



Subject

Presentation Video:

Religious Education

Supporting you to make an informed decision

If you have any questions, please contact Ms Moosa

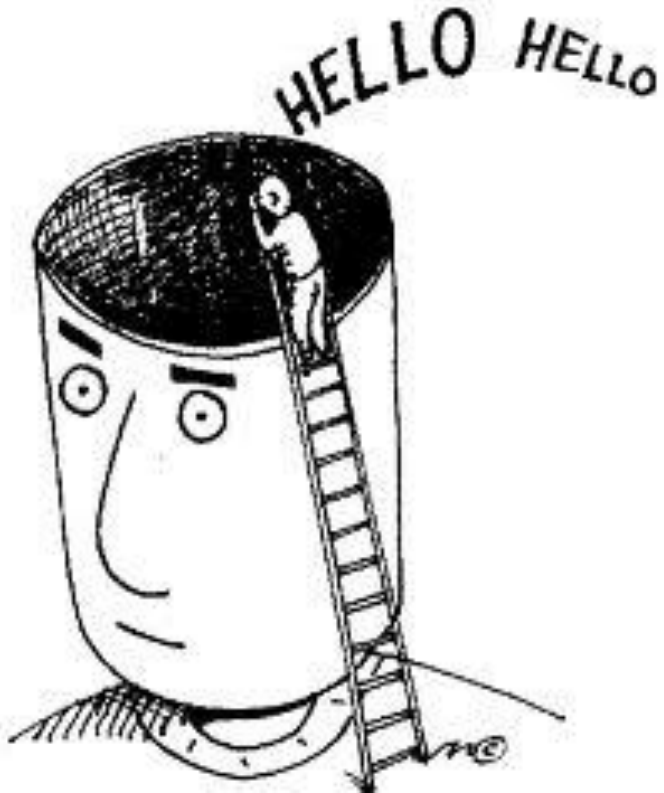
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DELIVERING A CORE EDUCATION

GCSE Religious Education



Before GCSE RE



After GCSE RE





Summary of Assessment

Paper	Area of Study	Qualification Weighting %
1	Study of Christianity and Islam	50% 1hr45 written exam
2	<u>Thematic Studies</u> Religion and Relationships Religion and Life Religion Peace and Conflict Religion Crime and Punishment	50% 1hr45 written exam

Results

2016-2017
A* - C 85%

2017-2018
9- 4 89%

2018-2019
9- 4 100%

2019-2020
9- 4 95%

2021-2022
9- 4 98%

2022-2023
9-4 92%

And we are
continuing to
improve each
year.....



Potential Careers

Prominent careers	Teaching, Civil Service, National Security, Diplomatic Service, Defence Industry, Human Rights, Law, Politics, Emergency Services: Police, Fire, Ambulance, Coastguard, Human resources.
RE with English	Advertising, Publishing, Journalism, Media, Broadcasting, Copywriting.
RE with Science	Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary, Medical laboratories, Research & development.
RE with Maths	Banking, Business, Management, Retail.
RE with Geography	Pilot, Armed Forces, Aid agencies, Charity worker, Travel & Tourism.
RE with other subjects	Hospitality, Youth & Social Work, Councillor, Translators, Self-Employment, Office Administrators.

Russell Group states that: “Religious Studies ... provides suitable preparation for entry to university in general.”

Cambridge University published a list of subjects which are regarded as acceptable preparation for entry - RE appears in the top level list.

What will I study?

Some key points you will learn about in RE:

- Is abortion right?
- Is it okay to end a sick person's life?
- Should we reintroduce the death penalty?
- How should we behave towards homosexual people?
- Is self defence acceptable?

Every topic will be taught with an application to Islam and Christianity.

Skills:

- Interpret data
- Looking at case studies
- Explanation
- Analytical skills
- Independent work
- Research skills
- Group work



Student Comments

'RE has really helped to improve my writing skills in other subjects like English'.

'I've learned loads in RE since September – I'm really broadening my knowledge'.



'RE pushes me to my limits in terms of knowledge. It makes me work really hard'.

'I enjoy RE because I feel like I'm learning loads of new things that I didn't know, or even have an interest in, before'.

'RE has made me realise why a whole range of people behave in the way that they do'.

'It's interesting to learn about other cultures and their responses to modern events and issues'.

This could be you....

Words of caution

Do:

- Pick RE if you think you are interested in it
- If you are interested in developing your own opinion
- If you can easily consider other points of view
- If you are willing to work hard as it is not an 'easy subject'.



Do Not:

- Pick RE because your friends have chosen it
- Pick RE because you like your teacher- they may change
- Pick RE if you do not have a genuine interest in Christianity and Islam
- If you can only think of one point of view

