

Department	Course	Year Group	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4	Unit 5	Unit 6
RS	Key Stage 3 RS	7	<b>What is important to humans?</b> What is Community? What is Special? What is Love? What is Belonging?	<b>Do we need religion?</b> •What is religion? •What is monotheism and polytheism? •What do Sociologists say about religion? •Durkeim – sacred and profane. •Marx – poverty •Grace Davies (spirituality) •Humanism?	<b>What is important to us?</b> •What is love? (survival) •What is Community? (birth story ) •What is belonging? (laws/leadership) •What is Special? (birth/death rituals)	<b>What is religion? A useful category or outdated idea?</b> •What is religion? •What is monotheism and polytheism? •What do Sociologists say about religion? •Durkeim – sacred and profane. •Marx – poverty •Grace Davies (spirituality)	<b>How do we know what is true?</b> •Truth – absolute, relative, logic, consistency, experience, history. •Absolute and relative truth - Bahai faith. •What is spirituality? How do people experience this? •William Wordsworth's poem. •Guru Nanak's revelation. •What is scripture? What is the sacred text of Islamic and Hindu traditions.	<b>Why are there so many names for God? Judaism &amp; monotheism – creation story and the omni words</b> •Christianity and the Trinity – Jesus' birth story/Jesus' Baptism •Ultimate Reality and Hindu Dharma – Krishna and the universe in his mouth •Paganism – links with nature and personal religions.
		8	<b>Can you love unconditionally?</b> •Agape – Jesus - Good Samaritan story and the prodigal son •Salvation – Christian story, sin – Adam and Eve. •Stormzy blinded by your Grace, Amazing Grace, Jesus' sacrifice. •Judgement – ideas on the afterlife, Parable of the sheep and goat	<b>What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?</b> Prophethood – what are these messengers from God what is a Muslim? – the story of Muhammed and his message – The Qur'an. Submission – the five pillars – focus on Ramadan and how easy this is to do in the uk Organ donation Muslims – applying the Quran to today. Akhirah – Hajj/funeral rites	<b>How do Buddhists find happiness in modern society?</b> Renunciation – the story of the Buddha – how to live a simple life in the UK •Dukkha – the mustard seed – how to view suffering in today's world. •Bhavana – meditation – practice in the UK •Karuna – compassion in the UK			
		9	<b>Does God still exist in the modern day world?</b> •How do people experience God? Special revelation and gernal revelation. •What is evil and does it disprove God's existrence? Moral and Natural. •Do theodicies explain it? Epicurus – inconsistent triad, adam and eve – punishment, God's plan/test – story of job. •St Iraneus – soul making. Holocaust testimony about where was G-d.	<b>How do we make moral decisions</b> •Where does morality come from – Innate or learned law, conscience, religion, upbringing. •How do we make moral decisions? Law, conscience, religion. •Utilitarianism – trolley problem, •Deontology – kant •Situation ethics	<b>Does the media negatively stereotype religion?</b> what is the media? •What are human rights? •How do religions respond to human rights? Case studies: Oscar Romero and Malala. •How does the media respond to religion? Case study: Carlie Hebdo attacks. •How the media postively and negatively responds to religion. Case Study: Life of Brian			
	GCSE RS	10	<b>Where do we find truth?</b> (Christianity and Athiesm/Humanism) General revelation Special revelation Miracles Enlightenment Holy Books Humanist/theist	<b>Where did life come from and where is it going? (Christian/humanism/atheism)</b> Origins of the universe & Creation Design argument First cause Humanist (science views) The environment, Natural resources and pollution Animal rights, animal experiments and food. The Value of the world, quality and sanctity of life. Different beliefs on the afterlife theist & humanist.	<b>What is the Nature of God?</b> (Christianity and Islam)  The Nature of Islam and Tawhid The nature of Allah Predestination & afterlife Christianity - God as omnipotent, loving and just. Creation – the spirit and the word The nature of God and The trinity. Good Suffering (moral and natural) Evil &The problem of evil	<b>What is the truth for Christians?</b> (Christianity beliefs and practices)  Sin including original sin & baptism. The incarnation of Jesus and Jesus as God & Christmas. Relationship with God through Prayer Salvation through law, grace and Spirit. The role of Jesus in atonement. Jesus' crucifixion, resurrection & easter, holy communion (significance and meaning) The Ascension	<b>What is the truth for Muslims?</b> (Islam Beliefs and practices) Angels Prophets Importance of Muhammed – night of power Importance of the Qu'ran & other holy books Ramadan & Sawm Id-Ui-Fitr The night journey Salah & Jummah The story of Bilal Shahadah Festivals -Id Ui Fitr Zakah & Khums Hajj & Id-UL-Adha	
		11	<b>What is the truth for Muslims (cont)</b> Life after Muhammed – Sunni & Shia & Ashura 5 roots of Islam 10 obligatory acts Sunni and shia difference practices	<b>Is life sacred?</b> Abortion Religious views on abortion Euthanasia Religious views on Euthanasia Equality Gender equality Roles of women Discrimination inc positive dicrimiantion Prejudice	<b>What is justice?</b> Crime Religious views on types of crimes Aims of Punishment Religious views on Punishments Human rights Freedom of speech Freedom of religious expression Forgiveness	<b>Can we improve society?</b> Charity Church In the local community Worldwide church Reconciliation. Persecution. Food banks Street pastors	<b>What is the future of religion?</b> The Ascension Evangelism Mission Church growth Church decline.	