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**Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)**

# Religious Studies B

(Short Course)

**Paper 2: Area of Study 2 – Religion, Peace and Conflict**  
**Option 2G – Sikhism**

Wednesday 16 May 2018 – Afternoon

**Time: 50 minutes**

Paper Reference

**3RB0/2G**

**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 51.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets – *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- The question labelled with an **asterisk** (\*) is the one where the quality of your written communication will be assessed – *you should take particular care on this question 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: Sikh Beliefs

1 (a) Outline **three** Sikh beliefs about life after death.

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(b) Explain **two** ways equality is shown in the lives of the Gurus.

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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)** "It is impossible to remove haumai."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- refer to Sikh teachings
- reach a justified conclusion.

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**Question 2: Crime and Punishment**

**2** (a) Outline **three** Sikh teachings about the use of punishment.

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(b) Explain **two** Sikh teachings about the treatment of criminals.

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(d) "Justice is important for victims."

Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against.

In your response you should:

- refer to Sikh teachings
- refer to non-religious points of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

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**(Total for Question 2 = 24 marks)**

**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 51 MARKS**



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