

King' Religious Studies Curriculum Map 2023/24

Autumn	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Summative Assessment	Belief: Why is it important to study Religious Studies?	Judaism: What is the Jewish worldview?	Reality: What is real?
	How do we know the truth?	What is the Jewish identity?	Philosophy- how do we know if something is real?
	Where does belief come from?	What is the story of the Jews? Explain why Jews have spread around the world	What does Plato think is real? Formative answer/feedback
Yr 8 w/b 9 th Oct	What religious and non-religious belief is there in the UK? 2021 census: Assessed answer/feedback	Whole school assessment/feedback	How do we know what is real today?
	Does Winchester represent the religions of the UK? 2021 census	How do Jews keep the covenant?	How did Aristotle discover what is real?
	What is a religion? Ninian Smart	How do different Jews interpret the mitzvot?	Which is more helpful in identifying the truth about reality: Empiricism or Rationalism?
Yr 9 w/b 27 th Nov	How is religious belief shown? Case studies Gandhi	Did the Jews lose their identity during the holocaust?	Whole school assessment/feedback
	What is my worldview?	Christianity: What is the Christian worldview?	"Plato is right: we can know the truth about reality using reason alone."
	Why is Religious Studies important? Assessed answer/feedback	Who is the Christian God? Who was Jesus? Why did Jesus have to die? What are the challenges to Christianity? What is non religion?	

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Summative Assessment	Ethics: How do we decide what is the right thing to do?	Islam: What is the Muslim worldview?	God: Does God exist?
	What is the study of ethics?	What is the story of Islam?	Does God exist?
	What are ethical theories?	What do Muslims believe?	Has science discovered God?
Yr 7 w/b 5 th Feb	Whole school assessment/feedback	How do Muslims show these beliefs?	What is the nature of God?
	What is right or wrong using thought experiments?	What are the challenges to Islam?	How helpful is philosophy in thinking through the problem of evil?
Yr 8 w/b 25 th Mar	Is Kantian ethics the best way to make ethical decisions?	Whole school assessment/feedback	Where was God? 9/11 case study
	How do Virtue ethicists make moral decisions?		
	How do Virtue ethicists make moral decisions: Kings' school values		
	Are humans more important than animals?		

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Summative Assessment	Judaism: What is the Jewish worldview?	Buddhism: What is the Buddhist worldview?	What are the Jewish responses to the Holocaust?
	What is the Jewish identity?	What are the main differences between the Dharmic and Abrahamic traditions?	What was the Holocaust?
Yr 9 w/b 22 nd April			Whole school assessment/feedback
	What is the story of the Jews? Explain why Jews have spread around the world Assessed answer/ feedback	What do Buddhists believe about life?	What was life like for Jewish people before the Holocaust?
	How do Jews keep the covenant?	What do Buddhists believe about existence?	What is the history of antisemitism?
	How do different Jews interpret the mitzvot?		
Yr 7 w/b 10 th June	Whole school assessment /feedback	Who was the Buddha and how did he teach liberation from samsara?	What was the Jewish experience of the Holocaust? Case study Elie Wiesel.
	Did the Jews lose their identity during the Holocaust? Assessed answer/feedback	How is it possible to stop suffering?	What are the Jewish responses to the Holocaust?
		How do the Abrahamic and Dharmic faiths differ when dealing with suffering?	