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 51.
• The marks for each question are shown in brackets — use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.
• The question labelled with an asterisk (*) is the one where the quality of your written communication will be assessed — you should take particular care on this question 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.
Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Question 1: Christian Beliefs

1. (a) Outline three ways suffering causes problems for Christians. (3)

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   (b) Explain two ways belief in the Trinity is shown in Christian worship. (4)

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(c) Explain two ways the Bible describes the creation of the universe.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority. (5)
(d) “Atonement is all that is needed for people to be saved.”

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:
• refer to Christian teachings
• reach a justified conclusion.

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Question 2: Crime and Punishment

2  (a) Outline three Christian teachings about punishment.  

(b) Explain two Christian teachings about the treatment of criminals.
(c) Explain **two** ways Christians explain why people suffer.

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

(5)
(d) “Justice is important for victims.”

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:
• refer to Christian teachings
• refer to non-religious points of view
• reach a justified conclusion.

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