

Wednesday 16 May 2012 – Morning

AS GCE RELIGIOUS STUDIES

G572/01/I Religious Ethics

QUESTION PAPER INSERT

Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes



INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- This Insert is for your reference only.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **TWO** questions.

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- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
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Answer **two** questions.

- 1 (a) Explain the moral issues surrounding the right to a child. [25]
(b) 'Having a child is a gift not a right.' Discuss. [10]
- 2 (a) Explain the moral issues surrounding euthanasia. [25]
(b) To what extent is the quality of life the least important factor when considering euthanasia? [10]
- 3 (a) Explain how the followers of the religion you have studied justify going to war. [25]
(b) 'Religious believers should be pacifist.' Discuss. [10]
- 4 (a) Explain the differences between deontological and teleological approaches to ethical decision-making. [25]
(b) 'The ends justify the means.' Discuss. [10]

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