

OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS

Thursday 26 May 2022 – Afternoon

GCSE (9–1) Religious Studies

J625/07 Religion, philosophy and ethics in the modern world from a Muslim perspective

**Time allowed: 2 hours
plus your additional time allowance**

No extra materials are needed.

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INSTRUCTIONS

Use black ink.

Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If you need extra space use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.

Answer ALL the questions.

INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 126.

The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].

Quality of extended response will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).

Spelling, punctuation and grammar (SPaG) and the use of specialist terminology will be assessed in questions marked with a pencil (✎).

ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

Answer ALL the questions.

1 Relationships and families

(a) Describe ONE way in which a Muslim might respond to divorce.

[3]

(b) Describe different Muslim attitudes towards same-sex marriage.

[illegible]

(c) Compare the attitudes of different Muslims to pre-marital sex.

You should refer to sources of wisdom and authority in your answer.

[illegible]

- (d) **‘Women should perform the same roles as men in Muslim communities.’**

Discuss this statement. In your answer, you should:

Draw on your learning from across your course of study, including reference to beliefs, teachings and practices within Islam.

Explain and evaluate the importance of points of view from the perspective of Islam. [15]

 **Spelling, punctuation and grammar [3]**

[illegible]

[illegible]

2 The existence of God

(a) Describe ecstatic religious experiences for some Muslims.

[3]

[illegible]

(c) Explain Muslim beliefs about the relationship between Allah and human suffering.

You should refer to sources of wisdom and authority in your answer.

[illegible]

(d) ‘Muslims do NOT need reasons to believe in Allah.’

Discuss this statement. In your answer you should:

Draw on your learning from across your course of study, including reference to beliefs, teachings and practices within Islam.

Explain and evaluate the importance of points of view from the perspective of Islam. [15]

Spelling, punctuation and grammar [3]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

3 Religion, peace and conflict

(a) State THREE examples of injustice for Muslims.

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

[3]

(b) Outline the relationship between Islam and politics in the 21st century.

[6]

(c) Explain why Muslims differ in their attitudes to the concept of forgiveness.

You should refer to sources of wisdom and authority in your answer.

[illegible]

(d)*‘Muslims should never take the life of another person.’

Discuss this statement. In your answer, you should:

Draw on your learning from across your course of study, including reference to beliefs, teachings and practices within Islam.

Explain and evaluate the importance of points of view from the perspective of Islam. [15]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

4 Dialogue between religious and non-religious beliefs and attitudes

(a) Give THREE ways in which Muslims might proselytise.

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

[3]

(b) Describe the role of church schools in British society.

In your response, you must consider that religious traditions in Great Britain are diverse, but mainly Christian. [6]

[illegible]

(c) Explain why Muslims differ in their attitudes to inter-faith dialogue.

You should refer to sources of wisdom and authority in your answer.

[illegible]

(d)*‘It is important for Muslims to share the same values as others in society.’

Discuss this statement. In your answer, you should:

Draw on your learning from across your course of study, including reference to beliefs, teachings and practices within Islam.

Explain and evaluate the importance of points of view from the perspective of Islam. [15]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

END OF QUESTION PAPER

ADDITIONAL ANSWER SPACE

If additional space is required, you should use the following lined page(s). The question number(s) must be clearly shown in the margin(s).

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