

Religious Education: Year 9



CARDINAL
NEWMAN
CATHOLIC SCHOOL



Component 1: Origins and Meanings

You will consider forms through key paintings and symbolism and will learn key practices such as Loving and Serving in Catholic communities in Britain and beyond.

Skills covered: Evaluation of arguments, writing persuasively, exam technique and effective SPAG.



SUMMER
3:2

Component 1: Origins and Meanings

You will consider religious and non-religious beliefs about the origins and value of the universe and human life.

Skills covered: Use of scripture and other sources of authority, contrasting scientific and/or nonreligious world-views such as those held by Atheists and Humanists



SUMMER
3:1

Judaism- Practices

You will consider Jewish Practices and how they impact on your faith. You will review different types of Jews and explore the Synagogue. Develop an understanding of Jewish worship and prayer. Explore the significance of Shekinah, Torah, Talmud and other key scripture. Engage with key Jewish initiation ceremonies and significant festivals- Brit Milah, Marriage, Funerals, Yom Kipper.

Skills Covered: Evaluate the importance of different religious beliefs and teachings in relation to practices – looking at two different sides of an argument and be able to express opinion.



SPRING
2:2



Introduction to GCSE and Judaism beliefs

What is Judaism? What are the different types of Jews? What is Shema and the nature of Goa Covenant and the significance of Abraham and Moses? What is Shekinah? Exploration of the Ten Commandments, Mitzvot. Pikuach Nefesh, Life after Death and Messiah.

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PROPHECY & PROMISE

You will know how to navigate the Bible, different interpretations of the Bible and why the Bible is important to Catholics. You will also understand what it means to say that scripture is 'inspired' and how scripture is communicated in the Catholic Church through the magisterium. In this unit, you will also have the opportunity to explore artistic expressions from the Book of Kells.



AUTUMN
1:2

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Islam

You will understand the Origins of Islam, the five pillars, place of worship, how Muslim's pray and different traditions e.g the pilgrimage of Hajj

Skills covered – Research, interpretation and writing skills. You will also develop your ability to make links between religions



OUR LEARNING
JOURNEY