

Curriculum Overview – Year 7 Religious Education

Unit Title	Learning	How can parents best support?
Who is Jesus? Half Term 1/2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who is Jesus? • Jesus Birth: What do the Gospels say? • Miracles (1): What is a miracle? • Miracles (2): Examples of miracles. Are they real? • Parables: Why did Jesus use parables? • Crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus: • WWJD: What can we learn from accounts of Jesus' teachings 	<p>Encourage students to read around the subject. Point out any news articles that consider Christianity. Talk to students about their own reasons for belief/non-belief.</p> <p>Discuss different teachings and their influence in the world.</p>
Sikhism Half Term 2/3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guru Nanak: Who was he? • Rich man Poor man: What did this parable mean? • Gurdwara: Where and how do Sikhs worship? • 5 Ks: What are the 5Ks? • Khalsa and Sewa: Why do Sikhs help others? 	<p>Discuss different charities that students may like to support and the reasons why people give to charity or volunteer their time.</p> <p>Encourage students to read around the subject.</p>
Holy books and Sacred writings Half Tem 3/4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bible Summary: What is the Bible? • What does the Bible teach? • Stanley Tookie Williams: Can the Bible change a life? • Torah: How is it made and used? • Torah: Why is it important? • Qur'an: Why is it important for Muslims? • Qur'an: How is it treated? 	<p>Discuss different beliefs.</p> <p>Encourage students to be respectful of other beliefs even if they do not agree with them.</p> <p>Encourage students to think about what influences has affected them in their lives.</p>

<p>Hinduism Half Term 5/6</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Beliefs about God• Creation• Avatars• Thread Ceremony• Life and Death	<p>Discuss their own beliefs about what may happen when we die. Encourage students to think about their own reasons for their beliefs about God, special ceremonies and the afterlife. Highlight any news stories or age appropriate documentaries about reincarnation.</p>
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