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RELIGIOUS STUDIES (Short Course) Component 1 Religious, Philosophical and Ethical Studies in the Modern World

MONDAY, 14 MAY 2018 - AFTERNOON

1 hour

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Do not use gel pen. Do not use correction fluid.

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Answer all questions.

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Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. If you run out of space, use the additional page(s) at the back of the booklet, taking care to number the question(s) correctly.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

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

Your ability to spell, punctuate and use 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.	
(a) What is meant by	'responsibilities'?	[2]
(b) Describe the impo	ortance of marriage ceremonies for religious believers.	[5]



Examiner only Explain, from two religions or two religious traditions, beliefs about divorce. (C) [8] _____

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(d)	'Women and men should have equal roles in worship.'
	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]
	Marks for spelling, punctuation and the accurate use of grammar are allocated to this question. [3]



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	(a)	What is meant by 'evolution'? [2]
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	(b)	Describe reasons why religious believers consider it important to care for the planet. [5]
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Examiner only Explain, from two religions or two religious traditions, beliefs about euthanasia. [8] (C) _____



(d)	'Religious creation stories successfully explain the origin of the universe.'
	Discuss this statement showing that you have considered more than one point of view. (You must refer to religious and non-religious beliefs, such as those held by Humanists and Atheists, in your answer.) [15]



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