

Religious Studies B

PAPER 2: Area of Study 2 – Religion,
Peace and Conflict

Option 2G – Sikhism

Total Marks

Time: 1 hour 45 minutes

In the boxes below, write your name, centre number and candidate number.

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YOU MUST HAVE

Nil

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Nil

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer ALL questions.

Answer the questions in the spaces provided – there may be more space than you need.

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INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 102.

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 use of specialist terminology.

The marks available for spelling, punctuation and grammar are clearly indicated.

ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.

Try to answer every question.

Check your answers if you have time at the end.

Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Question 1: Sikh Beliefs

- 1 (a) Outline THREE features of the sangat.
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**(b) Explain TWO actions that make a Sikh gurmukh.
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(c) Explain TWO teachings in the Mool Mantar about the nature of God.

**In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.
(5 marks)**

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In this question, 3 of the marks awarded will be for your spelling, punctuation and grammar and your use of specialist terminology.

***(d) “Men and women are treated equally in Sikhism.”**

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- **refer to Sikh teachings**
- **reach a justified conclusion.**

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Question 2: Crime and Punishment

- 2 (a) Outline THREE Sikh teachings about the treatment of criminals.
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**(b) Explain TWO actions taken by Sikhs
to end crime.
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(c) Explain TWO Sikh beliefs about the aims of punishment.

**In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.
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(d) “Suffering cannot be avoided.”

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- **refer to Sikh teachings**
- **refer to non-religious points of view**
- **reach a justified conclusion.**

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Question 3: Living the Sikh Life

- 3 (a) Outline **THREE** reasons why the names Singh and Kaur are important for Sikh identity today.
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**(b) Explain TWO reasons why gurdwarbs may be important for Sikhs.
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(c) Explain TWO events in the history of the langar.

**In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.
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In this question, 3 of the marks awarded will be for your spelling, punctuation and grammar and your use of specialist terminology.

***(d) “Meditating on the name of God is the most important form of worship.”**

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- **refer to Sikh teachings**
- **reach a justified conclusion.**

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Question 4: Peace and Conflict

- 4 (a) Outline **THREE** Sikh teachings about Holy War.
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**(b) Explain TWO Sikh responses to problems involved in conflict.
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(c) Explain TWO Sikh conditions of a Just War.

**In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.
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(d) “All Sikhs should work for peace today.”

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- **refer to Sikh teachings**
- **refer to relevant ethical arguments**
- **reach a justified conclusion.**

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