



## Paper 1: Islam (Marriage, Life and Death)



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## Summary of Topics

	Topic Title	Spec Reference
1	Marriage and Divorce	2.1 and 2.6
2	The Family, Gender Roles and Equality	2.3, 2.4, 2.7 and 2.8
3	Sex and Contraception	2.2 and 2.5
4	Origins and Values of the Universe and Issues in the Natural World	4.1 and 4.8
5	Origins and Sanctity of Life	4.2 and 4.3
6	Abortion and Euthanasia	4.4 and 4.7
7	Life after Death	4.5 and 4.6

# Teacher's Introduction

## Overview

This resource has been produced to support teaching and learning of the **GCSE Edexcel B Religious Studies** specification **Paper 1: Religion and Ethics – Islam**. The learning content is covered by the following sets of keywords with matching descriptions, which cover all of the topics from Section 2: Marriage and the Family, and Section 4: Matters of Life and Death:

### Marriage and the Family

- Marriage and Divorce
- The Family, Gender Roles and Equality
- Sex and Contraception

### Matters of Life and Death

- Origins and Values of the Universe and Issues in the Natural World
- Origins and Sanctity of Life
- Abortion and Euthanasia
- Life after Death

There are often a variety of different English spellings for Arabic words. To make sure spellings of key terms are consistent for your students we have chosen to follow the style set out by Edexcel B in the specification.

For each set, there are a number of different keyword activities on CD designed to give you a range of different options for classroom, homework and revision. This variety enables you to take a different approach to different topics – such as using the **Crosswords** as homework for one topic, and the **Match Up** as a starter for another.

Alternatively, differentiate the activity for a given topic; for example, you might want to give your stronger students the **Crosswords** early on while you start weaker learners on the **Match Up** (where terms and definitions are both available). **Domino** and **Bingo** activities add an element of fun and reinforcement, as well as potential for pair and group work. Finally, the **Flash Cards** come into their own for revision and the **Table Fill** and **Write Your Own Glossary** allow students to test their understanding by correctly filling in keywords or definitions.

For more information about the different activities included, see overleaf →

## Digital Format!

All of the activities are provided electronically on the accompanying CD. To use on a school network, the entire contents of the CD need to be copied and pasted into an accessible location.



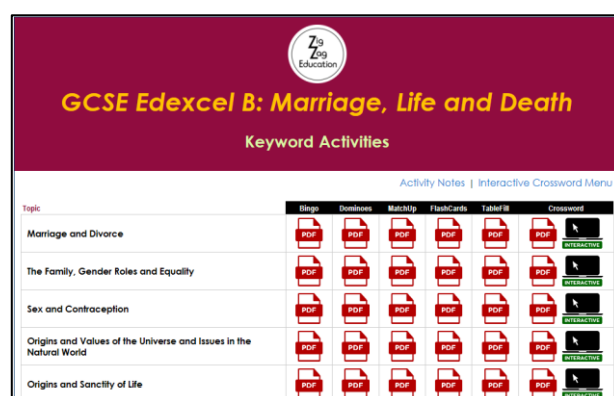
Providing easy access to the activities are two HTML menus:

### 1. Access All Menu

Location: [index.html](#)

This menu, designed primarily for teacher use, includes links to everything provided on the CD – allowing you to easily select what you need when preparing your lessons.

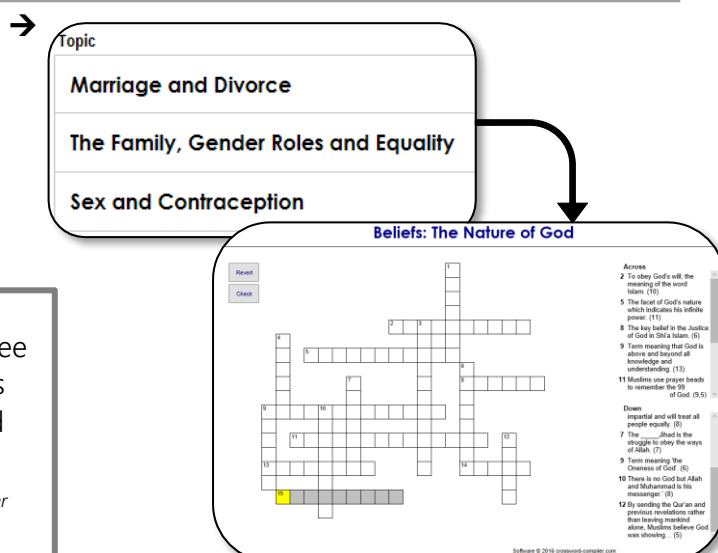
If you intend to give learners access to this menu, then be aware that it does include links to the solutions.



