

What are the aims and intentions of this curriculum?

To provide students with a knowledge and understanding of key Christian beliefs and teachings

Term	Topics	Knowledge covered	Skills developed	Assessment
Autumn 1	Catholic Beliefs and Teachings	Catholic beliefs about the Creation, The Trinity, Incarnation, Jesus as Human and Divine. Miracles of Jesus	Students will develop skills linked to the GCSE exam criteria. They will cover 4 skills: Skill A - Knowledge, Skill B: Description, Skill C: Explain and Skill D: Evaluation	Key Word and Knowledge Test
Autumn 2	Catholic Beliefs and Teachings	The Reformation and how this effected changes to the church. Differences between Catholics and protestants.	Students will develop skills linked to the GCSE exam criteria. They will cover 4 skills: Skill A - Knowledge, Skill B: Description, Skill C: Explain and Skill D: Evaluation	End of Topic Assessment covering all aspects of learning.
Spring 1	Are all men Equal/ Global issues?	Global warming and how to be Stewards of creation. Students look at equity and the work of Martin Luther King.	Students will develop skills linked to the GCSE exam criteria. They will cover 4 skills: Skill A - Knowledge, Skill B: Description, Skill C: Explain and Skill D: Evaluation	Key Word and Knowledge Test
Spring 2	Pilgrimage	Where do people go on Pilgrimage? The meaning and importance of pilgrimage.	Students will develop skills linked to the GCSE exam criteria. They will cover 4 skills: Skill A - Knowledge, Skill B: Description, Skill C: Explain and Skill D: Evaluation	End of Topic Assessment covering all aspects of learning.
Summer 1	Hinduism	Key beleifs and teachings of Hinduism. Festivals and Rituals.	Students will develop skills linked to the GCSE exam criteria. They will cover 4 skills: Skill A - Knowledge, Skill B: Description, Skill C: Explain and Skill D: Evaluation	Key Word and Knowledge Test
Summer 2	Confirmation	Diocese scheme of work on preparation for confirmation.	Students will develop skills linked to the GCSE exam criteria. They will cover 4 skills: Skill A - Knowledge, Skill B: Description, Skill C: Explain and Skill D: Evaluation	End of Year exam covering all topics covered in the year