

Religious Education Year 7



RE Skills

Compare and contrast the similarities and differences within religions.

Identify and apply sources of wisdom and authority from different religions.

Apply a range of specialist terminology.

Develop and evaluate judgements on how religious world views impact belief and practices.

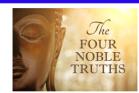






This way to Year 8





Summer Term

Exploration of the Eastern religions Buddhism

- Explain the origins and main schools of thought in Buddhism
- Analyse the purpose of the Three Universal Truths, the Four Noble Truths and The Eightfold Path
- Evaluate the importance of meditation for Buddhists



Spring Term

Exploration of the Eastern religions Hinduism

- Explore the origins of Hinduism
- Explain the nature of God in Hinduism
- Analyse the purpose of life for Hindus
- Evaluate the importance of the great epics in Hinduism





Comparative study of the Abrahamic religions

- Explain the importance of Abraham in Christianity, Judaism and Islam
- Analyse to what extent Moses was an inspirational leader
- Evaluate the importance of inspirational leaders in Christianity, Judaism and Islam



KS3 learning summary

In KS3 students will broadly explore the similarities and differences between the three major Abrahamic faiths and examine beliefs and teachings from the eastern religions of Hinduism and Buddhism. Students will be able to broadly develop their knowledge and understanding which will provide the foundation for further development in later units of year 7, 8 and 9. Students will be given the opportunity to revisit and improve their skills whilst applying them to a range of religious and non-religious worldviews.



