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Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)

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Morning (Time: 1 hour 45 minutes) | Paper Reference **1RB0/3C**

Religious Studies B

Paper 3: Area of Study 3 – Religion, Philosophy and Social Justice
Option 3C – Islam

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: Muslim Beliefs

1 (a) Outline **three** Muslim beliefs about al-Qadr.

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(b) Explain **two** things the life of prophet Adam teaches Muslims.

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(c) Explain **two** Muslim beliefs about the purpose of the holy books.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom 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) "Belief in the Day of Judgement is the most important of the Five Roots of Shi'a Islam."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:
• refer to Muslim teachings
• reach a justified conclusion.

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Question 2: Philosophy of Religion

2 (a) Outline **three** ways visions may prove that Allah exists.

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(b) Explain **two** Muslim attitudes towards religious experiences.

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(c) Explain **two** ways the design argument proves the existence of Allah.

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

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(d) "Allah should not allow believers to suffer."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:
- refer to Muslim teachings
- refer to relevant philosophical arguments
- reach a justified conclusion.

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(Total for Question 2 = 24 marks)

Question 3: Living the Muslim Life

3 (a) Outline **three** reasons why Muslims fast during Ramadan.

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(b) Explain **two** reasons why Khums is important for many Shi'a Muslims.

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(c) Explain **two** reasons why greater Jihad is important for Muslims.

In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom 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) "Daily prayers are the most significant part of spiritual life."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:
- refer to Muslim teachings
- refer to different Muslim points of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

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Question 4: Equality

4 (a) Outline **three** problems faced by Muslims because of inequality.

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(b) Explain **two** reasons why Muslims believe racial discrimination is wrong.

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(c) Explain **two** reasons why many Muslims support human rights.

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

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(d) "Religious freedom shows that the society is fair."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:
- refer to Muslim teachings
- refer to non-religious points of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

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