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**RELIGIOUS STUDIES
SPECIFICATION A
UNIT 5: Christian Philosophy and Ethics**

A.M. THURSDAY, 11 June 2015

1 hour 45 minutes

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Question	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer **all** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

If you run out of space in this question-and-answer booklet you may use continuation sheets. Number the questions clearly and enclose your sheets in this question-and-answer booklet.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

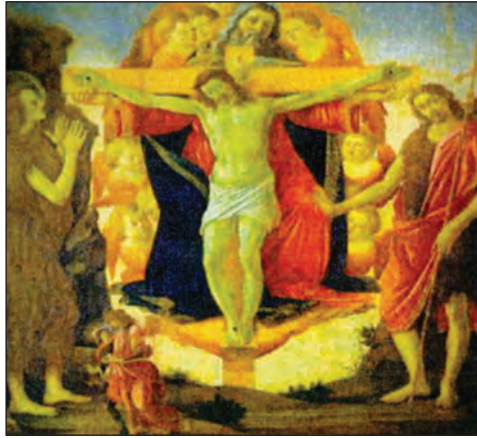
The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You are reminded that assessment will take into account the Quality of Written Communication used in your answers that involve extended writing (questions 1(e), 2(e), 3(e) and 4(e)).

In addition, your ability to spell, punctuate and use grammar accurately will be assessed in question 1(e).

Answer all questions.

1. Study the image below and answer the questions which follow.



(a) Describe what Christians believe about the nature of God.

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(b) Explain why some people do not believe in God.

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(c) Explain the design argument for the argument for the existence of God.

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(d) 'Everyone should follow their conscience.'

Do you agree **or** disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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(e) ‘Humans are to blame for all suffering.’

Do you agree? Give reasons or evidence for your answer, showing that you have considered more than one point of view.

(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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Marks for spelling, punctuation and the accurate use of grammar are allocated to this question.

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2. Study the information below and answer the questions which follow.

All humans are created by God.

(a) Describe Christian teaching about capital punishment. [4]

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(b) Explain the benefits of living in a multicultural society. [4]

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(c) Explain how Christians can be good citizens of the world.

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(d) 'Criminals deserve to be treated fairly.'

Do you agree **or** disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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(e) 'Sometimes war is necessary.'

Do you agree? Give reasons or evidence for your answer, showing that you have considered more than one point of view.
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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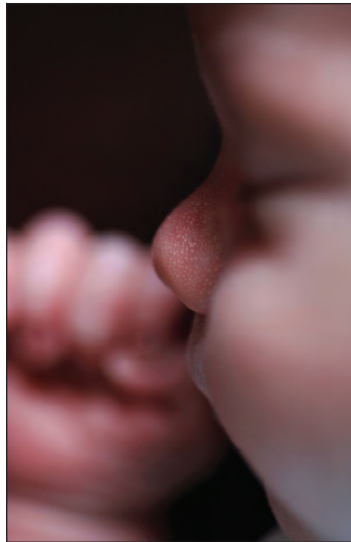
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3. Study the image below and answer the questions which follow.



Human beings

(a) Describe Christian teaching about the nature of mankind.

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(b) Explain, with examples, what is meant by moral relativism.

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(c) Explain why Christians believe you should value yourself.

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(d) 'Reading the Bible helps people make important decisions in life.'

Do you agree **or** disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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(e) 'Drinking alcohol in moderation is not bad for you.'

Do you agree? Give reasons or evidence for your answer, showing that you have considered more than one point of view.
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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4. Study the information below and answer the questions which follow.

Humans are responsible for the well-being of others.

(a) Describe the work of Christian charities. [4]

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(b) Explain how Christians might make a choice about their occupation. [4]

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(c) Explain why Christians believe sustainable development is important.

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(d) 'Child labour is always wrong.'

Do you agree **or** disagree? Give **two** reasons for your answer.
(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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(e) 'Charity work is never a waste of time.'

Do you agree? Give reasons or evidence for your answer, showing that you have considered more than one point of view.

(You must include reference to religious beliefs in your answer.)

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