

Mark Scheme (Results)

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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

Although the assessment objectives are weighted separately, they are inter-related.

AO1 requires informed insight and awareness of differing viewpoints, and AO2 requires knowledge and understanding of the specification content.

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar Marking Guidance

- The spelling, punctuation and grammar assessment criteria are common to GCSE English Literature, GCSE History, GCSE Geography and GCSE Religious Studies.
- All candidates, whichever subject they are being assessed on, must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Spelling, punctuation and grammar marking criteria should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have demonstrated rather than penalised for errors.
- Examiners should mark according to the marking criteria. All marks on the marking criteria should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the marking criteria are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the marking criteria.
- Examiners should be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the marking criteria.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the marking criteria to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked unless the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.
- Handwriting may make it difficult to see if spelling, punctuation and grammar are correct. Examiners must make every effort to assess spelling, punctuation and grammar fairly and if they genuinely cannot make an assessment, the team leader must be consulted.
- Specialist terms do not always require the use of complex terminology but the vocabulary used should appropriate to the subject and the question.
- Work by candidates with an amanuensis, scribe or typed script should be assessed for spelling, punctuation and grammar.
- Examiners are advised to consider the marking criteria in the following way:
 - $\circ\;$ How well does the response communicate the meaning?
 - What range of specialist terms is used?
 - How accurate is the spelling, punctuation and grammar?

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially correct answers	Reject	Mark
1(a) AO1	 firm belief without logical proof trust in God unquestioning belief in God 	 Belief an example of a religion trusting 	Any answer that defines another key word	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2)	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	(0)	

Question Number	Answer	Mark	
1(b) AO2	Indicative content Answers which think that it is important for Christians to believe that Jesus is the Son of God are likely to use such evidence as:		
	 Jesus said he was the Son of God the apostles taught he was the Son of God he proved he was through the resurrection 		
	Answers which do not think it is important for Christians to believe that Jesus is the Son of God are likely to use such evidence as:		
	 his teaching is the most important thing it is not possible for a human to be God the title should not be taken literally 		
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked in accordance with the mark scheme. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer it must be sent to review.		
	Award marks as follows:		
	 For a personal response with: one brief reason (e.g. the apostles taught he was the Son of God) 		
	 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons 		
	 or one developed reason (e.g. the apostles taught he was the Son of God and Christianity is based on their teaching) 		
	2 marks		
	For a personal response with:two reasons with one developed3 marks		
	For a personal response with:two developed reasons4 marks		

Question Number	The qua	ve Content lity of written communication will be assessed in wer (strands i, ii, iii)	
1(c) AO1	 The main reasons include: the Holy Spirit is God the Holy Spirit inspired the apostles the Holy Spirit continues to guide the Church Christians receive the gift of the Holy Spirit at confirmation Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. 		
Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material	
Level 1	1-2	 Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: giving a brief reason not explaining but only describing the issue. The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors. 	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	 A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using three brief reasons or a fully developed reason or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	

Level 4	7-8	A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically
		by:
		 using four brief reasons
		 or two developed reasons
		 or two reasons, one brief and one fully
		developed
		 or three reasons with one developed
		 or a comprehensive explanation using one
		reason only.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a
		clear and correct style of English with a correct use
		of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills
		needed to produce convincing extended writing in
		place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few
		syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found.
		Excellent organisation and planning.

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
1 (d) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that living in a religious community is the best way to show love of God are likely to use such evidence as: it shows total commitment to God a lot of time is dedicated to prayer special vows are taken to God 	
	 Answers which do not think that that living in a religious community is the best way to show love of God are likely to use such evidence as: God welcomes all expressions of love equally Jesus taught people to love God by loving others love of God can be shown through going to Mass 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Candidates who do not refer to Roman Catholic Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	3
	 (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	3

Question 1 (a, b, c, d)	Spelling,	Punctuation	and Grammar
		0 marks	Errors severely hinder the meaning of the response or candidates do not spell, punctuate or use the rules of grammar within the context of the demands of the question.
Threshold performance	Level 1	1 mark	Candidates spell, punctuate and use the rules of grammar with reasonable accuracy in the context of the demands of the question. Any errors do not hinder meaning in the response. Where required, they use a limited range of specialist terms appropriately.
Intermediate performance	Level 2	2-3 marks	Candidates spell, punctuate and use the rules of grammar with considerable accuracy and general control of meaning in the context of the demands of the question. Where required, they use a good range of specialist terms with facility.
High performance	Level 3	4 marks	Candidates spell, punctuate and use the rules of grammar with consistent accuracy and effective control of meaning in the context of the demands of the question. Where required, they use a wide range of specialist terms adeptly and with precision.

