

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION KEY STAGE 3

MODULES/UNITS IN YEAR 7

Christianity; Picturing Jesus:

Pupils learn about the different facets of Jesus. This group work project uses TASC (thinking actively in a social context) to represent Jesus through art whilst pupils develop their personalized learning skills.

Sikhism; Beliefs and Concepts:

Pupils learn about key beliefs and concepts in Sikhism including issues relating to God, truth, the world, human life and life after death. They learn about and understand some ways in which Sikh belief informs Sikh practice today. They reflect on the relationship between beliefs and practice in society today for a Sikh believer.

Buddhism:

A brief Introduction to Buddhism and Stilling.

Christianity:

Pupils learn about Christian values and how these affect their development.

MODULES/UNITS IN YEAR 8

Buddhism:

Pupils learn about the life of Siddhattha Gotama, the Buddha. They will be encouraged to reflect on the Buddhist attitudes towards suffering, life and death as well as learning about Buddhism as a major world religion.

Christianity Concepts:

Pupils learn about the diversity of traditions within the Christian faith. They reflect of the unity of the Christian community, the common values and the sense of belonging to a tradition that continues.

Islam:

Pupils challenge stereotypes and prejudice towards Muslims. Learners are challenged to think of ways to contribute positively and are encouraged to think critically about evidence and arguments to determine their own opinions and ideas.

Christianity; Ultimate Questions

Pupils learn about the creation story and question their own beliefs and values.

Judaism

An introduction to the Jewish faith.

PROJECTS/SCHEME OF WORK/TOPICS

DURING

7RE: CHRISTIANITY: PICTURING JESUS AND NATIVITY

AUTUMN TERM

7RE: SIKHISM: BELIEFS AND CONCEPTS

SPRING TERM 1

7RE: CHRISTIANITY- WHO AM I? WHO WILL I BE?

SUMMER TERM 1

7RE: INTRODUCTION TO BUDDHISM AND STILLING

SUMMER TERM 2

8RE: BUDDHISM

AUTUMN TERM 1

8RE: ISLAM – INTRODUCTION TO MUSLIM FAITH

AUTUMN TERM 2

8RE: CHRISTIANITY CONCEPTS

SPRING TERM

8RE: CHRISTIANITY: ULTIMATE QUESTIONS

SUMMER TERM 1

8RE: JUDAISM – INTRODUCTION TO JEWISH FAITH

SUMMER TERM 2

OTHER INFORMATION

Year 7 Text books:

Bible
Buddhism
Sikhism

Year 8 Text books:

Bible
Christianity
Qur'an
Buddhism
Judaism, Sue Penney

Year 8 websites

Amnesty International
Creation Stories Becoming Me Film

Philosophy and Ethics classes will study the same units as for Religious Education, in more depth.

All homework set is on VLE.

Key resources, powerpoints and revision on VLE.