### 2. Interactive Crossword Menu

Location: [interactive-crosswords/index.html](#)

This menu, which can be accessed via the *Access All Menu*, is included to allow learner access to just the interactive crosswords (without the answers).



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## Activity Types

All activities are provided as PDF files, allowing for easy printing and sharing on your school's internal network or VLE. In addition, each of the single-page activities (*crosswords*, *match up* and *table fill*), as well as the solutions, are provided on paper too.

The activities included in this resource are as follows:

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### Bingo

Each student is given a different bingo card containing a selection of words from the set. The teacher reads the definitions using the Bingo Question sheet or Keyword Answers and the student must match the definitions to the words on their card to complete rows, columns, and the full bingo card. The bingo activity is available for sets with 12 or more words.

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### Crosswords

These traditional keyword activities are equally effective as lesson or homework activities – and are also an excellent way to ease students into their revision programme.

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In addition to the photocopiable worksheets and PDF, the crosswords are provided in interactive format on the accompanying CD-ROM. These are web-based (HTML5) and will run straight from your Internet browser.

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### Dominoes / Loop Cards

This is essentially another match-up activity, but this one is designed to be used in a more active way to engage students. It is recommended that students work in pairs or small groups.

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Half of each card contains a keyword, and the other contains a description. To complete the activity, students must align all the cards in the correct order. There is a 'Start' and a 'Finish', meaning that if any cards are left outside of the chain, then students have gone wrong somewhere.

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### Match Up

Students match descriptions to their keyword by drawing lines between them. Because there are similar descriptions and keywords, students are likely to make the odd mistake while completing the activity, so it is recommended that they use a pencil to start with! By eliminating the keywords that they are familiar with, students can then think about and learn the ones that they are less confident with.

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### Flash Cards

These are a helpful revision tool. To make the cards, fold the page in half, then cut each card and stick together so the keyword is on one side and the definition on the other. In addition, students could use these to play a game of pairs. Cut each card in two and place face down on the table. Students will then take it in turns to turn over two cards with the aim of matching up a keyword to its definition. Matched-up cards are removed and the game is finished when all the cards have been matched.

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## Glossary Builders

### Table Fill

Nothing fancy – students simply write the keyword which is being described, without any other help. Because this activity tests the students' own knowledge, it is best used as a homework activity at the end of each topic or during revision. This then acts as a check that students have grasped the key terminology for each topic. Alternatively, they could be given to students at the beginning of the topic, to see what they already know.

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### Write Your Own Glossary

Like the Table Fill, this activity can be used to test students before learning a topic, or as a revision tool after learning a topic. Students are given a list of the keywords and need to produce their own definitions. Using Table Fill and Write Your Own Glossary, lessons can be differentiated for all levels of learner.

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## **Selected Activities and Completed Glossary Page**

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This sample shows one example of several activities.  
The whole resource contains approximately 50 activities –  
6 or 7 activities for each of the 7 topics.

The resource covers 114 key terms.

## **Marriage and Divorce** *(Table Fill)*

The legal union of two consenting people.	
The Islamic marriage contract.	
The idea that marriage is a legal agreement between two people, rather than a sacrament or covenant.	
The bride price, or the dowry, that a man must pay a woman in order to marry her.	
The giving of permission for an event to take place.	
The practice of having multiple wives. It is permitted in Islam for a man to have up to four wives; however, there are conditions.	
The practice of being married to more than one person. This is illegal in the UK.	
The three-month period which a couple must wait after deciding to divorce.	
The institution through which men and women can obtain a religious divorce.	
The act of having sex outside a marriage.	
The dissolution of a marriage.	
Someone who believes there is no God.	
A philosophical position which relies on reason to justify human worth, and is often atheistic.	
The term for a couple or an individual choosing to space or prevent the birth of children using contraception.	
Entering into a new legal union after a previous one has been dissolved through divorce, or death of one's spouse.	