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially correct answers	Reject	Mark
2(a) AO1	 God's way of being one the one- ness of God Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. 	 being one a belief about God monotheism 	Any answer that defines another key word	2
	(2)	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	(0)	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
2(b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that all Christians must believe in salvation from sin are likely to use such evidence as: it is the reason Jesus came on earth it is proclaimed in the creeds it means everyone can go to heaven Answers which do not think all Christians must believe in salvation from sin are likely to use such evidence as: Christians worry too much about sin some Christians believe people are saved whether or not they believe it living a good life on earth is all that matters Other approaches are possible and must be marked in accordance with the mark scheme. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer it must be sent to review. Award marks as follows: For a personal response with: one brief reason (e.g. living a good life on earth is all that matters) 	4
	 For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. living a good life on earth is all that matters; it should not be done for a reward) 2 marks For a personal response with: two reasons with one developed 	
	For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks	

Question Number	Indicative Content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii, iii)			
2(c) AO1	 Ch the the the Other apply to the leven 	 The main ways include: Christians try to live by the teaching of the Bible they spend time in prayer they trust that God looks after them they look after God's creation Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.		
Level	Mark	Descriptor		
	0	No rewardable material		
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: • giving one way The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors.		
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: giving two ways or a developed way The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 		
Level 3	5-6	 A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using three ways or a fully developed way or two ways with one developed The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 		

Level 4	7-8	 A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using four ways or two developed ways or two ways, on brief and one fully developed or three ways with one developed or a comprehensive way
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent organisation and planning.

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		0 marks	Errors severely hinder the meaning of the response or candidates do not spell, punctuate or use the rules of grammar within the context of the demands of the question.
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Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially correct answers	Reject	Mark
3(a) AO1	 of, or relating to God, (sacred) being like God sacred Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. 	 like a saint an example of a holy thing or person or action Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1) 	Any answer that defines another key word (0)	2
	(2)			

Question Number	Answer	Mark
3(b) AO2		
	 Award marks as follows: For a personal response with: one brief reason (e.g. it interprets the Bible for today) 1 mark For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. it interprets the Bible for today, teaching about issues such as IVF) 2 marks 	
	For a personal response with: 	

Question Number	Indicative Content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii, iii)		
3(c) AO1	 The main reasons include: it is a tradition of the Church it allows priests to be more dedicated to their work it helps them not to be distracted when giving advice it is a sign of special commitment to God Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. 		
Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material	
Level 1	1-2	 Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: giving a brief reason not explaining but only describing the issue. The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors. 	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	 A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using three brief reasons or a fully developed reason or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	

Level 4	7-8	 A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using four brief reasons or two developed reasons
		 or two reasons, one brief and one fully developed
		 or three reasons with one developed
		 or a comprehensive explanation using one reason only.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and correct style of English with a correct use
		of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills
		needed to produce convincing extended writing in
		place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few
		syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found.
		Excellent organisation and planning.

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
3 (d) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think the Church saves people from sin are likely to use such evidence as: Jesus gave that role to the Church the Church provides the saving sacraments the Church teaches how to live a sinless life 	
	 Answers which do not think that the Church saves people from sin are likely to use such evidence as: Jesus saved people from sin people are saved if they repent God allows all people to be saved 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Candidates who do not refer to Roman Catholic Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	3
	 (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons 	3
	or two developed reasonsor a fully developed reason	

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially correct answers	Reject	Mark
4(a) AO1	 making someone a priest, bishop or deacon by the sacrament of holy orders becoming a priests/bishop/dea con receiving the sacrament of holy orders 	 being a priest a sacrament Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	Any answer that defines another key word	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (2)	(1)	(0)	

