

ADDITIONAL SPECIMEN MATERIALS: SET 2

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GCSE RELIGIOUS STUDIES A

Paper 1: Buddhism

Additional specimen

Morning Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

Materials

Before you open this booklet, you must ensure you have the question paper/answer booklet for the other **religion option** you are entered for (Christianity, Catholic Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, Judaism **or** Sikhism).

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at both the top of this page and the top of the question paper/answer booklet for the other **religion option**.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Do all rough work in the answer 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 option 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 will have 1 hour 45 minutes to complete **both** question paper/answer booklets. You are advised to spend 50 minutes on this paper and 50 minutes on your other **religion option**.

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| 0 1 | BELIEFS | |
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| 01.1 | Which one of the following is one of the Three Marks of Existence? Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer. | [1 mark] |
| | A Anatta. | |
| | B Dhamma (dharma). | |
| | C Nibbana (nirvana). | |
| | D Sunyata. | |
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| 0 1.2 | Give two of the four signs that the Buddha saw. | [2 marks] |
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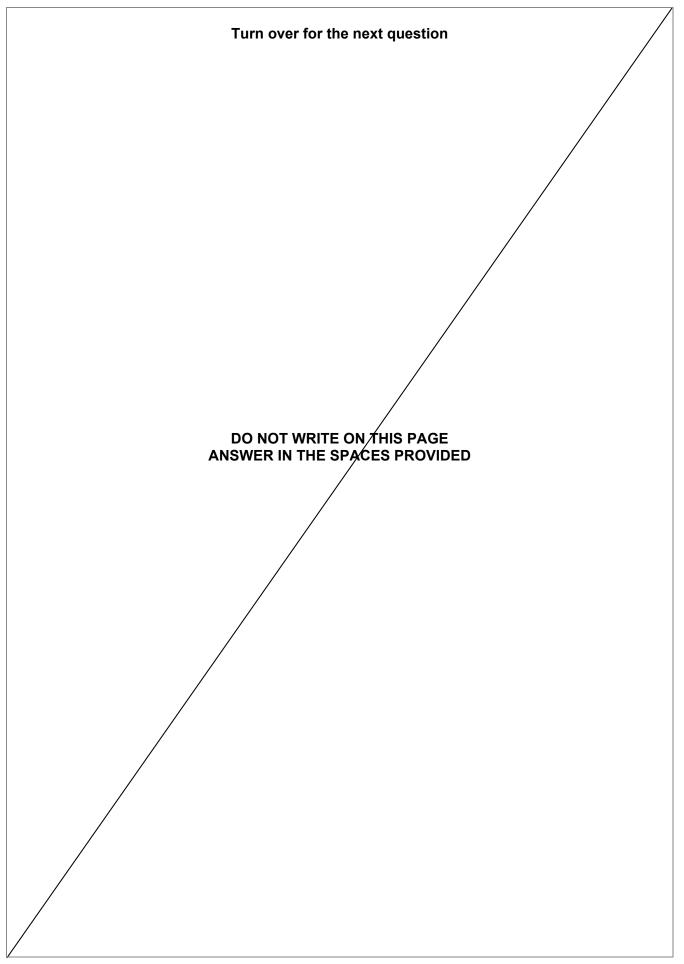
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| 0 1 . 4 | Explain two Buddhist teachings about the causes of suffering. | |
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| | Refer to sacred writings or another source of Buddhist belief and teaching answer. | |
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| 0 1 . 5 | 'It is better to be a Bodhisattva than an Arhat (a perfected person).' | |
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| | Evaluate this statement. | |
| | In your answer you should: • refer to Buddhist teaching • give reasoned arguments to support this statement • give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view • reach a justified conclusion. | |
| | | [12 marks] [+ 3 SPaG marks] |
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| 0 2 | PRACTICES | |
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| 0 2 . 1 | Which one of the following is a Buddhist festival? [1] Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer. | mark] |
| | A Samatha. | |
| | B Theravada. | |
| | C Vipassana. | |
| | D Wesak. | |
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| 0 2.2 | Give two types of Buddhist meditation. [2 m | narks] |
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| 0 2 . 3 | Explain two contrasting aims of Buddhist meditation. |
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| 0 2 . 4 | Explain two ways in which death ceremonies are important to Buddhists in Tibet. |
| | Refer to sacred writing or another source of Buddhist belief and teaching in your answer. |
| | [5 marks] |
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| 0 2 . 5 | 'The five precepts are impossible to live by.' |
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| | Evaluate this statement. |
| | In your answer you should: • refer to Buddhist 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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