

Section III — Religious Tradition Depth Study

20 marks

Attempt ONE question from Questions 1–5

Choose a DIFFERENT Religious Tradition from the ones you chose in Section II

Allow about 35 minutes for this section

Answer the question in a Studies of Religion Writing Booklet. Extra Studies of Religion Writing Booklets are available.

In your answer you will be assessed on how well you:

- incorporate significant aspects of religion to illustrate your answer
 - use language and terminology appropriate to the study of religion
 - present ideas clearly in a well-structured answer
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Question 1 — Buddhism (20 marks)

Analyse how ONE significant practice expresses the beliefs of Buddhism.

Choose from: Pilgrimage; Temple Puja; Wesak.

Question 2 — Christianity (20 marks)

Assess the effect on Christianity of ONE significant person or school of thought in Christianity, other than Jesus.

Question 3 — Hinduism (20 marks)

Assess the significance of ONE Hindu practice.

Choose from: marriage ceremony; pilgrimage; temple worship.

Question 4 — Islam (20 marks)

Discuss Islamic ethical teachings in ONE area.

Choose from: bioethics; environmental ethics; sexual ethics.

Question 5 — Judaism (20 marks)

Discuss Jewish ethical teachings in ONE area.

Choose from: bioethics; environmental ethics; sexual ethics.

Please turn over