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GCSE RELIGIOUS STUDIES A

Paper 1: Catholic Christianity

Specimen

Morning Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

Materials

Before you open this booklet, you must ensure you have the question paper/answer booklet for the other **religion option** you are entered for (Buddhism, Hinduism, Islam, Judaism **or** Sikhism).

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at both the top of this page and the top of the question paper/answer booklet for the other **religion option**.
- Answer all questions.
- Do all rough work in the answer book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.

Information

- The maximum mark for this option is 51.
- The marks for the questions are shown in brackets.
- Spelling, punctuation and grammar (SPaG) will be assessed in the 12-mark question in the Beliefs section.

Advice

You will have 1 hour 45 minutes to complete **both** question paper/answer booklets. You are advised to spend 50 minutes on this paper and 50 minutes on your other **religion option**.

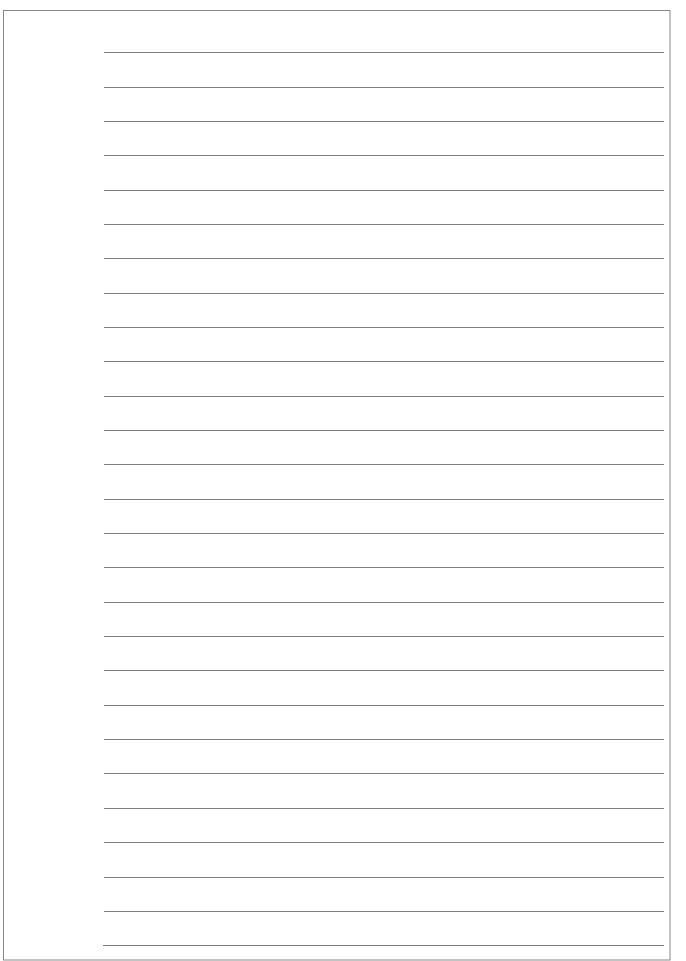
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Question	Mark
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0 1	BELIEFS
0 1.1	Which one of the following is the sacrament in which a young adult becomes a full member of the Church?
	Put a tick (\checkmark) in the box next to the correct answer.[1 mark]
	A Matrimony.
	B Reconciliation.
	C Confirmation.
	D Prayer.
0 1.2	Give two beliefs about human beings found in the Genesis creation stories. [2 marks]
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0 1.3	Explain two ways in which belief in the resurrection of Jesus influences Christians today.
	[4 marks]
0 1.4	Explain two Christian teachings about the Incarnation of Jesus.
	Refer to sacred writings or another source of Christian belief and teaching in your answer.
	[5 marks]

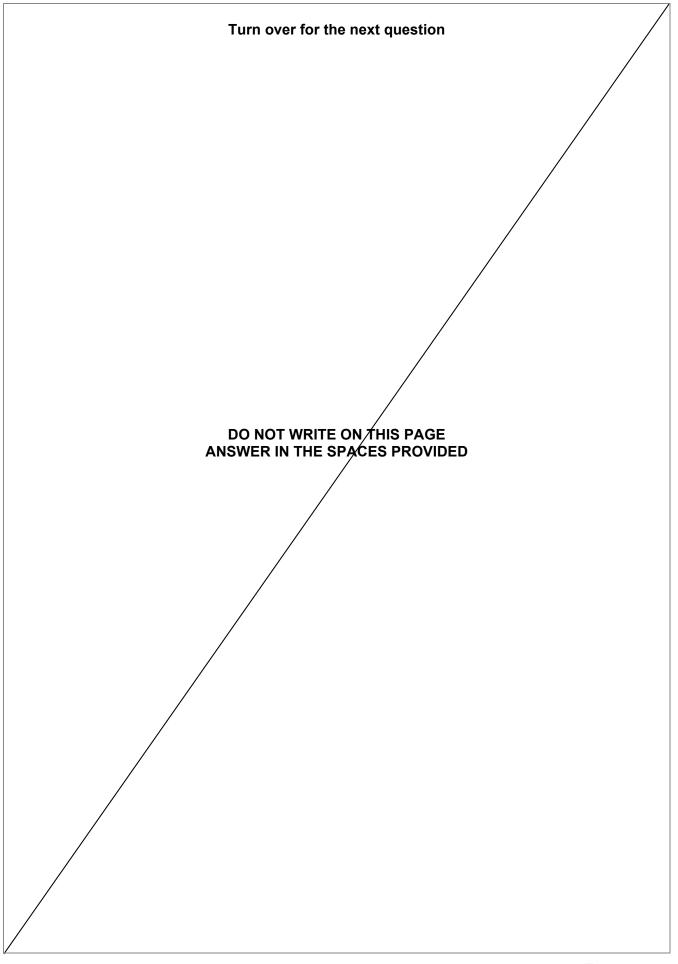
0 1.5	'The Eucharist is the only sacrament Catholic Christians need.'	
	Evaluate this statement.	
	 In your answer you should: refer to Catholic teaching give reasoned arguments to support this statement give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view reach a justified conclusion. 	[12 marks] [+ 3 SPaG marks]



