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GCSE RELIGIOUS STUDIES A

Paper 1: Judaism

Monday 11 May 2020

Afternoon

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 other **religion option** you are entered for (Buddhism, Catholic Christianity, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam **or** Sikhism).
You will have 1 hour 45 minutes to complete **both** Question Paper/Answer Books.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page **and** on your other book.
- 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 51.
- The marks for the questions are shown in brackets.
- Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (**SPaG**) will be assessed in the 12-mark question in the **Beliefs** section.

Advice

You are advised to spend 50 minutes on this religion option and 50 minutes on your **other** religion option.

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Judaism: Beliefs

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Which **one** of the following is the Jewish teaching of 'saving a life'?**[1 mark]**

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

A Messiah

B Mitzvot

C Pikuach Nefesh

D Torah

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Give **two** Jewish beliefs about the nature of God.**[2 marks]**

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Explain **two** ways in which belief in healing the world influences Jews today.

[4 marks]

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Explain **two** Jewish beliefs about the divine presence (Shekhinah).

Refer to sacred writings or another source of Jewish belief and teaching in your answer.

[5 marks]

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‘The Ten Commandments are the most important part of the Sinai Covenant with Moses.’

Evaluate this statement.

In your answer you should:

- refer to Jewish teaching
- give reasoned arguments to support this statement
- give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

[12 marks]
[SPaG 3 marks]



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Judaism: Practices

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Which **one** of the following is the Amidah?**[1 mark]**

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

A A holy book**B** A prayer book**C** The naming ceremony**D** The standing prayer

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Give the names of **two** Jewish Festivals.**[2 marks]**

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Explain **two** contrasting religious features of a synagogue.

[4 marks]

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Explain **two** ways in which the Bar Mitzvah ceremony is important for Jews.

Refer to sacred writings or another source of Jewish belief and teaching in your answer.

[5 marks]

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‘Jewish mourning rituals are needed for the living more than for the dead.’

Evaluate this statement.

In your answer you should:

- refer to Jewish teaching
- give reasoned arguments to support this statement
- give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

[12 marks]

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