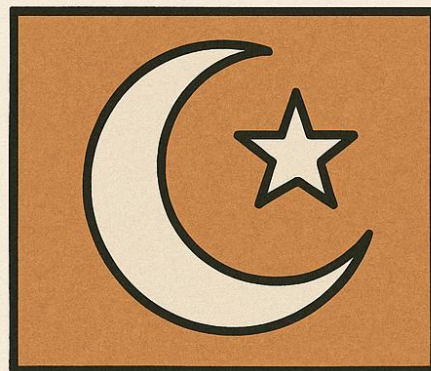


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CHRISTIANITY ISLAM
RELIGION AND LIFE
CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

1. Christianity Beliefs

Give the definitions for the key terms

Omnipotent- _____

Omnibenevolent- _____

Trinity- _____

Incarnation - _____

Resurrection - _____

Salvation- _____

Atonement- _____

Original Sin - _____

Heaven - _____

Hell - _____

Retrieval Questions

1. Why is the Trinity important to Christians?

2. What do Christians believe about the nature of God?

3. How can Christians achieve salvation?

4. Why is the resurrection important to Christians?

5. What is original sin?

6. What is the significance of Jesus' crucifixion?

7. What does omnibenevolent mean?

8. How is atonement achieved?

9. What is the Incarnation?

10. Why do Christians believe in life after death?

What topic(s) could each quote from the Bible be used in?

1. "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son."

2. "In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth."

3. "The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us."

4. "I am the resurrection and the life."

5. "Nothing is impossible with God."

Exam practice

1. What is the Christian holy book? (1 mark)

- a) Torah
- b) Qur'an
- c) Bible
- d) Vedas

2. Name the Christian belief that Jesus was both fully God and fully human. (1 mark)

3. Explain **two** ways in which the belief in the resurrection influences Christians today. (4 marks)

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4. Explain **two** Christian beliefs about the afterlife.

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2. Christianity Practices

Give the definitions for the key terms

Worship-

Liturgical worship-

Non-liturgical worship-

Private worship -

Sacrament -

Baptism-

Eucharist-

Prayer-

Pilgrimage-

Evangelism -

Retrieval Questions

1. What is liturgical worship?

2. Give an example of a sacrament.

3. What is the Lord's Prayer?

4. Where might a Christian go on pilgrimage?

5. What is the purpose of prayer?

6. How do Christians celebrate the Eucharist?

7. What is the significance of baptism?

8. Why is evangelism important to Christians?

9. How do Christians help their local community?

10. What is the difference between private and public worship?

What topic(s) could each quote from the Bible be used in?

1. "Go and make disciples of all nations."

2. "Love your neighbour as yourself."

3. "For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them."

4. "This is my body... this is my blood."

5. "Pray continually."

Exam practice

1. What is the name of the meal Jesus shared before his death? (1 mark)

- a) Christmas Dinner
- b) The Last Supper
- c) Holy Communion
- d) The Easter Meal

2. Name one Christian pilgrimage destination. (1 mark)

3. Explain **two** different reasons why Christians celebrate Easter.

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3. Muslim Beliefs

Give the definitions for the key terms

Tawhid-

Prophethood (Risalah)-

Malaikah-

Akhirah-

Qur'an-

Adalat-

Imamate-

Day of Judgment-

Six articles of faith-

Five roots of Usul ad Din -

Retrieval Questions

1. Why is Tawhid important to Muslims?

2. Name two Islamic prophets.

3. Which other books are important in Islam besides the Qur'an?

4. What is predestination in Islam?

5. What happens on the Day of Judgment?

6. What are angels believed to do?

7. What is the difference between Sunni and Shi'a Muslims?

8. What is the role of the Imamate?

9. What roles do prophets have?

10. What do Muslims believe about life after death?

What topic(s) could each quote from the Qur'an be used in?

1. "He is Allah, the One."

2. "Each person has angels before him and behind."

3. "Indeed, the Qur'an is guidance for the righteous."

4. "We will call forth every people with their record.."

5. "Muhammad is not the father of any one of your men, but the Messenger of Allah."

Exam practice

1. What is the name of the belief in one God? (1 mark)

- a) Risalah
- b) Imamate
- c) Tawhid
- d) Malaikah

2. Name one of the five roots of Usul ad-Din. (1 mark)

3. Explain **two** ways in which the belief in the afterlife influences today.

(4 marks)

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5. "Predestination means humans have no free will."

Evaluate this statement.

In your answer you should:

- refer to Muslim teaching
- give reasoned arguments to support this statement
- give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

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4. Religion and Life

Give the definitions for the key terms

Sanctity of life-

Abortion-

Euthanasia-

Stewardship -

Dominion -

Environment-

Evolution-

Creation -

Big Bang -

Natural resources -

Retrieval Questions

1. How does the belief in sanctity of life influence religious people?

2. Give a religious view on abortion.

3. Give a religious teaching to support stewardship.

4. How do Christians view the environment?

5. What are religious views on euthanasia?

6. What do Muslims believe about creation?

7. Give a religious teaching to support dominion.

8. How does the Big Bang theory differ from religious creation stories?

9. Give a religious view on using animals for experimentation.

10. What is meant by 'quality of life'?

What topic(s) could each quote be used in?

1. "You knit me together in my mother's womb." Bible

2. "And do not kill the soul which Allah has forbidden, except by right..." Qur'an

3. "The earth is the Lord's and everything in it." Bible

4. "Love your neighbour as yourself." Bible

5. "It is He who has made you successors on the earth." Qur'an

Exam practice

1. What does 'sanctity of life' mean?

- a) Life is holy and sacred
- b) Life is random
- c) Life is human-made
- d) Life is meaningless

2. State one reason why a religious person might oppose abortion. (1 mark)

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3. Explain **two** different religious beliefs about the environment.
In your answer you must refer to one or more religious traditions

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4. Explain **two** religious responses to euthanasia.

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5. " Abortion should be allowed."

Evaluate this statement.

In your answer you:

- should give reasoned arguments in support of this statement
- should give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view
- should refer to religious arguments
- may refer to non-religious arguments
- should reach a justified conclusion

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5. Religion, Crime and Punishment

Give the definitions for the key terms

Crime-

Punishment-

Forgiveness-

Retribution-

Deterrence -

Reformation-

Justice-

Prison-

Corporal punishment-

Repentance-

Retrieval Questions

1. What are three causes of crime?

2. Why might a religious person believe retribution is the best aim of punishment.

3. Why might a religious person believe deterrence is the worst aim of punishment?

4. Why might Christians forgive offenders?

5. What do Muslims believe about justice?

6. What is capital punishment?

7. What are alternatives to prison?

8. What is one religious view on corporal punishment?

9. What is one religious view on hate crime?

10. What is one religious view on the death penalty?

What topic(s) could each quote be used in?

6. "Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us." Bible

7. "Take not life, which God has made sacred." Qur'an

8. "Do not repay evil for evil." Bible

9. " Let justice roll on like a river." Bible

10. " Allah is ever forgiving and merciful." Qur'an

Exam practice

1. What is reformation?
 - a) Punishing with pain
 - b) Changing the criminal for the better
 - c) Removing the criminal
 - d) Public shame

2. Name one type of crime. (1 mark)
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11. Explain **two** different religious beliefs about the aim of punishment.
In your answer you must refer to one or more religious traditions

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13. "The death penalty should never be used."

Evaluate this statement.

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