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GCSE

RELIGIOUS STUDIES B

Paper 2B Perspectives on faith (textual studies)

Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

Materials

Before you open this book, you must ensure you also have the Question Paper/Answer Book for the **religion option** you are entered for (**either** Islam **or** Judaism).

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at both the top of this page and the top of the Question Paper/Answer Book for the **religion option**.
- Answer **all** questions.
- 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 outside the box around each page or on blank pages.

Information

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

Advice

You will have 1 hour 45 minutes to complete **both** Question Paper/Answer Books. You are advised to spend 50 minutes on this paper and 50 minutes on your **religion option**.

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Theme D: St Mark's Gospel – the Life of Jesus

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Which **one** of the following events in the life of Jesus took place in the wilderness?**[1 mark]**

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

A The Arrest**B** The Crucifixion**C** The Temptation**D** The Trial before Pilate

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Give **two** statements Jesus made to his disciples on the way to Jerusalem when he predicted his passion.**[2 marks]**

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Explain **two** contrasting views in contemporary British society about Jesus’ actions and words in Gethsemane.

- You must refer to a Christian view.
- Your contrasting view may come from Christianity or from another religious or non-religious tradition.

[4 marks]

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Explain **two** teachings about service that Jesus gave to his disciples when James and John asked for seats of honour in God’s Kingdom.

You must refer to St Mark’s Gospel in your answer.

[5 marks]

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 'The miracles recorded in St Mark's Gospel actually happened.'

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 St Mark's Gospel
- may refer to non-religious arguments
- should reach a justified conclusion.

[12 marks]

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Theme E: St Mark's Gospel as a source of spiritual truth

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Which **one** of the following statements did Jesus make to the Greek (Syro-Phoenician) woman after she begged him to drive the demon out of her daughter?

[1 mark]

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

A 'Give her something to eat.'

B 'It is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs.'

C 'All things can be done for the one who believes.'

D 'Do not fear, only believe.'

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Give **two** statements that Jesus, at a meal in Levi's house, made to the scribes of the Pharisees when they criticised him for eating with sinners and tax collectors.

[2 marks]

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Explain **two** contrasting beliefs in contemporary British society about how people might respond to the word of God according to Jesus' Parable of the Sower.

- You must refer to a Christian belief.
- Your contrasting belief may come from Christianity or from another religious or non-religious tradition.

[4 marks]

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Explain **two** teachings of Jesus which suggest that the Kingdom of God is here on earth now.

You must refer to St Mark's Gospel in your answer.

[5 marks]

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