**Sample Assessment Outline**

Religion and Life

ATAR Year 12

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## Unit 3 and Unit 4

| **Assessment**  **type** | **Assessment type**  **weighting** | **Assessment**  **task**  **weighting** | **When/start and submission date** | **Assessment task** |
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| Investigation | 25% | 12.5% | Semester 1  Week 6–8 | **Task 2:** research based on the following content:   * the significance of one religious event and/or issue from the past * identify, locate and organise relevant information from a range of relevant sources * analyse, interpret and synthesise evidence from different types of sources to develop and sustain an academic argument * develop texts that integrate appropriate evidence from a range of sources to explain, support and/or refute arguments * apply appropriate referencing techniques accurately and consistently |
| 12.5% | Semester 2  Week 5–7 | **Task 7:** research based on the following content:   * a religious belief, teaching, ritual or practice provided by a religion to help people in their search for freedom * frame questions to guide inquiry and develop a coherent research plan for inquiry * identify, locate and organise relevant information from a range of relevant sources * analyse, interpret and synthesise evidence from different types of sources to develop and sustain an academic argument * develop texts that integrate appropriate evidence from a range of sources to explain, support and/or refute arguments * communicate understanding by selecting and using text forms appropriate to purpose and audience |
| Explanation | 20% | 10% | Semester 1  Week 11 | **Task 3:** in-class essay based on the following content:   * how one religious belief, teaching, ritual or practice developed over time * use terms and concepts in appropriate contexts to demonstrate relevant knowledge and understanding * communicate understanding by selecting and using text forms appropriate to purpose and audience |
| 10% | Semester 2  Week 10 | **Task 8:** short written responses based on the following content:   * the interplay between a religion and an issue within a particular historical context * develop reasoned and supported conclusions |
| Source analysis | 25% | 5% | Semester 1  Week 4 | **Task 1:** source analysis based on the following content:   * differing ways in which religion is viewed in society * analyse, interpret and synthesise evidence from different types of sources to develop and sustain an academic argument * analyse and evaluate different interpretations and points of view |
| 10% | Semester 1  Week 14 | **Task 4:** source analysis based on the following content:   * the nature of one current issue generating tension and conflict in society * how a religion responds to this tension and/or conflict and the reasons for this response * identify the origin, purpose and context of particular sources * evaluate the reliability, usefulness and contestable nature of sources to develop informed judgements that support an academic argument |
| 10% | Semester 2  Week 3 | **Task 6:** source analysis based on the following content:   * the interplay between the life of one significant religious person, their context and religion * identify the origin, purpose and context of particular sources |
| Examination | 30% | 10% | Semester 1  Week 15 | **Task 5:** Semester 1 Examination |
| 20% | Semester 2  Week 15 | **Task 9:** Semester 2 Examination |
| **Total** | **100%** | **100%** |  |  |