responsible for ensuring that all Catholics in the diocese follow the teachings of the Church They are responsible for ordaining and disciplining the priests in their area 	
	 Answers which do not think bishops have the most important role in the Roman Catholic Church are likely to use such reasons as: The Pope is the Head of the Catholic Church All roles are equally important The parish priest administers most of the sacraments to his church 	
	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 (eg the Pope is the Head of the Catholic Church.) For a personal response with: 	
	 two brief reasons or one developed reason (eg the Pope is the Head of the Catholic Church and his authority can be traced back to St Peter.) 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 reasons4 marks	

3 (c)	Explain why the Church is a means to faith for most Christians.		
A01			
Question	Indicative content		
Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)		
3 (c) AO1	 The main reasons include: The Church keeps alive the true faith through the apostolic succession The way to faith is through the Bible and the Church interprets this for Christians today Christians need support and guidance in their faith the Church provides this The way to faith is through the traditions of the Church Answers which do not refer to the Church (with capital C) cannot go beyond level 2. 		
		approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you usure 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 reason not explaining but only describing the issue. 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:	
	F (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 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. 	

4 (a) AO1 Question Number	What is the papacy? Correct Answer Partially Correct Answer Reject			Mark
4 (a) AO1	 The office of the Pope. The position of the Pope The period of time a Pope rules Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2) 	 The Pope The authority of the Church The Bishop of Rome An example of a Pope. Any alternative wording of the above point is acceptable. (1) 	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

4 (b)	Do you think the Bible should be the only authority for Christians today?	
AO2	Give two reasons for your point of view.	Mark
Question Number	Answer	
4 (b) AO2	(b) Indicative content	
	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(eg it is outdated as it was written a long time ago.) 1 mark For a personal response with: • two brief reasons • or one developed reason (eg it is outdated as it was written a long time ago for example St Paul said woman should not teach in church.) 2 marks For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks For a personal response with: • two developed reasons	

4 (c)	Evolain	why some Christians believe that the clergy should be celibate.	
AO1	Explain why some christians believe that the elergy should be celibate.		
Question	Indicative content		
Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)		
4 (c) AO1	 The main reasons include: As the priest represents Jesus at the Mass therefore he must be celibate like him. It allows a priest to be completely devoted to God It allows a priest to be completely devoted to their parish St Paul recommended celibacy as the best way of living 		
		approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you nsure 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 reason not explaining but only describing the issue. 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		
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 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. 	

4 (d)	"The Virgin Mary is the best role model for Christians."	
AO2	In your answer you should refer to Christianity.	
Question	Answer	Mark
Number	Indiantive content	/
4 (d) AO2	Indicative content Reasons for supporting this statement could be:	6
	 The Virgin Mary followed God without questioning The Virgin Mary through her life showed love for Jesus The Virgin Mary throughout her life showed many qualities that Christians should copy 	
	Reasons for not supporting this statement could be:	
	 Jesus is the only role model Christians need She lived a long time ago so a more modern person is better The Virgin Mary is not important for all Christians. 	
	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 Christianity 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 or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason a simple reason and a 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 	
	 or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason a simple reason and a developed reason 	

5 (a) AO1	What is Advent?			
Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
5 (a) AO1	 A time of (spiritual) preparation for Christmas. The four weeks before Christmas Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2) 	 A festival Preparing for Christmas. Preparing for the second coming of Jesus. Any alternative wording of the above point is acceptable. (1) 	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

5 (b) AO2	Do you think that, during the Eucharist, the bread and wine become the body and blood of Jesus?	
	Give two reasons for your point of view	
Question Number	Answer	Mark
5 (b) AO2	Indicative	4
	 Answers which think that, during the Eucharist, the bread and wine become the body and blood of Jesus are likely to use such reasons as: It the teaching of the Catholic Church It is a way that Jesus is really present 	
	Through a personal experience of the Eucharist	
	Answers which do not think that, during the Eucharist, the bread and wine become the body and blood of Jesus are likely to use such reasons as:	
	 The Eucharist just remembers the Last Supper How can you believe in something that is not scientifically possible The bread and wine are just symbols 	
	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 Eucharist just remembers the Last Supper.) 	
	 For a personal response with: two brief reasons 	
	 or one developed reason (eg the Eucharist just remembers the Last Supper and Jesus said take the bread and wine as an act of remembrance.) 2 marks 	
	For a personal response with:3 marks• two reasons with one developed3 marksFor a personal response with:3 marks	
	two developed reasons 4 marks	

5 (c)	Explain why Nonconformist Churches have certain features.			
AO1 Question	Indicative content			
Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)			
5 (c)	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, if and in)			
AO1	The main features and reasons include:			
7.01	• The lectern and pulpit because worship is Bible centred.			
	Baptistery because in the Baptist Church believers'			
		baptism is important.		
	•	 Seating is simple and moveable because charismatic 		
		worship often involves movement and dancing.		
	•	There are no pictures and statues because of the		
	•	commandment to not make idols.		
		There is no altar because they do not believe the		
	•			
		sacraments are needed to get closer to God.		
	Othor	approaches are possible and must be marked according to the lovels. If you		
		approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you nsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.		
	Mark			
Level	-	Descriptor		
1	0	No rewardable material.		
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the features shown, typically by:		
		 giving a brief reason 		
		 not explaining but only describing the fature. 		
		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 features is shown typically by:		
Level 2		 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 features 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 features is shown typically by:		
		 using four brief reasons 		
		or two developed reasons		
		 or three reasons with one developed 		
		 or a comprehensive explanation using one reason only. 		
	<u> </u>	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.

