

Religious Education

Year 8 Key Vocabulary

Believe	Belief
Religion	Religious

Prejudice and Discrimination

Key Word	Definition
Ahimsa	
Ashram	
Caste	
Civil rights	
Discrimination	
Gender	
Justice	
Pacifist	
Persecute	
Prejudice	
Racism	
Scapegoat	
Segregation	
Stereotyping	
Terrorism	
Untouchables	
Varna	
Oppression	
Marginalised	
Sexism	
Advocate	
Dialogue	
Diversity	
Privilege	
Social justice	
Tolerance	
Protest	

War and Peace

Key Word	Definition
Ahimsa	
Conscientious objector	
Human rights	

Concentration camp	
Conflict	
Refugee	
Peace	
Forgiveness	
Reconciliation	
Protest	
Violence	
Discrimination	
Just War	
Jihad	
Justice	
Pacifist	
Persecute	
Prejudice	
Racism	
Scapegoat	
Segregation	
Terrorism	
Holy war	
Crusade	
Oppression	
Marginalised	
Holy War	
Environment	
Dialogue	
Diversity	
Privilege	
Social justice	
Quaker	
United Nations	
Nuclear	
Holocaust	

Life after Death

Key Word	Definition
Afterlife	
Sacred	
Atman	
Eternal	
Freewill	
Karma	
Heaven	
Hell	

Jannah	
Jahannam	
Moksha	
Nirvana	
Paradise	
Soul	
Reincarnation	
Resurrection	
Sewa	
Predestination	
Enlightened	
Atheist	
Theist	
Agnostic	
Near death experience	
Immortality	
Humanist	
Supernatural	
Rebirth	
Funeral	
Purgatory	
Cremation	
Judgement	
Sin	