A-level RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Paper 2B Study of Religion and Dialogues: Christianity

7062/2B

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Morning

Time allowed: 3 hours

For this paper you must have:

• an AQA 16-page answer book.

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INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The PAPER REFERENCE is 7062/2B.
- Answer:
 - BOTH two-part questions from SECTION A, and
 - ONE question from SECTION B, and
 - ONE question from SECTION C.
- Do all rough work in your answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

INFORMATION

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 100.
- In each two-part question in SECTION A, the first part tests your knowledge and understanding, while the second part tests your skills of reasoning and evaluation.
- The one-part questions in SECTIONS B and C test your knowledge and understanding and your skills of reasoning and evaluation.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

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SECTION A: STUDY OF CHRISTIANITY

Answer BOTH questions in this section.

Each question has two parts.

QUESTION 1

01.1 Examine the importance for Christians of Jesus' actions at the last supper. [10 marks]

AND

- 01.2
 - 'Wealth and possessions are of little value in Christianity.'

Evaluate this claim. [15 marks]

QUESTION 2

- 02.1 Examine how religious pluralism in modern secular states has influenced Christian thinking. [10 marks]

AND

0 2 . 2 'The theory of evolution undermines Christian beliefs.'

Evaluate this claim. [15 marks]

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SECTION B: THE DIALOGUE BETWEEN PHILOSOPHY AND CHRISTIANITY

Answer ONE question from this section.

EITHER

QUESTION 3

03.1 'It is not reasonable to believe that religious experiences happen.'

Critically examine and evaluate this view with reference to the dialogue between Christianity and philosophy. [25 marks]

OR

QUESTION 4

- 04.1
- 'Christian statements about God are meaningful only for Christians.'

Critically examine and evaluate this view with reference to the dialogue between Christianity and philosophy. [25 marks]

SECTION C: THE DIALOGUE BETWEEN ETHICS AND CHRISTIANITY

Answer ONE question from this section.

EITHER

QUESTION 5

0 5 . 1 'Virtue ethics supports Christian views about eating meat.'

Critically examine and evaluate this view with reference to the dialogue between Christianity and virtue ethics. [25 marks]

OR

QUESTION 6

- 06.1
- 'The conscience is not a good guide to moral decision making.'

Critically examine and evaluate this view with reference to the dialogue between Christianity and ethical studies. [25 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS

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