NumberIndicative content44(b) AO2Indicative content4Answers which think that the priest plays an important role in the local parish community are likely to use such evidence as: they visit the sick they are available to give advice they work in schools as chaplains4	ark
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Answers which do not think that the priest plays an important role in the local parish community are likely to use such evidence as:• no one takes much notice of the priest these days• they only serve the Christian community• their main role is to provide religious servicesOther approaches are possible and must be marked in accordance with the mark scheme. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer it must be sent to review.Award marks as follows:For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. they are available to give advice)1 markFor a personal response with: • or one developed reason (e.g. they are available to give advice, for example to struggling families)2 marksFor a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed3 marksFor a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed4 marksFor a personal response with: • two developed reasons• two developed reasons• two developed reasons• two reasons with one developed• two developed reasons• two developed reasons <tr< td=""><td></td></tr<>	

Question Number	Indicative Content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii, iii)		
4(c) AO1	 The main reasons include: it means that everyone is called to be holy it means the Church is like a family it means there is a community between those on earth and those in heaven it means it is possible to pray to the saints in heaven Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. 		
Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material	
Level 1	1-2	 Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: giving a brief reason not explaining but only describing the issue. The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors. 	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	 A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using three brief reasons or a fully developed reason or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	

Level 4	7-8	A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically
		by:
		 using four brief reasons
		 or two developed reasons
		 or two reasons, one brief and one fully
		developed
		 or three reasons with one developed
		 or a comprehensive explanation using one
		reason only.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a
		clear and correct style of English with a correct use
		of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills
		needed to produce convincing extended writing in
		place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few
		syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found.
		Excellent organisation and planning.

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
4 (d) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that all Catholics should obey the Pope and bishops are likely to use such evidence as: they are given authority by God their teaching is guided by the Holy Spirit they are successors to St Peter 	
	 Answers which do not think that all Catholics should obey the Pope and bishops are likely to use such evidence as: not all their teachings have been correct Christians should act according to their conscience some Popes and bishops have lived unworthy lives 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Candidates who do not refer to Roman Catholic Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons 	3
	 or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	3

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially correct answers	Reject	Mark
5(a) AO1	 sorrow for sin committed and deciding not to sin again a prayer said in confession being sorry for sinful behaviour/ doing wrong Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. 	 being /saying sorry a prayer Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1)	Any answer that defines another key word (0)	2

Question Number	Answer	Mark
5(b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that all Catholics need to receive the sacrament of the anointing of the sick when they are ill are likely to use such evidence as: it can be a source of comfort it can give them strength to overcome their illness the priest can give them absolution Answers which do not think that all Catholics need to receive the sacrament of the anointing of the sick when they are ill are likely to use such evidence as: they should only receive it when they are in danger of death some people fall ill and die suddenly and there is no time to call a priest it is more important that they have friends and family around them Other approaches are possible and must be marked in accordance with the mark scheme. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer it must be sent to review. 	4
	Award marks as follows: For a personal response with: • one brief reason (e.g. it can be a source of comfort) 1 mark For a personal response with: • two brief reasons • or one developed reason (e.g it can be a source of comfort, by praying with the sick person) 2 marks For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks	

Question Number	Indicative Content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii, iii)	
5(c) AO1	 The main reasons include: it celebrates the resurrection it is when Jesus conquered death it guarantees eternal life it proves that Jesus is God Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review. 	
Level	Mark	Descriptor
	0	No rewardable material
Level 1	1-2	 Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: giving a brief reason not explaining but only describing the issue. The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors.
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.
Level 3	5-6	 A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using three brief reasons or a fully developed reason or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present.

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		place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few
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Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
5(d) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that Lent is important for all Christians are likely to use such evidence as: it is a time for spiritual renewal fasting during Lent helps people understand the suffering of others it follows the example of Jesus 	
	 Answers which do not think that Lent is important for all Christians are likely to use such evidence as: some are not well enough to observe Lent children and old people do not need to observe Lent all of life should involve doing good works 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Answers that simply say that other festivals are more important cannot be credited.	
	Candidates who do not refer to Roman Catholic Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	3
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 	
	 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 	3
	 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	

