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Pearson Edexcel Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)	Centre	Number		Candidate Number
Monday 20 May 2019				
Morning (Time: 50 minutes)		Paper Ro	eference <b>3</b>	RB0/2B
Religious Studies B (Short Course) Paper 2: Area of Study 2 – Religion, Peace and Conflict Option 2B – Christianity				
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 51.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
  - use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.
- The question labelled with an **asterisk** (\*) is the one where the quality of your written communication will be assessed
  - you should take particular care on this question 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: Christian Beliefs			
1 (a) Outline <b>three</b> beliefs about the Trinity as shown in the Nicene Creed.	(3)		
(b) Explain <b>two</b> reasons why the resurrection of Jesus is important to Christians.	(4)		

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In your answer you must 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) "It was essential that God became human as Jesus."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- refer to Christian teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.


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Total for Question 1 = 27 marks)



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	Question 2: Crime and Punishment	
2	(a) Outline <b>three</b> Christian teachings about the nature of good actions.	
		(3)
	(b) Evaloin two reasons why some Christians halious numishment might be needed in	
	(b) Explain <b>two</b> reasons why some Christians believe punishment might be needed in society.	
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In your answer you must refer to a	a source of wisdom and auth	nority.	(5)
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(d) "Torture should never be used on criminals."
Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.
In your response you should:     refer to Christian teachings     refer to relevant ethical arguments     reach a justified conclusion.

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(Total for Question 2 = 24 marks)
TOTAL FOR PAPER = 51 MARKS



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