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# Religious Studies

## Unit 9: Christianity

Monday 23 May 2016 – Afternoon

**Time: 1 hour 30 minutes**

Paper Reference

**5RS09/01**

**You do not need any other materials.**

Total Marks

### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **ONE** question from each of the **four** sections.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 84.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- Questions labelled with an **asterisk** (\*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed  
– *you should take particular care on these questions with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*
- The marks available for spelling, punctuation and grammar are clearly indicated.

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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## SECTION 1 – BELIEFS AND VALUES

You must answer **ONE** question from this section.

**YOU WILL BE ASSESSED ON YOUR SPELLING, PUNCTUATION AND GRAMMAR IN THIS SECTION.**

**EITHER**

- 1 (a) What is meant by **monotheism**? (2)
- (b) Do you think Jesus is the Son of God?  
Give **two** reasons for your point of view. (4)
- \*(c) Explain how a church in a local area (parish) can show love of others. (8)
- (d) "All Christians should believe God created the world."  
In your answer you should refer to Christianity.
- (i) Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion. (3)
- (ii) Give reasons why some people may disagree with you. (3)

**(Total for spelling, punctuation and grammar = 4 marks)**

**(Total for Question 1 = 24 marks)**

**OR**

- 2 (a) What is meant by **faith**? (2)
- (b) Do you think Christians should always 'love their neighbour'?  
Give **two** reasons for your point of view. (4)
- \*(c) Explain why the Trinity is important for Christians. (8)
- (d) "To be saved from sin Christians must go to church."  
In your answer you should refer to Christianity.
- (i) Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion. (3)
- (ii) Give reasons why some people may disagree with you. (3)

**(Total for spelling, punctuation and grammar = 4 marks)**

**(Total for Question 2 = 24 marks)**

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## SECTION 2 – COMMUNITY AND TRADITION

You must answer ONE question from this section.

**EITHER**

- 3** (a) What are the **Orthodox Churches**? (2)
- (b) Do you think Roman Catholic priests should be able to marry?  
Give **two** reasons for your point of view. (4)
- \*(c) Explain why Apostolic Succession is important for Roman Catholics. (8)
- (d) "The Bible is the direct word of God."  
In your answer you should refer to Christianity.
- (i) Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion. (3)
- (ii) Give reasons why some people may disagree with you. (3)

(Total for Question 3 = 20 marks)

**OR**

- 4** (a) What is **ordination**? (2)
- (b) Do you think the Church should have authority for all Christians today?  
Give **two** reasons for your point of view. (4)
- \*(c) Explain the role of a priest or minister in a local church (parish). (8)
- (d) "All Christians should show devotion to the Virgin Mary."  
In your answer you should refer to Christianity.
- (i) Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion. (3)
- (ii) Give reasons why some people may disagree with you. (3)

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### SECTION 3 – WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION

You must answer ONE question from this section.

**EITHER**

- 5 (a) What is **Lent**? (2)
- (b) Do you think Christmas is no longer a religious celebration?  
Give **two** reasons for your point of view. (4)
- \*(c) Explain why Roman Catholic churches have certain features. (8)
- (d) "The Eucharist is simply a time to remember Jesus."  
In your answer you should refer to Christianity.
- (i) Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion. (3)
- (ii) Give reasons why some people may disagree with you. (3)

(Total for Question 5 = 20 marks)

**OR**

- 6 (a) What is **charismatic worship**? (2)
- (b) Do you think it is important for Roman Catholics to go to Mass?  
Give **two** reasons for your point of view. (4)
- \*(c) Explain why Christians celebrate Easter. (8)
- (d) "Only adults should be baptised."  
In your answer you should refer to Christianity.
- (i) Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion. (3)
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## SECTION 4 – LIVING THE CHRISTIAN LIFE

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- 7 (a) What is meant by the **contemplative life**? (2)
- (b) Do you think Christians should show their vocation through their work?  
Give **two** reasons for your point of view. (4)
- \*(c) Explain how Christians use the teachings from the Sermon on the Mount about displaying religion in their daily lives. (8)
- (d) "All Christians should work for community cohesion."  
In your answer you should refer to Christianity.
- (i) Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion. (3)
- (ii) Give reasons why some people may disagree with you. (3)

(Total for Question 7 = 20 marks)

### OR

- 8 (a) What is meant by **the evangelical counsels**? (2)
- (b) Do you think all Christians should help those who are suffering in the UK?  
Give **two** reasons for your point of view. (4)
- \*(c) Explain why Christians use the Ten Commandments as a guide for living. (8)
- (d) "Judging others is always wrong."  
In your answer you should refer to Christianity.
- (i) Do you agree? Give reasons for your opinion. (3)
- (ii) Give reasons why some people may disagree with you. (3)

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