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CORE UNIT - RELIGIOUS STUDIES

CHRISTIANITY AND ONE MAJOR WORLD RELIGION: HINDUISM

PAPER 1

A.M. TUESDAY, 15 May 2007

1 hour (of 1\% hour examination)

Questions answered	Office use
Question 1 (Section A)	
Question 2 or 3 (Section B)	
TOTAL	40

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer Question 1 (Section A) and either Question 2 or Question 3 (Section B).

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. Use supplementary sheets when there is insufficient room in this booklet. Write your name at the top of each supplementary sheet, indicating clearly the number of the question you answer. Put the supplementary sheets inside this booklet.

You must hand in this answer booklet *separately* at the end of the examination.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You will be awarded marks for the quality of your written communication.

Your answers must be relevant and must make full use of the information given to be awarded full marks for a question.

You are reminded that you should always support your answers using your knowledge and understanding of the topic chosen.

No certificate will be awarded to a candidate detected in any unfair practice during the examination.

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Answer Question 1 (Section A) and either Question 2 or Question 3 (Section B).

SECTION A

Answer all parts of this question.

1. Study Source A below and then answer the questions which follow.

Source A



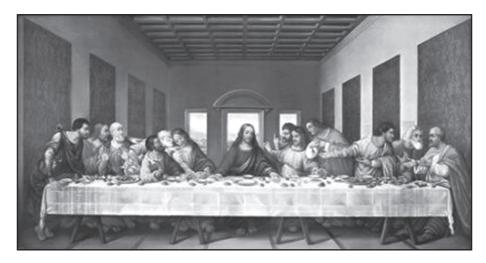
[A Hindu shrine in a home]

(a)	What does Source A tell you about a Hindu shrine?	2
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<i>(b)</i>	Describe how the Hindu community uses a mandir.	[4]
(c)	Explain why Hindus believe prayer to be so important.	[4]

Study Source B below and then answer the questions which follow.

Source B



[A painting of The Last Supper – the first Eucharist service]

[6]	(d) Explain why the Eucharist is so important to Christians.

(e)	'Taking part in the Eucharist service is less relevant today. A person's faith and acti much more important.' What reasons could be given for and against this view? Explain your answer fully.	ons are [8]

SECTION B

Answer either Question 2 or Question 3.

2. Look at the information below and then answer the questions which follow.



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'The ceremonies connected with birth are the most important ones for Hindus today.' What arguments could be given for and against this view? Explain your answer fully.								
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3. Look at the information below and then answer the questions which follow.

Source D

The penitent robber (Luke 18: 39-43)

One of the criminals who were hanged railed at him, saying, "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us!" But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed justly; for we are receiving the due reward of our deeds; but this man has done nothing wrong." And he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." And he said to him, "Truly, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

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