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Pearson Edexcel Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)

Friday 7 June 2024

Morning (Time: 1 hour 45 minutes)

Paper reference **1RB0/3G**

Religious Studies B

PAPER 3: Area of Study 3 – Religion, Philosophy and Social Justice

Option 3G – Sikhism

You do not need any other materials.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 102.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- Questions labelled with an **asterisk** (*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed
– *you should take particular care on these questions with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the use of specialist terminology.*
- The marks available for spelling, punctuation and grammar are clearly indicated.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Question 1: Sikh Beliefs

- 1 (a) Outline **three** problems Sikhs may face if they do not have a sangat.

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- (b) Explain **two** reasons why Sikhs may think karma is important.

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(c) Explain **two** Sikh teachings about the oneness of humanity.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

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In this question, 3 of the marks awarded will be for your spelling, punctuation and grammar and your use of specialist terminology.

***(d) "Removing ego is difficult to achieve."**

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you must:

- refer to Sikh teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.

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Question 2: Philosophy of Religion

2 (a) Outline **three** features of Guru Nanak's River Experience.

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(b) Explain **two** Sikh beliefs about enlightenment.

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(c) Explain **two** ways a Sikh upbringing may lead to belief in God.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

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(d) "Visions prove that God exists."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you must:

- refer to Sikh teachings
- refer to non-religious points of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

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(c) Explain **two** ways the Guru Granth Sahib is treated in the gurdwara.
In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

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In this question, 3 of the marks awarded will be for your spelling, punctuation and grammar and your use of specialist terminology.

(d) "Divali is not as important as other Sikh festivals."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you must:

- refer to Sikh teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.

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(c) Explain **two** reasons many Sikhs support human rights.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

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(d) "Racial discrimination will always exist."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you must:

- refer to Sikh teachings
- refer to non-religious points of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

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