

Working towards End of Key Stage 3: Progress Ladder

This table outlines the skills required by the Agreed Syllabus to achieve the end of key stage expectations and projects what is expected in each year group.

	Y7: Pupils working towards KS3 expectations will:	Y8: Pupils partially achieving KS3 expectations will:	Y9: Pupils securely achieving KS3 expectations will:
A. Investigate the beliefs and practices of religions and other world views	Express understanding of a range of Give a considered response to Describe and explain Give reasons for Explore and give reasons for	Explain a range of Show understanding of Explain influence of Appraise reasons for Explain how Enquire about	Explain and interpret arrange of Show coherent understanding of Appraise reasons for Interpret a range of Explain how and why differences Enquire into differences
Summarised as...	Explain, giving a considered response	Explain influences and impact	Interpret variety
B. Investigate how religions and other world views address questions of meaning, purpose and value	Explain and give reasons for Explore and explain diversity Explore and respond, giving reasons	Explain clearly, reasonably and coherently Evaluate religious Explain and make well-informed responses	Explain clearly, reasonably and coherently Evaluate and analyse Make well informed and reasoned responses Investigate and express insights
Summarised as...	Explain diversity	Explain beliefs and ideas clearly, recognising diversity	Evaluate explanations with cogent arguments
c. Investigate how religions and other world views influence morality, identity and diversity	Observe and show understanding of Assess the importance of Explore and express views with reasons Consider and weigh up issues	Explain differences Explore and express well informed views Examine and evaluate issues	Interpret a range of Analyse controversies Explore and express insights Research and evaluate
Summarised as...	Weigh up different ideas	Examine and respond coherently	Research and evaluate