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OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
GCSE

B570

RELIGIOUS STUDIES A
(WORLD RELIGION(S))

Buddhism 2
(Worship, Community and Family, Sacred Writings)

FRIDAY 22 JUNE 2012: Morning
DURATION: 1 hour
plus your additional time allowance

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Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

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None

OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:

None

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- **Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes on the first page. Please write clearly and in capital letters.**
- **Use black ink.**
- **Answer any TWO questions; you must answer all parts (a)–(e) of the two questions that you choose.**
- **Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.**
- **Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If additional space is required, you should use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.**

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- **The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.**
- **The total number of marks for this paper is 48.**
- **Quality of written communication is assessed in parts (d) and (e) of all questions.**

Answer any TWO questions. You must answer ALL parts (a–e) of the questions you choose.

1 (a) What is a stupa?

[1]

(b) Give TWO symbols that Buddhists might use.

(i)

(ii)

[2]

(c) Name THREE types of Buddhist meditation.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

(iii) _____

_____ **[3]**

(d) Explain why Buddhists might perform puja in the home.

[illegible]

(e) ‘Meditation is more important than puja.’

Discuss this statement. Include different, supported points of view and a personal viewpoint. You must refer to Buddhism in your answer.

[illegible]

2 (a) What is a bhikkhuni?

_____ [1]

(b) State TWO ways in which the laity might support the monastic sangha.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

_____ [2]

(c) Give THREE reasons a Buddhist might join the sangha.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

(iii) _____

_____ **[3]**

[illegible]

(e) 'Buddhist teachings about employment are impossible to follow.'

Discuss this statement. Include different, supported points of view and a personal viewpoint. You must refer to Buddhism in your answer.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[Total: 24]

3 (a) Name a sacred writing used by Theravada Buddhists.

_____ [1]

(b) Give TWO things that Buddhists might learn from sacred writings.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

_____ [2]

(c) Give THREE ways in which Buddhists use sacred writings.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

(iii) _____

_____ **[3]**

[illegible]

(e) ‘Sacred writings should never be changed.’

Discuss this statement. Include different, supported points of view and a personal viewpoint. You must refer to Buddhism in your answer.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[Total: 24]

Additional Pages

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