Question Number	Correct Answer Partially correct answers		Reject	Mark
6(a) AO1	 through the action of the priest God grants pardon and peace being forgiven 	 forgiveness part of the Sacrament of Reconciliation 	Any answer that defines another key word	2
	one's sins Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. (1)	(0)	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6(b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that Catholics should go to the sacrament of reconciliation regularly are likely to use such evidence as: it allows people to get things off their chest it helps them to avoid sinning it means they are constantly assessing their life 	4
	 Answers which do not think that Catholics should go to the sacrament of reconciliation regularly are likely to use such evidence as: God knows all actions so there is no need for the sacrament it is only required to go once a year it can be embarrassing admitting one's sins 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked in accordance with the mark scheme. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows:	
	 For a personal response with: one brief reason (e.g. it allows people to get things off their chest) 1 mark 	
	 For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. it allows people to get things off their chest, which will make them feel they have a fresh start) 2 marks 	
	For a personal response with:3 marks• two reasons with one developed3 marksFor a personal response with:4 marks• two developed reasons4 marks	

Question	Indicative Content		
Number	The quality of written communication will be assessed in		
	this answer (strands i, ii, iii)		
6(c) AO1	 The main reasons include: most Christians believe that Jesus initiated the Eucharist some Christians think it is a celebration of the Lord's day (Sunday) some Christians believe in the real presence some Christians believe the bread and wine are only symbolic some Christians believe it is only a commemoration of the Last Supper 		
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.		
	Credit answers that say Orthodox Churches accept Transubstantiation.		
Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material	
Level 1	1-2	 Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: giving a brief meaning not explaining but only describing the issue. The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors. 	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief meanings or a developed meaning. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	 A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using three brief meanings or a fully developed meaning or two meanings with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended 	

writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be
present.

Level 4	7-8	 A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using four brief meanings or two developed meanings or two meanings, one brief and one fully developed
		 or three meanings with one developed or a comprehensive explanation using one meaning only. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear and correct style of English with a correct use of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills needed to produce convincing extended writing in place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found. Excellent organisation and planning.
Question	Answer	Mark
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Number		
6 (d) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that parents should decide whether their child should be baptised are likely to use such evidence as: it is right for the child to share their parents' faith it is the parents who are responsible for bringing up a child children have an opportunity to speak for themselves at confirmation 	
	 Answers which do not think that parents should decide whether their child should be baptised are likely to use such evidence as: it is an infringement of the child's human rights becoming a Christian should be a free choice in the gospels those baptised were adults 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Candidates who do not refer to Roman Catholic Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for 	3
	 a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons 	
	 or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 	3
	 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons 	
	or two developed reasonsor a fully developed reason	

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially correct answers	Reject	Mark
7(a) AO1	 voluntary giving to those in need helping the poor Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. 	 being kind a named charity an organisation that helps others 	Any answer that defines another key word	2
	(2)	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	(0)	

Question Number	Answer	Mark
7(b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that it is important for Christians to work for social cohesion are likely to use such evidence as : it follows Jesus' teaching cohesion helps create peace in society Christians believe everyone is equal Answers which do not think that it is important for Christians to work for social cohesion are likely to use such evidence as: it is the work for social cohesion are likely to use such evidence as: it is the work of governments not individuals Jesus said he came to bring division people should focus on their own families and friends Other approaches are possible and must be marked in accordance with the mark scheme. If you are 	4
	unsure of the validity of an answer it must be sent to review. Award marks as follows:	
	 For a personal response with: one brief reason (e.g. it follows Jesus' teaching) 1 mark 	
	 For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. it follows Jesus' teaching such as 'love your neighbour') 2 marks 	
	For a personal response with: • two reasons with one developed 3 marks	
	For a personal response with: • two developed reasons 4 marks	

Question Number	Indicative Content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii, iii)		
7(c) AO1	 The main reasons include: it was taught by Jesus it sums up the teaching of the Law and the prophets it is natural to want to promote mutual caring it is at the heart of all the major religions Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.		
Level	Mark	Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material	
Level 1	1-2	 Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: giving a brief reason not explaining but only describing the issue. The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors. 	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	 A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using three brief reasons or a fully developed reason or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	

Level 4	7-8	A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically
		by:
		 using four brief reasons
		 or two developed reasons
		 or two reasons, one brief and one fully
		developed
		 or three reasons with one developed
		 or a comprehensive explanation using one
		reason only.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a
		clear and correct style of English with a correct use
		of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills
		needed to produce convincing extended writing in
		place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few
		syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found.
		Excellent organisation and planning.

