Thursday 25 May 2017 – Morning

AS GCE RELIGIOUS STUDIES

G577/01 Hinduism

QUESTION PAPER

Candidates answer on the Answer Booklet.

OCR supplied materials:
- 12 page Answer Booklet (OCR12) (sent with general stationery)

Other materials required:
None

Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

• Complete the boxes on the Answer Booklet with your name, centre number and candidate number.
• Use black ink.
• Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
• Answer two questions.
• Write the number of each question in the margin.
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INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

• The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
• The total number of marks for this paper is 70.
• This document consists of 2 pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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Answer any two questions.

1 (a) Explain the concept of maya. [25]
   (b) Assess the view that maya means that human actions do not matter. [10]

2 (a) Explain the role of the Trimurti in Hindu understandings of deity. [25]
   (b) To what extent can the term monotheism be applied to Hinduism? [10]

3 (a) Explain the significance of puja in Hinduism today. [25]
   (b) ‘Hindu worship is impossible without murti.’ Discuss. [10]

4 (a) Explain the relationship between dharma and karma. [25]
   (b) To what extent is it true to say good karma leads to liberation? [10]

END OF QUESTION PAPER