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# Religious Studies

Paper 9

An Introduction to Philosophy  
of Religion



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**FRIDAY 15 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 Existence of God

(a) (i) What is a theist?

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

(ii) What is a polytheist?

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

(iii) What is an agnostic?

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

(iv) Name **one** argument in favour of the existence of God.

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

(v) Name **one** scholar who argued for the existence of God.

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





**2 Nature of God**

**(a) (i)** What is meant by the phrase “benevolent God”?

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

**(ii)** What is meant by the phrase “personal God”?

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

**(iii)** What is meant by the phrase “immanent God”?

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

**(iv)** Name **two** world religions.

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

2. \_\_\_\_\_ [1]





































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