



General Certificate of Secondary Education  
2018

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# Religious Studies

Paper 8

An Introduction to Christian  
Ethics



[GRS81]

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**FRIDAY 1 JUNE, AFTERNOON**

## TIME

1 hour 30 minutes.

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

**You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.**

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Complete in black ink only. **Do not write with a gel pen.**

Answer **all** the questions in **Section A** and **two** from **three** questions in **Section B** in the spaces provided in this booklet.

## INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 105.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in **all** questions.

Spelling, punctuation and accurate use of grammar will be assessed in Section B

Questions **5(c)**, **6(c)** and **7(c)**, where **two** questions only are required to be completed.

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.



### Section A

Answer **all** questions.

#### 1 Matters of Life and Death

(a) (i) What is abortion?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(ii) Give **one** reason for abortion.

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(iii) What is euthanasia?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(iv) Give **one** reason against euthanasia.

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(v) Name a group or organisation that supports euthanasia.

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]





## 2 Sexual Relationships

(a) (i) What is meant by the word “heterosexual”?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(ii) What is meant by the word “homosexual”?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(iii) What is celibacy?

\_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(iv) Give **two** reasons why a person might choose to be celibate.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ [2]





































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