AQA

A-level
RELIGIOUS STUDIES
Paper 2B  Study of religion and dialogues: Christianity
7062/2B

Monday 11 June 2018  Morning

Time allowed: 3 hours

For this paper you must have:
• an AQA 16-page answer book.

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INSTRUCTIONS

• Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

• Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The PAPER REFERENCE is 7062/2B.

• Answer:
  – BOTH two-part questions from Section A, and
  – ONE question from Section B, and
  – ONE question from Section C.

• Do all rough work in your answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
INFORMATION

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 100.
- In each two-part question in Section A, the first part tests your knowledge and understanding, while the second part tests your skills of reasoning and evaluation.
- The one-part questions in Sections B and C test your knowledge and understanding and your skills of reasoning and evaluation.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
  - use good English
  - organise information clearly
  - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

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SECTION A: STUDY OF CHRISTIANITY

Answer BOTH questions in this section.
Each question has two parts.

QUESTION 1

01.1 Examine Christian beliefs about God as Personal.
[10 marks]

AND

01.2 ‘There is little agreement in Christianity about the nature of life after death.’

Evaluate this claim.
[15 marks]
QUESTION 2

02.1 Examine why there are different Christian views about the place of women in Christianity. [10 marks]

AND

02.2 ‘Christianity has a negative attitude to homosexuals and transgender people.’

Evaluate this claim. [15 marks]

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Critical examination of philosophical understandings of religious experience and their impact on Christian beliefs about the authority of the Bible.

Critically examine and evaluate this view with reference to the dialogue between Christianity and philosophy. [25 marks]
OR

QUESTION 4

04.1 ‘Miracles do not happen.’

Critically examine and evaluate this view with reference to the dialogue between Christianity and philosophy. [25 marks]

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SECTION C: THE DIALOGUE BETWEEN ETHICS AND CHRISTIANITY

Answer ONE question from this section.

EITHER

QUESTION 5

05.1 ‘Christian attitudes to animals are consistent with the views of natural moral law.’

Critically examine and evaluate this view with reference to the dialogue between Christianity and natural moral law.

[25 marks]
OR

QUESTION 6

There should be no limits on freedom of religious expression.

Critically examine and evaluate this view with reference to the dialogue between Christianity and Bentham’s approach to moral decision making.

[25 marks]
There are no questions printed on this page