## Marriage and Divorce *(Match Up)*

1	A philosophical position which relies on reason to justify human worth, and is often atheistic.
2	Entering into a new legal union after a previous one has been dissolved through divorce, or death of one's spouse.
3	Someone who believes there is no God.
4	The act of having sex outside a marriage.
5	The bride price, or the dowry, that a man must pay a woman in order to marry her.
6	The dissolution of a marriage.
7	The giving of permission for an event to take place.
8	The idea that marriage is a legal agreement between two people, rather than a sacrament or covenant.
9	The institution through which men and women can obtain a religious divorce.
10	The Islamic marriage contract.
11	The legal union of two consenting people.
12	The practice of being married to more than one person. This is illegal in the UK.
13	The practice of having multiple wives. It is permitted in Islam for a man to have up to four wives; however, there are conditions.
14	The term for a couple or an individual choosing to space or prevent the birth of children using contraception.
15	The three-month period which a couple must wait after deciding to divorce.

<b>Marriage</b>	
<b>Nikkah</b>	
<b>Contract</b>	
<b>Mahr</b>	
<b>Consent</b>	
<b>Polygamy</b>	
<b>Bigamy</b>	
<b>Iddah</b>	
<b>Shari'ah Court</b>	
<b>Adultery</b>	
<b>Divorce</b>	
<b>Atheist</b>	
<b>Humanist</b>	
<b>Family Planning</b>	
<b>Remarriage</b>	

# **Marriage and Divorce** (Flash Cards)

The legal union of two consenting people.

***Marriage***

The Islamic marriage contract.

***Nikkah***

The idea that marriage is a legal agreement between two people, rather than a sacrament or covenant.

***Contract***

The bride price, or the dowry, that a man must pay a woman in order to marry her.

***Mahr***

The giving of permission for an event to take place.

***Consent***

The practice of having multiple wives. It is permitted in Islam for a man to have up to four wives; however, there are conditions.

***Polygamy***

The practice of being married to more than one person. This is illegal in the UK.

***Bigamy***

The three-month period which a couple must wait after deciding to divorce.

***Iddah***

The institution through which men and women can obtain a religious divorce.

***Shari'ah Court***

The act of having sex outside a marriage.

***Adultery***



# **Marriage and Divorce** *(Dominoes)*

**– START –**

The legal union of two consenting people.

***Marriage***

The Islamic marriage contract.

***Nikkah***

The idea that marriage is a legal agreement between two people, rather than a sacrament or covenant.

***Contract***

The bride price, or the dowry, that a man must pay a woman in order to marry her.

***Mahr***

The giving of permission for an event to take place.

***Consent***

The practice of having multiple wives. It is permitted in Islam for a man to have up to four wives; however, there are conditions.

***Polygamy***

The practice of being married to more than one person. This is illegal in the UK.

***Bigamy***

The three-month period which a couple must wait after deciding to divorce.

