

Beliefs in Action – Religion and Ethics: Christianity Example Questions

Section 1: Christian Beliefs

A Questions

State three religious traditions other than Christianity in Britain

Outline three Christian beliefs about God

Outline three things that happen during the Christian creation story

B Questions

Explain two reasons why evil and suffering in the world cause problems for Christian beliefs about the nature of God.

Explain two reasons why the Trinity is important to Christians.

Explain two different ways that Christians might understand the biblical account of Creation

C Questions

Explain two reasons why Christians believe in the Trinity. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain three ways in which Christians interpret the biblical accounts of creation. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain two reasons why Christians believe Jesus was God incarnate. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain two reasons why the events of his last days show the importance of Jesus. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain two reasons why Christians believe salvation is important. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain two reasons why beliefs about life after death are important for Christians. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain two ways Christians respond to evil and suffering. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain two reasons why taking a part in the Eucharist is important to Christians. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain the significance of atonement and salvation to Christians today. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

Explain two beliefs that Christians hold about the afterlife. In your answer you must refer to a source of wisdom and authority.

D Questions

'You can't be a Christian if you don't believe in the Trinity'. Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Reach a justified conclusion

'It's hard to believe the biblical accounts of creation.' Evaluate this statement considering argument for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings

- Refer to different Christian points of view
- Reach a justified conclusion

'Jesus was God incarnate.' Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Reach a justified conclusion

'The resurrection was the most important event in the life of Jesus.' Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Reach a justified conclusion

'Only those who have been saved from sin will get to heaven.' Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Reach a justified conclusion

'Only those who believe in Jesus will go to heaven.' Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Refer to different Christian points of view
- Reach a justified conclusion

'Evil and suffering are the fault of humans.' Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Reach a justified conclusion

'Evil is not a problem for religious believers.' Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Refer to different Christian points of view
- Reach a justified conclusion

'Jesus had to die.' Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Refer to different Christian points of view
- Reach a justified conclusion

'Pain and suffering are punishments for not being faithful to God.' Evaluate this statement considering arguments for and against. In your answer you should:

- Refer to Christian teachings
- Refer to different Christian points of view
- Reach a justified conclusion