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GCSE RELIGIOUS STUDIES (SHORT COURSE)

Section 5: Themes

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You must ensure you also have:

- **the Question Paper/Answer Book for BOTH the RELIGION SECTIONS you are entered for (Buddhism, Christianity, Islam OR Judaism)**

You will have 1 hour 45 minutes to complete ALL THREE Question Paper/Answer Books.

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Use black ink or black ball-point pen.**
- **Fill in the front of this book AND your other two books.**
- **Answer BOTH questions in this section.**
- **If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).**
- **Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.**
- **You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do NOT write on blank pages.**



INFORMATION

- The maximum mark for this section is 48.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.

ADVICE

You are advised to spend 50 minutes on THIS SECTION and 50 minutes on the RELIGION SECTIONS.

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THEME A: Relationships and families

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Which **ONE** of the following means the legal ending of a marriage? [1 mark]

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

A Cohabitation

B Contraception

C Divorce

D Polygamy

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01.2

**Give TWO religious reasons given by believers to support the view that sex before marriage is wrong.
[2 marks]**

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01.5

‘The most important purpose of a family is to educate children in a faith.’

Evaluate this statement.

In your answer you:

- **should give reasoned arguments in support of this statement**
- **should give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view**
- **should refer to religious arguments**
- **may refer to non-religious arguments**
- **should reach a justified conclusion.**

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THEME B: Religion, peace and conflict

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Which ONE of the following describes why having nuclear weapons might prevent war? [1 mark]

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

A Acts as a deterrent

B Brings forgiveness

C Causes terrorism

D Promotes justice

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02.2

Give TWO of the criteria for a Just War. [2 marks]

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02.3

Explain TWO similar religious beliefs about peace-making.

In your answer you must refer to one or more religious traditions. [4 marks]

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02.4

Explain TWO religious beliefs about violent protest.

Refer to sacred writings or another source of religious belief and teaching in your answer. [5 marks]



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02.5

‘Greed or just wanting a better life are never good reasons for going to war.’

Evaluate this statement.

In your answer you:

- **should give reasoned arguments in support of this statement**
- **should give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view**
- **should refer to religious arguments**
- **may refer to non-religious arguments**
- **should reach a justified conclusion.**

[12 marks]







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