

Subject: Religious Studies

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Year 7	Why do beliefs and values matter? (Introduction to RS)	What beliefs do Jews have?	What beliefs do Christians have?	What beliefs do Hindus have?	What beliefs do Buddhists have?	Why is it important to protect the Earth and animals?
Year 8	How is Islam perceived in the modern world? (Core Muslim beliefs)	How is Islam perceived in the modern world? (Islam in the Media)	How should we punish those who commit crime?	How should we punish those who commit crime?	Is there life after death?	How can people influence their societies and the world?
Year 9	Can we Justify evil and suffering? (Religious responses)	Can we Justify evil and suffering? (Holocaust case study)	How does religion respond to matters of life and death?	How does religion respond to matters of life and death?	Is war ever acceptable?	What are New Religious Movements?
Year 10	Paper 1: Islam Beliefs	Paper 1: Islam Practices	Paper 2: Theme B: Religion and life	Paper 2: Theme B: Religion and life Paper 2: Theme E: Crime and Punishment	Paper 2: Theme E: Crime and Punishment	Paper 2: Theme D: Religion, War and peace
Year 11	Paper 1: Christianity Beliefs	Paper 1: Christian Practices	Paper 2: Theme F: Human Rights and social justice	Revision	Revision and exams	Exams

Awarding and specification information for KS4:

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Component choices:

- The study of Religion: Christianity and Islam (Beliefs and Practices)
- Thematic Studies: Theme B Religion and Life, Theme D Religion Peace and Conflict, Theme E Religion Crime and Punishment and Theme F Religion and Social Justice