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Thursday 23 Ma	y 2019
Afternoon (Time: 1 hour 45 minutes)	Paper Reference 1RB0/3G
Religious Studies I	В
Paper 3: Area of Study 3 and Social Justi Option 3G – Sikhism	
You do not need any other materials.	Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer all questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
 - there may be more space than you need.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 102.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
 - use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.
- Questions labelled with an asterisk (*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed
 - you should take particular care on these questions with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the use of specialist terminology.
- The marks available for spelling, punctuation and grammar are clearly indicated.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Question 1: Sikh Beliefs

1	(a) Outline three reasons why believing God is the Creator is important for Sikhs.	(3)
	(b) Explain two reasons why living without a sangat might cause problems for Sikhs.	(4)

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In your answer you mu	st refer to a source of v	visdom and authority	/.
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In this question, 3 of the marks awarded will be for your spelling, punctuation and grammar and your use of specialist terminology.

*(d) "Men and women are equal in every way in Sikhism."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- refer to Sikh teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.

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(Total for Question 1 = 27 marks)



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Question 2: Philosophy of Religion	
2 (a) Outline three ways a Sikh upbringing leads to belief in God.	
	(3)
(b) Explain two things the cosmological argument shows about th	e nature of God.
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In your answer you must	t refer to a source o	of wisdom and au	thority.	(E)
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(d) "The River Experience proves that God exists."	
Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.	
In your response you should:refer to Sikh teachingsreach a justified conclusion.	(12)

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3 (a) Outline three reasons why Sikhs might take part in an akhand path.
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(b) Explain two reasons Nam Japna is important for Sikhs.
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In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.	(E)
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In this question, 3 of the marks awarded will be for your spelling, punctuation and grammar and your use of specialist terminology.

*(d) "Langar is the best form of sewa."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- refer to Sikh teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.

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Question 4: Equality		
4 (a) Outline three benefits of living in a multi-ethnic society for Sikhs.	(3)	
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(b) Explain two reasons why Sikhs should work for religious freedom.	(4)	

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In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.	(5)



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(d) "Prejudice and discrimination will always exist."		
Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.		
In your response you should: refer to Sikh teachingsrefer to relevant ethical argumentsreach a justified conclusion.	(4.2)	
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(Total for Question 4 = 24 marks)
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