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RELIGIOUS STUDIES Route A – Component 1

Religious, Philosophical and Ethical Studies in the Modern World

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The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

Your ability to spell, punctuate and use accurate grammar is assessed in question 1(d).

You are expected to use specialist terminology accurately and make reference to sources of religious wisdom and authority (including religious texts) where relevant.



	Answer all questions.	Exa
Issu	es of Relationships	
(a)	What is meant by 'responsibilities'?	[2]
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(b)	Describe the importance of marriage ceremonies for religious believers.	[5]
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a) What is meant by 'evolution'?	[2]
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b) Describe reasons why religious believers consider it importa	ant to care for the planet. [5]



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(c) Explain, from two religions or two religious traditions, beliefs about euthanasia.	[8]



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3.	Issues of Good and Evil	Ex
	(a) What is meant by 'morality'?	[2]
	(b) Describe the work of prison chaplains.	[5]



(c) Expla	ain, from two religions or two religious traditions, beliefs about the death p	enalty. [8]



(d)	'It is impossible to forgive.'
	Discuss this statement showing that you have considered more than one point of view. (You must refer to religion and belief in your answer.) [15]



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Issues of Human Rights	Ex
(a) What is meant by 'relative poverty'?	[2]
(b) Describe why some religious believers agree with censorship.	[5]
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(d)	'It is up to you what you do with your money.'
	Discuss this statement showing that you have considered more than one point of view. (You must refer to religion and belief in your answer.) [15]
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