



Western Australian Certificate of Education Examination, 2014

Question/Answer Booklet

RELIGION AND LIFE Stage 3		Please place your student identification label in this box
Student Number:	In figures	

Time allowed for this paper

Reading time before commencing work: ten minutes Working time for paper: three hours

Materials required/recommended for this paper

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To be provided by the candidate

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correction fluid/tape, eraser, ruler, highlighters

Special items: nil

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Structure of this paper

Section	Number of questions available	Number of questions to be answered	Suggested working time (minutes)	Marks available	Percentage of exam
Section One: Document analysis	4	4	90	50	50
Section Two: Extended answer					
Part A – Extended response	4	4	40	40	25
Part B – Essay	2	1	50	25	25
				Total	100

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Section One: Document analysis

50% (50 Marks)

This section has **four (4)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

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Suggested working time: 90 minutes.

Ques	stion 1 (12 marks)
Refer	to Sources 1A and 1B in the Resource Booklet to answer Question 1.
(a)	Referring to Source 1A, state the proportion of Australians in the Nielsen poll that rate religion as important in their lives. (1 mark)
(b)	In which area of religious belief in Source 1A is the figure higher for men than for women? Provide numerical data to support your response. (2 marks)
(c)	With reference to Source 1B, comment on the trend in organised religion in Australia. Provide two examples of numerical data to support your findings. (3 marks)

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Question 2 (13 marks) Refer to Sources 2A, 2B and 2C in the Resource Booklet to answer Question 2. Identify a significant influence that affected the life of each person in each source. (a) (3 marks) (b) Outline a contribution to Australian society made by each person in each source. (3 marks)

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;)	Select another significant person. Discuss how the interaction between religion ar person's personal and social context has contributed to their religious way of life.			
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Question 3 (10 marks) Refer to Sources 3A and 3B in the Resource Booklet to answer Question 3. Compare the viewpoint on freedom in Source 3A with the perspective of **one** religion. (a) (5 marks) Religion: __ (b) Explain how this religion would respond to the viewpoint expressed in Source 3B. (5 marks)

Question 4 (15 marks) Refer to Sources 4A, 4B, 4C and 4D in the Resource Booklet to answer Question 4. Summarise the points of agreement on human cloning across three of the sources. (a) (5 marks) (b) Discuss the position on human cloning presented in Source 4D. (5 marks)

Describe how one religion might respond to the tensions and conflicts generate issue.	d by this (5 marks)

End of Section One

Section Two: Extended answer 50% (65 Marks)

The section is in two (2) parts.

Part A Extended response: Answer **all** questions (Questions 5 to 8). Part B Essay: Answer **one (1)** question in essay form (Question 9 **or** Question 10).

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

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Part A: Extended response

25% (40 marks)

This part has four (4) questions. Answer all questions.

Question 5

(8 marks)

Discuss how one process or organisational structure enabled a religion to respond to an important internal issue. Religion: __

Question 6

(10 marks)

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Question 7

(10 marks)

Explain how secularism affects the place of religion in Australian society.	(5 r
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Part B: Essay 25% (25 marks)

This part has two (2) questions. Answer one (1) question. Answer in essay form.

Question 9 (25 marks)

Discuss **three** ways an historical event **or** issue has been significant for a religion.

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Question 10 (25 marks)

Discuss three different ways in which religion is viewed in society.

End of questions

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