Shrewsbury School

SHREWSBURY SCHOOL

SIXTH FORM ENTRANCE EXAMINATION
2025 ENTRY

PHILOSOPHY & THEOLOGY

(1 Hour)

Instructions to candidates:

- Answer any **TWO** essay questions
- Each essay is worth 20 marks
- Start you second essay on a clean piece of paper

Answer any TWO essay questions.

In your answers, you should try and include more than one point of view and support these views with argument and evidence. Try to employ both religious and non-religious views whenever possible. You should also offer a justified conclusion.

1. 'There is no place for 'sacred texts' in an increasingly secular world' Discuss.

2. 'The decline in church attendance is a major problem for Christianity today.' Discuss

3. Discuss the claim that morality is best understood as totally independent from religion.

4. Discuss the view that we need both religion and science to fully understand the world around us.

5. 'The world would be better off without religion.' Discuss

6. Discuss the view that religious beliefs should have no influence on how Britain is governed and ruled.