

Subject: RE

Year: 8

<u>Unit 1 - Does it Make Sense to Believe in God?</u>		<u>Unit 3 - Why Do We Suffer?</u>		<u>Unit 6 - Where Are We Going?</u>	
<u>Unit 2- War</u>		<u>Unit 5 - Where Do We Come From?</u>		<u>Unit 7 - Religious Denominations</u>	
Introduction-	Substantive	Field of Enquiry:	Substantive	Field of Enquiry:	Substantive
Beliefs About God	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain different beliefs about the existence of God • Evaluate the importance of belief in God 	The Problem of Evil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain what is meant by the problem of evil • Evaluate theist and atheist responses to the problem of evil 	Rites of passage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain different beliefs about what happens when a person dies • Evaluate the importance of death rituals
Why Might People Doubt Belief in God?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain different arguments for and against belief in God • Explain different arguments for and against belief in God 	Suffering in Buddhism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain Buddhist beliefs about suffering • Evaluate Buddhist responses to suffering 	What Happens When We Die?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain what Muslims believe about the akhira • Explain the importance of belief in life after death for Muslims
Do Miracles Prove the Existence of God?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain how miracles support belief in God • Evaluate the importance of belief in miracles 	Case Study: The Holocaust	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain key events of the holocaust 	Akhirah in Islam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain what Christians believe about the crucifixion, resurrection and ascension of Jesus • Evaluate the
Does Prayer Lead to Belief in God?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain how prayer and unanswered prayer affect belief in God • Evaluate the importance 	Case Study: The Holocaust	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain key events of the holocaust 	Jesus: Crucifixion, Resurrection and Ascension	
		<u>Unit 4 - Whose World is it Anyway?</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain different 		

Does the Natural World Show Evidence of God?	<p><i>of prayer</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain how the argument from design supports belief in God</i> • <i>Explain how the argument from design supports belief in God</i> 	<p>Discussion stewardship</p> <p>Looking After the World: Stewardship, Khalifahs and Tikkun Olam</p>	<p><i>religious beliefs about looking after the world</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evaluate the importance of looking after the world for religious believers</i> 		<p><i>importance of belief in Jesus' crucifixion, resurrection and ascension for Christians</i></p>
Debate: Does it Make Sense to Believe in God	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain and evaluate a range of arguments for and against belief in God</i> 	<p>Religion and Animal Rights</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain what different religions believe about animal rights</i> • <i>Evaluate the importance of animal rights in different religions</i> 	<p>Resurrection and the Afterlife in Christianity</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain what Christians believe about resurrection and life after death</i> • <i>Explain what Christians believe about resurrection and life after death</i>
Can War be Justified?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain the principles of the just war theory</i> • <i>Evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of the just war theory</i> 	<p>Dietary Laws, Vegetarianism and Veganism</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain what religions believe about dietary laws</i> • <i>Evaluate the importance of dietary laws for religious believers</i> 	<p>Death and the Afterlife in Art</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explore how different beliefs about the afterlife have been depicted through art</i> • <i>Create a visual representation of one belief about the afterlife</i>
Muslim and Christian beliefs about War	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evaluate Muslim and Christian beliefs for and against war</i> 	<p>Unit 5 - Where Do We Come From?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain what Christians and Muslims believe about the origin of the world</i> 	<p>Unit 7 - Religious Denominations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain the structure and beliefs of the Catholic Church and what happened in the Protestant Reformation</i>
Sikh and Hindu Beliefs About War	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain different Sikh and Hindu beliefs about war</i> • <i>Evaluate Sikh and Hindu beliefs for and against war</i> 	<p>Christian and Muslim Beliefs About the Origin of the World</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evaluate the</i> 	<p>The Catholic Church and The Protestant Reformation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evaluate the impact</i>
Pacifism and	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain religious and non-</i> 				

<p>Peacemakers</p>	<p><i>religious beliefs about pacifism</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evaluate the impact of different peacemakers</i> 		<p><i>importance of the creation story for Christians and Muslims</i></p>		<p><i>of the Catholic Church and the Protestant Reformation</i></p>
<p>Begin unit 3</p>					
<p>Introduction to Evil and Suffering</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain different types of evil</i> • <i>Evaluate the impact of evil and suffering on belief in God</i> 	<p>Hindu Beliefs About the Origin of the World</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain what Hindus believe about the origin of the world</i> • <i>Evaluate the importance of the creation story for Hindus</i> 	<p>From Muhammad to Karbala</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain what happened to the Muslim community after the death of Muhammad PBUH, and Sunni and Shia beliefs about leadership</i>
<p>The Fall of Man</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain Christian beliefs about the origin of evil and suffering</i> • <i>Evaluate Christian beliefs about the origin of evil and suffering</i> 	<p>The big bang theory</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain the implications of the big bang for religious believers</i> • <i>Evaluate the importance of the Big Bang</i> 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evaluate the impact of the Sunni Shi'a split and the importance of caliphs for Sunni Muslims and Imams for Shi'a Muslims</i>
		<p>Creation in Greek Mythology</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Explain what Greek mythology teaches about the origin of the world</i> • <i>Evaluate the relevance of this explanation</i> 		