In your answer you should refer to Christianity.		
Answer		
 Indicative content Reasons for supporting this statement could be: The day is a reminder of the sacrifice Jesus made for the world A reminder of the death of Jesus which made it possible for all to achieve salvation Keeping Good Friday gives Christians strength to face suffering in their own lives Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: All the festivals are equally important. Christmas is more important. Easter is more important. 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 	6	
Award marks as follows: Candidates who do not refer to Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot		
 (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 a simple reason and a 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 a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for a developed reasons or two simple reasons 		
	 Reasons for supporting this statement could be: The day is a reminder of the sacrifice Jesus made for the world A reminder of the death of Jesus which made it possible for all to achieve salvation Keeping Good Friday gives Christians strength to face suffering in their own lives Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: All the festivals are equally important. Christmas is more important. Easter is more important. 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 Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d). (i) Own opinion mark for a developed reason or two simple reasons or two developed reason or a simple reason and a developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion marks for a simple reason a marks for a simple reason a marks for a simple reason 	

6 (a) AO1	What is meant by the Mass?			
Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
6 (a) AO1	 The name given to the Eucharist (liturgy) of the (Roman) Catholic Church. A Catholic name for Eucharist a service when the bread and wine are transubstantiated The Sunday service for Catholics. Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2) 	 holy communion a service a sacrament Receiving the body and blood of Jesus Any alternative wording of the above point is acceptable. (1) 	 bread wine Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

6 (b)	Should all Christians be confirmed?	
AO2	Give two reasons for your point of view.	
Question Number	Answer	
6 (b) AO2		
	Answers which think all Christians should be confirmed are likely to offer such reasons as:	
	 it is a public way of showing faith it is how someone becomes a full member of the Church The person is now taking on the baptismal promises made on their behalf for themselves 	
	Answers which do not think all Christians should be confirmed are likely to use such reasons as:	
	 Some Christians practise believers' baptism instead It is living a Christian life not the ceremony that is important Some Christians do not believe sacraments are necessary to get closer to God. 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. Some Christians practise believers' baptism instead) 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons 	
	 or one developed reason (Some Christians practise believers' baptism instead as Jesus was baptised as an adult and not confirmed.) 2 marks 	
	For a personal response with:3 marks• two reasons with one developed3 marksFor a personal response with:3 marks	
	two developed reasons 4 marks	

6 (c)	Explain why Lent is important for most Christians.		
AO1 Question	Indicative content		
Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)		
6 (c) AO1	 The main reasons include: It is a time when Christians think about how they can improve their lives. It is a time to think about others. It time when Christians think about their baptismal vows. It is a time when they can show their devotion to God It is when they can remember Jesus' time in the desert before starting his ministry It is a preparation for Easter. 		
	Other approaches are possible and are unsure of the validity of an an	d must be marked according to the levels. If you swer, it must be sent to review.	
Level	Mark Descriptor		
	0 No rewardable material.		
Level 1	 1-2 Little understanding of the giving a brief reasor not explaining but a 		
	The answer is likely to be in effective writing will not no coherence and will be gene	n basic English. The skills needed to produce ormally be present. The writing may have some erally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and e of syntactical and/or spelling errors.	
Level 2	 using two brief reas or a developed reas The candidate is likely to e of English and little use of to produce effective writin passages which lack clarity 	 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 	
Level 3	 and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 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	 using four brief reas or two developed reasons wit or a comprehensive The candidate is likely to e style of English with a correappropriate. The skills need place. Good organisation and station and station	easons	

6 (d)	"Churches should not have statues and pictures."	
AO2	In your answer you should refer to Christianity.	
Question	Answer	Mark
Number 6 (d)		6
AO2	Indicative content	0
	Decempting this statement could be	
	 Reasons for supporting this statement could be: One of the Ten Commandments is to not make idols 	
	 The statues and pictures can distract people from true 	
	worship	
	They cost money which could spent on helping people	
	Descens for not supporting this statement could be	
	 Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: Statues and pictures give people a focal point when praying 	
	 Statues and pictures give people a rocal point when praying Statues and pictures remind Christians about the important 	
	Christian beliefs	
	• Statues and pictures help to make the church a special place.	
	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 Christianity 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	
	or two developed reasons	
	or a fully developed reason	
	 a simple reason and a 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	
	a simple reason and a developed reason	