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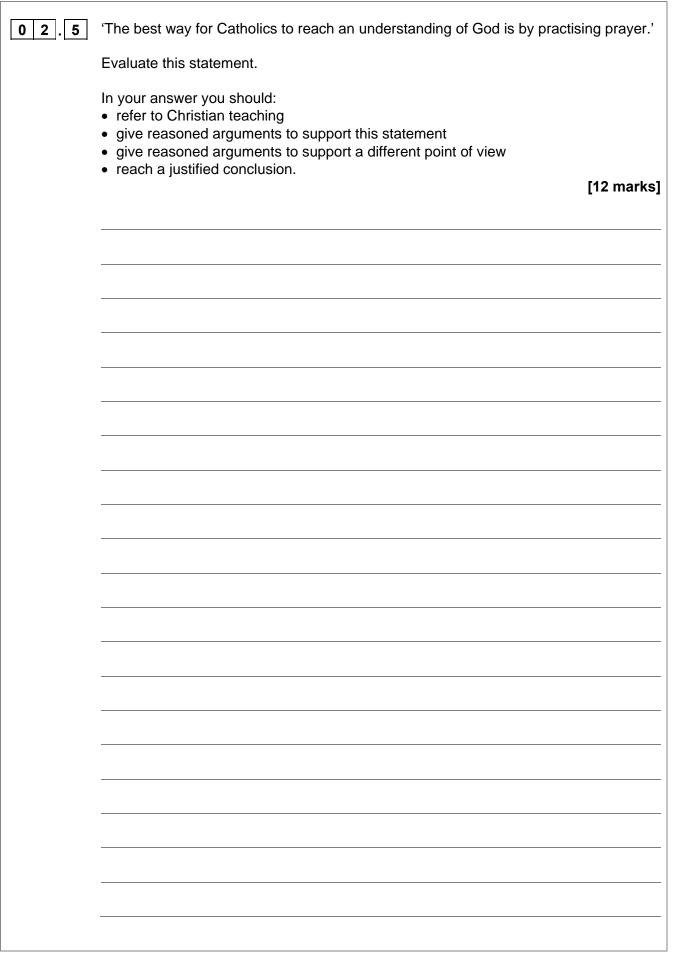
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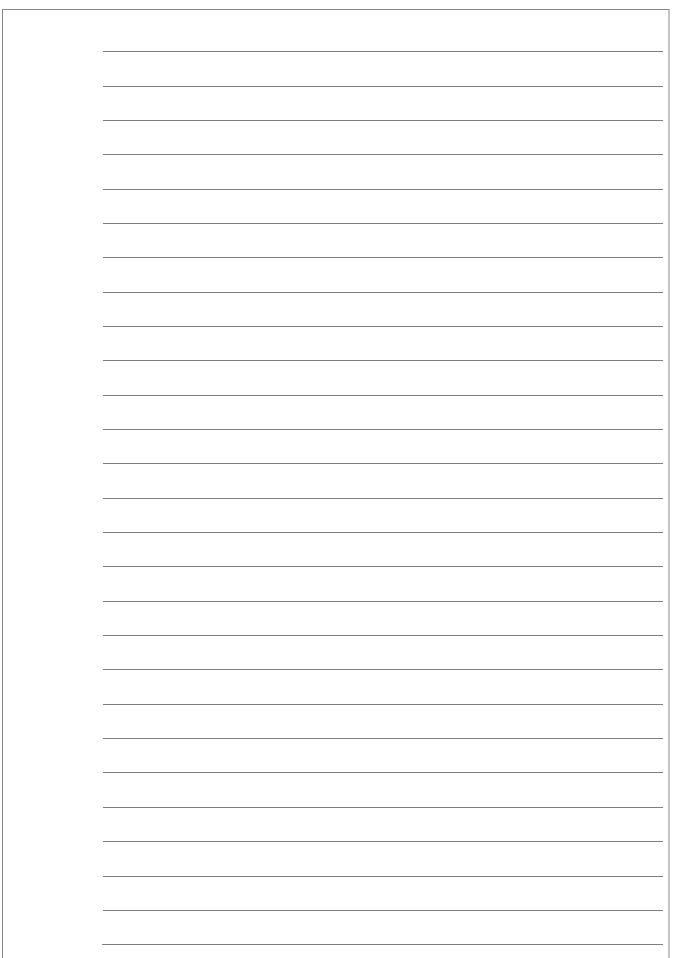


02	PRACTICES	
02.1	Which one of the following is a Catholic agency? Put a tick (\checkmark) in the box next to the correct answer.	[1 mark]
	A Childline.	
	B Cafod.	
	C Shelter.	
	D Oxfam.	
02.2	Give two aims of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul (SVP).	
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02.3	Explain two contrasting Christian views about the importance of pilgrimage. [4 marks]
02.4	Explain two ways in which the Rosary is important in Catholic worship.
	Refer to sacred writings or another source of Christian belief and teaching teaching in your answer. [5 marks]

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