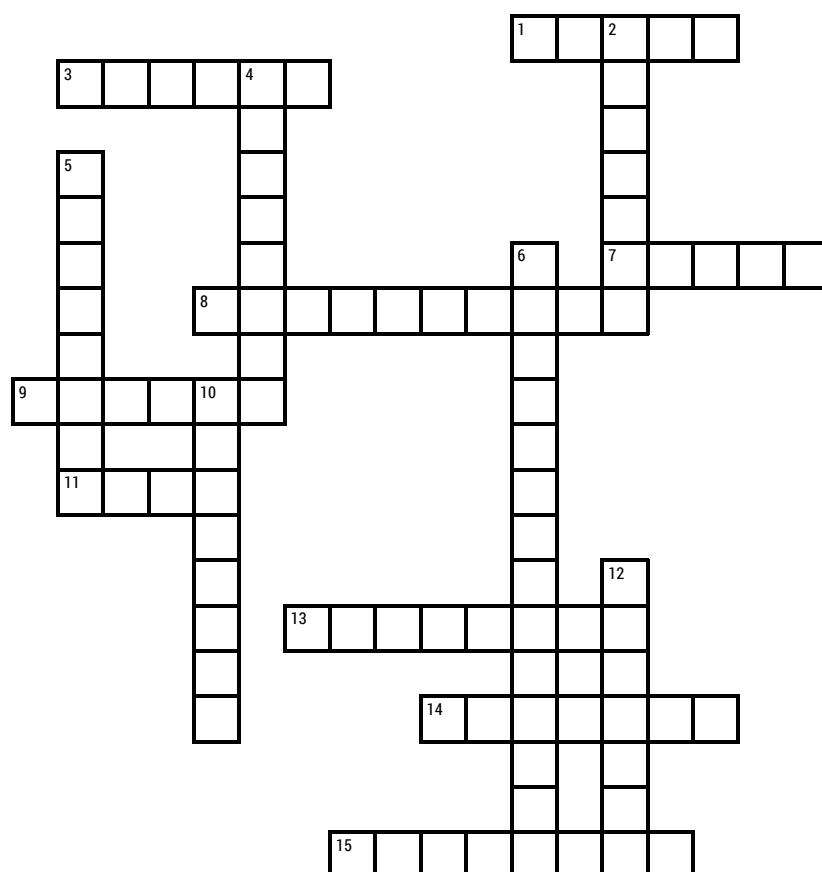
***Iddah***

The institution through which men and women can obtain a religious divorce.

***Shari'ah Court***

The act of having sex outside a marriage.

# Marriage and Divorce



## Across

- 1 A three-month waiting period following an issue of divorce to ensure a woman is not pregnant. (5)
- 3 The term for an Islamic marriage contract. (6)
- 7 A woman can go to a Shari'ah \_\_\_\_\_ in order to obtain a divorce from her husband (5)
- 8 A second union involving someone who has been widowed or is divorced. (10)
- 9 The crime of having more than one marriage partner in the UK. (6)
- 11 The Arabic word for dowry. (4)
- 13 A legal agreement between two people; In Islam, this is what a marriage functions as. (8)
- 14 The verbal giving of affirmation that a woman is happy to enter into nikkah. (7)
- 15 The practice of having multiple wives; this was found in the Sunnah. (8)

## Down

- 2 Described in a hadith as being hated by God; the dissolution of a marriage. (7)
- 4 Considered a serious sin within Islam, this is the act of having sexual relations with someone other than your spouse. (8)
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ is an example of a secular organisation which advocates for moral treatment of people and animals. (8)
- 6 Choosing a method of contraception is a way of \_\_\_\_\_ in order to either space the birth of children or prevent having them. (6,8)
- 10 The legal union of two consenting adults in a romantic relationship. (8)
- 12 The belief that there is no God. (7)

# Marriage and Divorce *(Bingo – Quiz Questions)*

Hand out the grids to students and read out the following questions to play a game of Bingo!

**Rules reminder:**

Students cross off correct answers on their grids. Full row or column = **Bingo!** All squares crossed off = **Full House!**

Question	Answer	Asked
What is the term for a legal union between two people which expresses commitment in romantic relationship?	Marriage	<input type="radio"/>
What is the term for an Islamic contract of marriage?	Nikkah	<input type="radio"/>
What do Muslims understand marriage to be that differs to the Christian covenantal understanding of marriage?	Contract	<input type="radio"/>
What must a man pay a woman before they marry in Islam?	Mahr	<input type="radio"/>
What must a woman give in order for a marriage to be valid?	Consent	<input type="radio"/>
What is the word for a man having multiple wives?	Polygamy	<input type="radio"/>
What is the illegal practice of being married to more than one person in the UK?	Bigamy	<input type="radio"/>
What is the term for the waiting period following the declaration of divorce?	Iddah	<input type="radio"/>
Where would a Muslim go to obtain a religious divorce?	Shari'ah Court	<input type="radio"/>
What is the phrase for cheating within a marriage?	Adultery	<input type="radio"/>
What is permitted in Islam, but should only happen as a final measure should a marriage be fully dysfunctional?	Divorce	<input type="radio"/>
What is the term for the belief that there is definitely no God?	Atheist	<input type="radio"/>
What is an organisation which advocates for the rights and worth of people without religious belief?	Humanist	<input type="radio"/>
What is contraception a method of?	Family Planning	<input type="radio"/>
If a divorced person enters into a second union, what is this called?	Remarriage	<input type="radio"/>

# ***Marriage and Divorce***

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