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GCSE **RELIGIOUS STUDIES A**

Paper 1: Hinduism

Monday 14 May 2018

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, Christianity, Catholic Christianity, Islam, Judaism 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.
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You are advised to spend 50 minutes on this religion option and 50 minutes on your other religion option.



0 1	Hinduism: Beliefs	Do not write outside the box
0 1.1	Which one of the following is the Hindu name for the eternal inner self (soul)? [1 mark] Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.	
	A Tri-guna	
	B Kama	
	C Atman	
	D Nirguna	1
0 1.2	Give two of the ages in the cycle of four ages. [2 marks]	
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0 1.3	Explain two ways in which belief in the Tri-murti influences Hindus today. [4 marks]	Do not writ outside the box
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0 1 . 5	'Human free will makes liberation (moksha) hard to achieve.'	Do not write outside the box
	Evaluate this statement.	
	In your answer you should: • refer to Hindu 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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0 2	Hinduism: Practices	Do not write outside the box
0 2.1	How often does Kumbh Mela take place? [1 mark] Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.	
	A Once a year	
	B Once every three years	
	C Once every five years	
	D Once every ten years	1
0 2.2	Give two focuses of worship for Hindus. [2 marks]	
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0 2.3	Explain two contrasting forms of worship between Shaivism and Vaishnavism. [4 marks]	Do not writ outside the box
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	Explain two ways in which cows receive protection in Hindu society.	
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	Refer to sacred writings or another source of Hindu belief and teaching in your answer.	
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0 2 . 5	'Varanasi is the most important place of pilgrimage for Hindus.'	Do not write outside the box
	Evaluate this statement.	
	In your answer you should: • refer to Hindu teaching • give reasoned arguments to support this statement • give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view • reach a justified conclusion. [12 marks]	



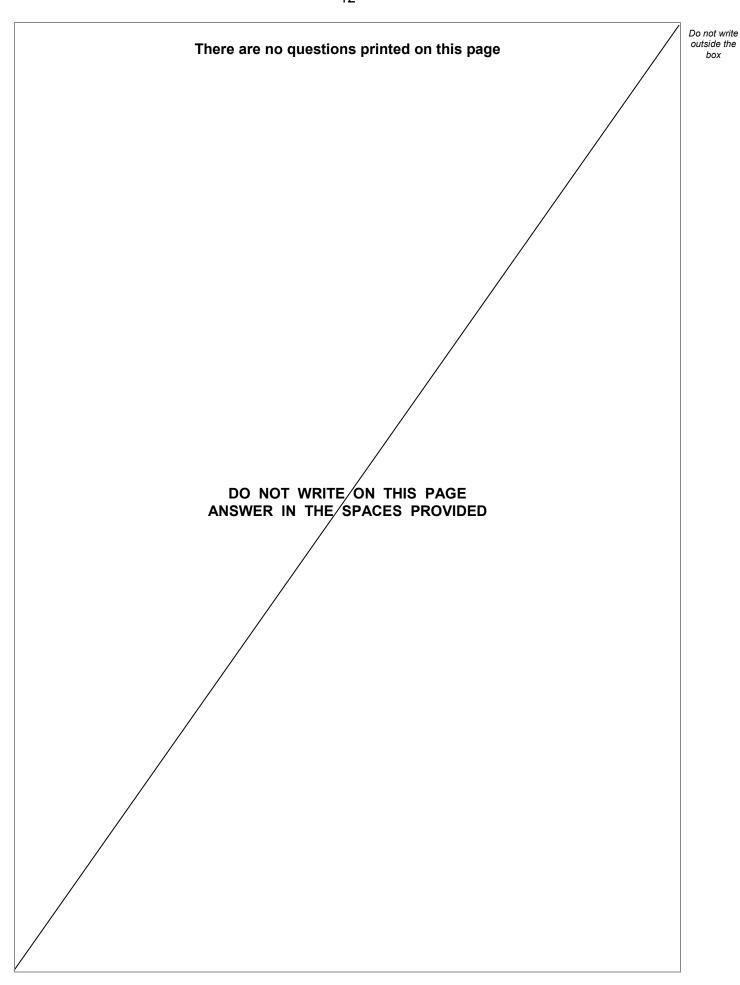


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