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Pearson Edexcel Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)

Thursday 16 May 2024

Afternoon (Time: 1 hour 45 minutes)

Paper reference **1RB0/2F**

Religious Studies B

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

Option 2F – Judaism

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

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.

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

Question 1: Jewish Beliefs

- 1** (a) Outline **three** characteristics of the Almighty shown in the Torah.

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- (b) Explain **two** teachings about the Messiah for Jews.

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(c) Explain **two** ways the divine presence is shown in the Torah.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

(5)

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

*(d) "The Covenant between the Almighty and Moses is the most important one for Jews."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you must:

- refer to Jewish teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.

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(Total for Question 1 = 27 marks)



Question 2: Crime and Punishment

- 2 (a) Outline **three** Jewish teachings about why people suffer.

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- (b) Explain **two** Jewish beliefs about how criminals should be treated.

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(c) Explain **two** Jewish attitudes to the death penalty.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

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(d) "Punishment is the same as justice."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you must:

- refer to Jewish teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.

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Question 3: Living the Jewish Life

- 3 (a) Outline **three** features of a synagogue service for the Jewish community.

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- (b) Explain **two** purposes of mourning rituals in Judaism.

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(c) Explain **two** ways the Shema is used by Jews.

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) "Rosh Hashanah is the most important Jewish festival."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you must:

- refer to Jewish teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.

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Question 4: Peace and Conflict

4 (a) Outline **three** Jewish beliefs about reconciliation.

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(b) Explain **two** teachings about Holy War in Judaism.

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(c) Explain **two** Jewish teachings about peacemaking.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

(5)



(d) "Everyone should work to end conflict."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you must:

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

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