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SUBJECT:	<b>Religious Knowledge</b>
DATE:	26 <sup>th</sup> April 2023
TIME:	4:00 p.m. to 7:05 p.m.

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Answer **ALL** questions from Section A and any **THREE** questions from Section B.  
Section A carries 40% of the total mark and Section B carries 60%.

### SECTION A

**Answer ALL questions. Each question carries 4 marks.**

1. What does "the vocation of the laity" mean?
2. Jesus is called "Christ". Explain the term.
3. How is forgiveness possible in the life of Christians?
4. Explain why the Church is apostolic.
5. What do we understand when we say that Mary is the Immaculate Conception?
6. Explain why Abraham is a model of prayer.
7. What does the word "Amen" mean?
8. Mention **FOUR** main sins against chastity.
9. What do we mean by the "communion of saints"?
10. Mention **TWO** obligations of the Fourth Commandment.

**(Total: 40 marks)**

### SECTION B

**Choose THREE questions and answer them in detail. Each question carries 20 marks.**

1. "We begin our profession of faith by saying: 'I believe' or 'We believe'." (CCC, 26)
  - a. What is faith? (8)
  - b. Is there a conflict between faith and science? Explain. (6)
  - c. In what way is Revelation important for the Christian Faith? (6)

**(Total: 20 marks)**

2. a. Why do Christians address God as "Father"? (6)
- b. What do we understand when we say that the human person is created "in God's image"? (6)
- c. What is the soul? Explain its connection to the body in this earthly life and in the afterlife. (8)

**(Total: 20 marks)**

3. a. Explain **TWO** symbols from the Rite of Baptism. (4)
- b. Explain **THREE** effects of Baptism. (6)
- c. Name the **TWO** ways in which the Sacrament of Reconciliation was practiced in the first seven centuries of the Church. (4)
- d. Explain **THREE** effects of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. (6)

**(Total: 20 marks)**

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4. "With the progress of Revelation, the reality of sin is also illuminated." (CCC, 388)
- a. What does it mean that there is a broad variety of sins? (6)
  - b. What are the effects of sin on the life of the individual and of society? (8)
  - c. Christians can free themselves from the consequences of sin and reach true happiness. Explain. (3)
  - d. "Conscience must be informed" (CCC, 1783). How can this be achieved? (3)

**(Total: 20 marks)**

5. a. Explain why prayer is important in the life of Christians. (6)
- b. Discuss how a person can pray using the Bible. (4)
  - c. Why does the Church emphasise prayer using the Bible? (6)
  - d. How is contemplation different from meditation? (4)

**(Total: 20 marks)**



SUĠĠETT:	<b>It-Tagħlim Reliġjuż</b>
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Wieġeb il-mistoqsijiet **KOLLHA** ta' Taqsima A u **TLIET** mistoqsijiet oħra li trid minn Taqsima B. Taqsima A għandha 40% tal-marka totali u Taqsima B għandha 60%.

### TAQSIMA A

**Wieġeb il-mistoqsijiet KOLLHA. Kull mistoqsija għandha 4 marki.**

1. Xi tfisser "il-vokazzjoni tal-lajċi"?
2. Ġesù hu msejjaħ "Kristu". Spjega xi tfisser.
3. B'liema mod il-maħfra hi possibbli fil-ħajja tal-Insara?
4. Fisser għaliex il-Knisja hi appostolika.
5. X'nifhmu meta ngħidu li Marija hi l-Immakulata Kuncizzjoni?
6. Spjega għaliex Abraham hu mudell ta' talb.
7. Xi tfisser il-kelma "Ammen"?
8. Semmi **ERBA'** dhubiet prinċipali kontra l-kastità.
9. X'nifhmu bix-"xirka tal-qaddisin"?
10. Semmi **ŻEWĠ** obbligi tar-Raba' Kmandament.

**(Total: 40 marka)**

### TAQSIMA B

**Agħżel TLIET mistoqsijiet u weġibhom fid-dettall. Kull mistoqsija għandha 20 marka.**

1. "Meta nigu biex nistqarru l-fidi tagħna nibdew billi ngħidu: 'Jiena nemmen' jew 'Aħna nemmnu'." (KKK, 26)
  - a. X'inhi l-fidi? (8)
  - b. Hemm kunflitt bejn il-fidi u x-xjenza? Spjega. (6)
  - ċ. B'liema mod ir-Rivelazzjoni hi importanti għall-Fidi Nisranija? (6)

**(Total: 20 marka)**

2. a. Għaliex l-Insara jsejħu lil Alla "Missier"? (6)
  - b. X'nifhmu meta ngħidu li l-bniedem hu maħluq "fuq xbiha ta' Alla"? (6)
  - ċ. X'inhi r-ruħ? Fisser x'rabta għandha mal-ġisem fil-ħajja ta' issa u ta' wara. (8)

**(Total: 20 marka)**

3. a. Fisser **ŻEWĠ** simboli mir-Rit tal-Magħmudija. (4)
  - b. Spjega **TLIET** effetti tal-Magħmudija. (6)
  - ċ. Semmi ż-**ŻEWĠ** modi kif kien ipprattikat is-Sagrament tar-Rikonċiljazzjoni fl-ewwel seba' sekli tal-Knisja. (4)
  - d. Spjega **TLIET** effetti tas-Sagrament tar-Rikonċiljazzjoni. (6)

**(Total: 20 marka)**

***Jekk jogħġbok aqleb wara.***

4. "Ir-Rivelazzjoni, tul iż-żmien li kienet issir, iċċarat ukoll ir-realtà tad-dnub." (KKK, 388)
- a. Xi tfisser li hemm varjetà kbira ta' dnubiet? (6)
  - b. X'inhuma l-effetti tad-dnub fuq il-ħajja tal-individwu u tas-soċjetà? (8)
  - ċ. L-Insara jistgħu jinħelsu mill-jasar tad-dnub u jaslu għall-hena vera. Spjega. (3)
  - d. "Il-kuxjenza trid tkun iffurmata tajjeb" (KKK, 1783). Dan kif jista' jintlaħaq? (3)

**(Total: 20 marka)**

5. a. Spjega għaliex it-talb hu importanti fil-ħajja tal-Insara. (6)
- b. Iddiskuti kif persuna tista' titlob bil-Bibbja. (4)
  - ċ. Għaliex il-Knisja temfasizza t-talb permezz tal-Bibbja? (6)
  - d. B'liema mod il-kontemplazzjoni hi differenti mill-meditazzjoni? (4)

**(Total: 20 marka)**