

Monday 13 May 2019 – Afternoon GCSE (9–1) Religious Studies

J625/04 Buddhism Beliefs and teachings & Practices

Time allowed: 1 hour

No additional material is required for this Question Paper



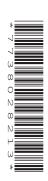
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INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- · Answer all the questions.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If additional space is required, use the lined page(s) at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 63.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- Spelling, punctuation and grammar and the use of specialist terminology (SPaG) will be assessed in questions marked with a pencil (). 3 marks can be awarded for SPaG.
- Quality of extended response will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).
- This document consists of 12 pages.



Answer **all** the questions.

1	(a)	Describe one important event in the early life of the Buddha.
		[3]
	(b)	Describe one Buddhist belief about nibbana.
		[3]

(c)	State three of the five aggregates (khandas).
	[3]
(d)	Explain the importance of Bodhisattvas.
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((e)	'Wisdom	is more	important	than	compassion.'
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Discuss this statement. In your answer, you should:

Analyse and evaluate the importance of points of view, referring to common and divergent views within Buddhism Refer to sources of wisdom and authority. [15] Spelling, punctuation and grammar [3]

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(a)	Describe one feature of a Buddhist temple.
	[3
(b)	State three offerings that might be made at a Buddhist shrine.
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(c)	Describe the role of the monastic sangha.	
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(d)	Explain the importance of the main customs practised at Vassa/Rain Retreat.	
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(e)*	'Wesak is the	most important	Buddhist festiva	l.'
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