

Year 9 RE Assessment Information

Assessment Part 1: Core Concepts in Christian beliefs, teachings and practices.

Key Topics

Think, do I know the 5W's for these (Who? What? When? Where? Why? Or How).

1. church
2. Sacraments
3. The Trinity
4. Evil & Suffering
5. Prayer
6. Relationships- Love is
7. The Bible
8. Disciple
9. Creation of the world
10. Mass
11. Holy Days: Lent, Easter, Advent, Christmas
12. Moral Authority

Skills

A. Understand – Keywords- their definitions, examples. Key concepts – what a belief is.

Tips

- a. Write a sentence on what each of the key beliefs, teachings or practices are.
- b. Draw a symbol to represent each to help you remember them
- c. See if you can talk about an example or a moment from the Bible that supports who/what it is.

Resources

- a. BBC bitesize – KS3 Christianity
- b. Revision sessions/ materials provided by your teacher.
- c. RE workbook(s) from previous years.

Assessment Part 2: Challenges to living justly

Key Topics

1. Justice is
2. CST (Catholic Social Teachings)
3. Nature of punishment (retribution, revenge, defend the innocent, rehabilitate)
4. Capital Punishment
5. Christian views on Capital punishment
6. Christian views on violence
7. Social Justice

Skills

- a. Knowledge – Definitions. Two Sentences. [2 Marks]
- b. Describe- Defend WHAT. Two PEEL Paragraphs. Include SoWa.[5 Marks]
- c. Explain- Defend WHY/HOW (often on significance or importance). Three PEEL Paragraphs. Include SoWas. [8 Marks]
- d. Discuss- Defend ONE position, show OPPOSITE views. Four PEEL + Conclusion. Include SoWa's. [15 Marks]

Tips

- a. Memorise key Sources of Wisdom and Authority (SoWa)
- b. Practice writing paragraphs that use SoWa to defend beliefs/teachings
- c. Review the 10 topics from the list above
 - i. make bullet points on each (think 5W's, who, what, when, where, why, how)
 - ii. Write a summary on each topic from the list
- d. Make a revision resource that you like (mind map, cue cards, podcast etc)

Resources/Materials

- a. Keyword lists inside your RE books
- b. notes from your lessons
- c. revision materials provided by your teacher