

## Curriculum Map - Year 9 - Religious Studies (2024-25)

Topic name	Term	Skills developed	Prior learning	Next link in curriculum
<ul> <li>Marriage, Relationships and Family Life</li> <li>The importance of marriage in religion</li> <li>The status of marriage in society</li> <li>Religious attitudes to family planning and contraception</li> <li>Religious attitudes to relationships outside of marriage</li> <li>Humanist attitudes to relationships outside of marriage</li> <li>Religious attitudes to same sex relationships</li> <li>Religious attitudes to divorce and remarriage</li> <li>Religious and humanist views on the role of the family</li> <li>Gender roles within the family</li> </ul>	Autumn	<ul> <li>Interpretation</li> <li>Analysis</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Evaluation</li> <li>Reflection</li> <li>Empathy</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Ethics</li><li>Philosophy</li></ul>	Global perspectives curriculum GCSE RS
Religious Journeys  Why do people go on sacred journeys?  What is the difference between a pilgrimage and a holiday?  Christian places of pilgrimage  Hajj  Ganges  Amritsar  Holy Land	Spring Half Term 3	<ul> <li>Interpretation</li> <li>Analysis</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Evaluation</li> <li>Reflection</li> <li>Empathy</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Ethics</li><li>Philosophy</li></ul>	Rites of Passage War and Peace
Human Rights and Social Justice  Christian teaching on human rights  Attitudes towards equality  Attitudes and teachings towards religious freedom  Teachings on prejudice and discrimination  Racial harmony and discrimination  Distribution of wealth  Religious teaching on wealth  Social justice - causes of poverty	Spring Half Term 4	<ul> <li>Interpretation</li> <li>Analysis</li> <li>Explanation</li> <li>Evaluation</li> <li>Reflection</li> <li>Empathy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Beliefs and concepts</li> <li>Authority</li> <li>Rights and responsibilities</li> <li>Global issues</li> </ul>	Marriage, relationships and family



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<ul> <li>Evil and suffering</li> <li>The problem of evil</li> <li>Where does evil come from</li> <li>Nature of evil</li> <li>Origins of evil</li> <li>Responses to evil</li> </ul>	Summer	<ul><li>Interpretation</li><li>Analysis</li><li>Explanation</li><li>Evaluation</li><li>Reflection</li><li>Empathy</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Beliefs and concepts</li> <li>Authority</li> <li>Rights and responsibilities</li> <li>Global issues</li> </ul>	Global perspectives curriculum GCSE RS
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