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| **2021** | Religious Studies GCSE Assessment Plan |
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How are you going to be assessed?

In order to give you the fairest possible assessment you will complete the assessments outlined with dates below

These assessments will be completed during your normal lessons and a schedule has been outlined below. Each assessment will be under exam conditions. Those students who are entitled to extra time will be given this and exam concessions will be sorted as necessary.

Your performance in these assessments will be judged against the AQA Religious Studies assessment guidance for awarding of levels 1-9 and cover the Assessment Objectives specified by the AQA examboard.

**Assessment Schedule**

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|  | **Date of Assessment** | **Subject content assessed** | **Generic content** |
| **1** | 16/4/21 | Theme E Crime and Punishment | Religious and moral views on evil and suffering, crime and punishment and the ethical issues surrounding the death penalty and corporal punishment. |
| **2** | 23/4/21 | Theme B Religion and Life | Morel, ethical and philosophical outlooks on issues such as abortion, euthanasia , medical ethics, animal rights and stewardship. |
| **3** | 30/4/21 | Theme D Religion peace and conflict | Religious, moral, ethical and philosophical views on war and peace, pacifism, causes of war, Just war theory. |
| **4** | 14/5/21 | Christian beliefs and practices | The study of beliefs, teachings and practices in Christianity |
| **5** | 28/5/21 | Islamic beliefs and practices | The study of beliefs, teachings and practices in Islam. |

**Assessment Preparation**

In order to prepare you effectively for these assessments you will recap these topics during your RE lessons and you will be expected to complete independent home learning as directed by your teacher prior to each assessment.

Revision materials and practice questions will be available in paper copies and in Microsoft Teams.

If you have any questions about the assessment plan then please get in touch:

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