7 (a) AO1	What do Christians mean by the a	active life?		
Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
7 (a) AO1	 the life lived by religious orders who work in society (as well as praying) a religious community that helps others . monks or nuns that work in society. Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2) 	 An example of an active religious order Showing love for others Helping people who need it Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1) 	 Answers which do not refer to a Christian context Answers which define a different key word (0) 	2

7 (b)	Do you think giving to charity should be done in secret?	
AO2	Give two reasons for your point of view.	
Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
Number 7 (b) AO2	Indicative content Answers which think that giving to charity should be done in secret are likely to use such reasons as: • Jesus said to give to charity in secret • God will know what they have done • Otherwise you could be a hypocrite Answers which do not think that giving to charity should be done in secret are likely to use such reasons as: • Loving your neighbour is the most important thing not how you do it • Giving it publically might encourage others to give to charity • It does not matter how you give as long as you give 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.	4
	 Award marks as follows: For a personal response with: one brief reason e.g. Jesus said that you should to give to charity in secret. 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (eg Jesus said that you should give to charity in secret. He said making a show of your religion was wrong.) 	
	 For a personal response with: two reasons with one developed 3 marks For a personal response with: two developed reasons 4 marks 	

7 (c)	Explain	how Christians today use the teachings in the Sermon on the Mount about judgement.		
AO1				
Question		Indicative content		
Number	-	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)		
7 (c) AO1	ine w	ways are likely to include:		
AUT	•	they do not critisice others		
	•	they do not get involved in gossip they do not judge a person		
	•	they only judge actions		
	•	they only Judge actions		
		approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you		
	are ur	nsure 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 way 		
		not explaining but only describing the reference		
		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:		
Leverz	3-4	 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 supportional and/or spelling errors are		
		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:		
	, 0	 using four brief way 		
		 or two developed ways 		
		 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.		

7 (d)	"There are some jobs a Christian should not do."		
AO2	In your answer you should refer to Christianity.		
Question	Answer	Mark	
Number			
7 (d) AO2	Indicative content	6	
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	Reasons for supporting this statement could be:		
	Very well paid jobs might distract people from God		
	Some jobs involve exploiting other people Some jobs might require the people.		
	 Some jobs might require Christians to go against the commandment not to kill 		
	Reasons for not supporting this statement could be:		
	 It is not the job you do it is the way you treat people in the 		
	job that is important		
	Christians can show their vocation in other ways not just		
	through their job		
	People need jobs to earn money to support their family		
	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 Christianity 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		
	 or two developed reasons 		
	 or a fully developed reason 		
	a simple reason and a 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 		
	a simple reason and a developed reason		

8 (a) AO1	What is the Law of Moses?			
Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially Correct Answer	Reject	Mark
8 (a) AO1	 The laws God gave to Moses (in the Old Testament). The commandments God gave to Moses Torah Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. 	 The Ten Commandments. The Old Testament. Any alternative wording of the above point is acceptable. (1)	Answers which define a different key word (0)	2

8 (b)	Do you think Christians should still keep the Sabbath day holy?	
AO2	Give two reasons for your point of view.	
Question Number	Answer	Mark
8 (b) AO2	Indicative content	4
	 Answers which think that Christians should still keep the Sabbath day holy are likely to use such reasons as: It is one of the Ten Commandments It is still important to show respect for God it allows people to spend time with their family 	
	Answers which do not think that Christians should still keep the Sabbath day holy are likely to use such reasons as:	
	 Many companies expect people to work on Sundays Times have changed since the commandments were given Many Christians doing caring jobs need to work on the Sabbath 	
	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 is still important to show respect for God today .) 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. It is still important to show respect for God today and keeping the Sabbath day holy allows people time to go church to show this.) 	
	2 marks For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks	

8 (c) AO1	Explain	why some Christians think it is important to work for social and community cohesion.		
Question	Indicative content			
Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii and iii)			
8 (c) AO1	The m	The main reasons include:		
	•	Christians believe they should work to make their community a better place		
	•	Jesus taught they should treat all people as their neighbour Christians should follow Jesus example of treating all people equally Christians believe that all people are equal in Christ so there should be no divisions in a community		
		approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you nsure 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 reason 		
		 not explaining but only describing the issue. 		
		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 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 reasonsor two developed reasons		
		 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.		
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8 (d) AO2	"Sinful thoughts and feelings are as bad as sinful actions." In your answer you should refer to Christianity.	
Question Number	Answer	Mark
8 (d) AO2	Indicative content	6
AUZ	Reasons for supporting this statement could be:	
	 Adultery starts with lustful thoughts Anger/violent thoughts can lead to murder This is what Jesus taught in the Sermon on the Mount 	
	 Reasons for not supporting this statement could be: It is the actions that can hurt others not a thought It is impossible to control our thoughts The law of the country does not punish thoughts only actions 	
	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 Christianity 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 or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason a simple reason and a developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reason 	
	 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason a simple reason and a developed reason 	

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