5.6 Family Life and Procreation: 10-minute Pack

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Total Marks

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Answer ALL questions.

1 This question checks key vocabulary used when discussing family life.

(a) State what is meant by family. **(1)**

(b) State what is meant by procreation. **(1)**

(c) State what is meant by an extended family. **(1)**

(d) State what is meant by a nuclear family. **(1)**

(e) State what is meant by a blended family. **(1)**

(Total for Question 1 is 5 marks)

2 Give three facts about family structures in Britain today.

(Total for Question 2 is 3 marks)

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3 Explain two religious teachings about the purpose of having children. Refer to a source of wisdom and authority in your answer.

(Total for Question 3 is 4 marks)

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Question 1

(a) a group of people related by blood, marriage, civil partnership or adoption, who usually live together and support one another, oe **B1**

(a) Answer: A group of people related by blood, marriage, civil partnership or adoption, who usually live together and support one another.

(b) the act of having children, oe **B1**

(b) Answer: The act of having children.

(c) a family that includes relatives beyond parents and children, such as grandparents, aunts, uncles or cousins, oe **B1**

(c) Answer: A family that includes relatives beyond parents and children, such as grandparents, aunts, uncles or cousins.

(d) a family unit consisting of two parents and their child or children, living together, oe **B1**

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(e) a family formed when parents with children from previous relationships form a new family together, oe **B1**

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Question 2

nuclear families remain common, but many other family structures also exist, including single-parent, blended and same-sex-parent families, oe **B1**

same-sex couples can legally marry, form a civil partnership and raise children together, oe **B1**

there is no single legally required family structure in the UK, oe **B1**

Answer: Any three: nuclear families are common but many other structures exist; same-sex couples can legally marry/form a civil partnership and raise children; there is no single legally required family structure.

Question 3

point 1: many Christians believe having children is part of God's purpose for marriage, oe **B1**

development: Genesis 1:28 records God telling the first humans to 'be fruitful and multiply', which many Christians see as a command to have children, oe **B1**

point 2: many Christians and Muslims believe children are a gift or blessing from God, oe **B1**

development: Psalm 127:3 describes children as 'a heritage from the Lord', reflecting the belief that children should be valued and cared for as a gift, oe **B1**

Answer: E.g. Genesis 1:28's command to 'be fruitful and multiply'; Psalm 127:3 describing children as a heritage/gift from God.

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