

International General Certificate of Secondary Education  
CAMBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATIONS

**RELIGIOUS STUDIES**  
PAPER 1

**0490/1**

**OCTOBER/NOVEMBER SESSION 2002**

1 hour 15 minutes

Additional materials:  
Answer paper

**TIME** 1 hour 15 minutes

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Write your name, Centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the answer paper/answer booklet.

Answer **all** questions in Section A, **two** questions from Section B and **one** question from Section C.

Write your answers on the separate answer paper provided.

If you use more than one sheet of paper, fasten the sheets together.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

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

**Section A**

In this section, answer **all** of the questions.

**1** CHRISTIANITY

- (a) What does the festival of Pentecost (Whitsun) celebrate? [1]
- (b) State **three** things that happened in the story of this festival. [3]
- (c) Explain the importance of this festival for Christians. [6]

**2** ISLAM

- (a) What is the Muslim place of worship called? [1]
- (b) Name **three** features of this place of worship. [3]
- (c) Explain the importance of this place of worship for Muslims. [6]

**3** JUDAISM

- (a) What Jewish festival celebrates the reclaiming of the Temple in Jerusalem? [1]
- (b) State **three** important things about this festival. [3]
- (c) Explain the importance for Jews of celebrating this festival. [6]

**Section B**

In this section, answer **two** questions.

**4** CHRISTIANITY

- (a) Name and describe **four** features of a Christian place of worship. [12]
- (b) Show how **two** of these features reflect Christian beliefs. [12]

**5** ISLAM

- (a) Describe **two** Muslim rites of passage. [12]
- (b) In what ways do the celebration of the rites of passage which you have described reflect the religious beliefs of Muslims? [12]

**6** JUDAISM

- (a) Describe what happens in the home at Shabbat. [12]
- (b) Explain the importance for Jews of **two** of the things which happen on Shabbat. [12]

**Section C**

In this section, answer **either** Question **7** or Question **8**.

- 7** (a) For **two** of Christianity, Islam and Judaism, describe the sacred books of the religion. [12]
- (b) Explain the importance of these **two** sacred books to believers in the religion. [12]
- 8** (a) For **two** of Christianity, Islam and Judaism, name a place of pilgrimage and briefly describe what pilgrims do there. [12]
- (b) Explain the importance of pilgrimage to the believers of **each** of these two religions. [12]

