

OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
GCSE (9–1)
J625/03

RELIGIOUS STUDIES
Judaism
Beliefs and teachings & Practices

MONDAY 14 MAY 2018: Afternoon
TIME ALLOWED: 1 hour
plus your additional time allowance

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YOU MUST HAVE:

the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet
(OCR12 sent with general stationery)

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INSTRUCTIONS

Use black ink.

Answer ALL the questions.

Write your answers in the Answer Booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.

INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 63.

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

Spelling, punctuation and grammar and the use of specialist terminology (SPaG) will be assessed in questions marked with a pencil (✎). 3 marks can be awarded for SPaG.

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

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Answer ALL the questions.

- 1 (a) Describe ONE Jewish belief about G-d as Creator. [3]**
- (b) Give THREE ritual mitzvot that a Jew might follow. [3]**
- (c) Give THREE teachings to be found in the Shema. [3]**
- (d) Explain why Sukkot is an important festival for many Jews. [6]**
- (e) ‘The covenant with G-d makes life harder for Jews.’**

Discuss this statement. In your answer, you should:

Analyse and evaluate the importance of points of view, referring to common and divergent views within Judaism

Refer to sources of wisdom and authority. [15]

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

- 2 (a) Name THREE features of a synagogue. [3]**
- (b) Describe ONE tradition associated with Pesach. [3]**
- (c) Describe what Jews mean by the term ‘Sanctity of Life’. [3]**
- (d) Explain why the Promised Land is important to most Jews. [6]**
- (e)* ‘All Jews should get married.’**

Discuss this statement. In your answer, you should:

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Refer to sources of wisdom and authority. [15]

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