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
7(d) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that respecting God is more important than respecting others are likely to use such evidence as: it is the first commandment God is the creator/father Jesus taught that it is the most important thing to do 	
	 Answers which do not think that respecting God is more important than respecting others are likely to use such evidence as: religious believers should do both it is easier to show respect to someone you can see Jesus set the two teachings side by side 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Candidates who do not refer to Roman Catholic Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons 	3
	 or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons or two developed reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	3

Question Number	Correct Answer	Partially correct answers	Reject	Mark
8(a) AO1	 a person who acts in a way that contradicts what they say someone who says one thing and does something else 	 someone who is dishonest the scribes and Pharisees Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable. 	Any answer that defines another key word	2
	Any alternative wording of the above points is acceptable.	(1)		

Question Number	Answer	Mark
8(b) AO2	 Indicative content Answers which think that Christians should judge others are likely to use such evidence as: Christians need to judge wrongdoers Christians need to judge when choosing appropriate friends Jesus judged others 	4
	 Answers which do not think that Christians should judge others are likely to use such evidence as: Jesus taught that people should not judge Jesus did not judge the woman taken in adultery Christianity is about forgiveness not judging 	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked in accordance with the mark scheme. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer it must be sent to review.	
	Award marks as follows:	
	 For a personal response with: one brief reason (e.g. Jesus judged others) 1 mark 	
	 For a personal response with: two brief reasons or one developed reason (e.g. Jesus judged others, for example when he called the scribes and Pharisees hypocrites) 2 marks 	
	For a personal response with:3 marks• two reasons with one developed3 marksFor a personal response with:4 marks	

Question Number	Indicative Content The quality of written communication will be assessed in this answer (strands i, ii, iii)		
8(c) AO1	 The main reasons include: they feel they are being called by God to be priests they see it as a form of service to others they want to dedicate their lives to God in a special way some Catholic families encourage one son to become a priest Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it		
Level	Mark	sent to review. Descriptor	
	0	No rewardable material	
Level 1	1-2	Little understanding of the issue shown, typically by: • giving a brief reason • not explaining but only describing the issue. The answer is likely to be in basic English. The skills needed to produce effective writing will not normally be present. The writing may have some coherence and will be generally comprehensible, but lack both clarity and organisation. High incidence of syntactical and/or spelling errors.	
Level 2	3-4	 Basic understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using two brief reasons or a developed reason. The candidate is likely to express understanding with a limited command of English and little use of specialist vocabulary. The range of skills needed to produce effective writing is likely to be limited. There are likely to be passages which lack clarity and proper organisation. Frequent syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	
Level 3	5-6	 A more developed understanding of the issue is shown typically by: using three brief reasons or a fully developed reason or two reasons with one developed. The candidate is likely to express understanding in a clear style of English and some use of specialist vocabulary. The candidate will demonstrate most of the skills needed to produce effective extended writing but there will be lapses in organisation. Some syntactical and/or spelling errors are likely to be present. 	

Level 4	7-8	A clear understanding of the issue is shown typically
		by:
		 using four brief reasons
		 or two developed reasons
		 or two reasons, one brief and one fully
		developed
		 or three reasons with one developed
		 or a comprehensive explanation using one
		reason only.
		The candidate is likely to express understanding in a
		clear and correct style of English with a correct use
		of specialist vocabulary where appropriate. The skills
		needed to produce convincing extended writing in
		place. Good organisation and clarity. Very few
		syntactical and/or spelling errors may be found.
		Excellent organisation and planning.

Question	Answer	Mark
Number		
8 (d) AO2	Indicative content Answers which think that all Roman Catholics should help to relieve suffering in the UK are likely to use such evidence as:	
	 they should respond to suffering wherever they see it 	
	 they are more likely to be able to help in their own country it follows the teaching of Jesus 	
	 Answers which do not think that all Roman Catholics should help to relieve suffering in the UK are likely to use such evidence as: there is much greater suffering in other countries their own circumstances may prevent them 	
	helping othersthat is the role of the government	
	Other approaches are possible and must be marked according to the levels. If you are unsure of the validity of an answer, it must be sent to review.	
	Candidates who do not refer to Roman Catholic Christianity in either (i) or (ii) cannot go beyond 3 marks for the whole of (d).	
	 (i) Own opinion 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for 	3
	 a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for three simple reasons 	
	 or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason (ii) Why some people may disagree with their opinion 	3
	 1 mark for a simple reason 2 marks for 	
	 a developed reason or two simple reasons 3 marks for 	
	 three simple reasons or two developed reasons or a fully developed reason 	

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