

	Half Term	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10 (GCSE)	Year 11 (GCSE)
Autumn Term 2026	1	What do we mean by community? Christianity, Humanism, Buddhism, Judaism, Community activities, shared rules, equality, consideration, mission statements.	Prejudice and discrimination Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, Humanism, Caste System, Gandhi, Malala, Malcolm X, Dalai Lama, Martin Luther King, Rosa Parks, Antisemitism, UN Declaration of Human Rights	What is crime and punishment? Christianity, Hinduism, Good and evil, reasons for crime, attitudes to law breakers, main aims of punishment, different types of crime suffering, treatment of prisoners, forgiveness.	Hinduism Beliefs and teachings Brahman, The Divine, Brahma, Vishnu, Shiva, deities, avatars, cosmology, atman, samsara, karma, moksha, personal virtue, sanatana dharma Hinduism Practices Worship, festivals, deities, teachers, yoga, pilgrimage, environment, cow protection, tree preservation, charities. Christianity – beliefs and teachings God, nature of God, Trinity, creation, crucifixion, resurrection, afterlife, sin, salvation.	Theme D Religion, peace and conflict Protest, war, nuclear war, Just War, Holy War, pacifism, victims of war. Theme B Religion and life Origins, value of the world, environment, pollution, animals, abortion, euthanasia. Theme E Religion, crime and punishment Crime and punishment, reasons for crime, aims of punishment, suffering, treatment of criminals, forgiveness, death penalty. Theme F Religion, human rights and social justice Social justice, human rights, religious freedom, prejudice, discrimination, wealth, poverty, exploitation.
	2	Why does a community need rules? Christianity, Humanism, Buddhism, Judaism, Islam, Five Precepts, Ten Commandments, utilitarianism, Good Samaritan, Two Great Commandments, Five Pillars of Islam.				
Spring Term 2027	3	Birth and coming of age ceremonies Sikhism, Islam, Christianity, Judaism, Mool Mantra, Baptism, Brit Milah, Bar and Bat Mitzvah Symbols and sacred objects Sikhism, Islam, Christianity, Judaism, Buddhism, Hinduism Symbols, sacred objects, special clothing, religious art	Peace and conflict Christianity, Judaism, Buddhism, Hinduism, Humanism The Golden Rule, Just War, Holocaust, Eightfold Path, pacifism, Desmond Tutu.	Philosophy of religion Christianity, Humanism, Buddhism Plato, Descartes, First Cause theory, evolution, Freud, Marx.	Christianity Practices Worship, prayer, baptism, holy communion, pilgrimage, festivals, local community, mission, persecution, poverty. Theme D Religion, peace and conflict Protest, war, nuclear war, Just War, Holy War, pacifism, victims of war.	Revision Exam dates - TBC Study of religion – Christian and Hindu beliefs, teachings and practices. Study of Themes. Two exam papers 50% = Christian and Hindu beliefs, teachings and practices. 50% = Study of themes. All Themes are taught from a Christian and Hindu perspective.
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Summer Term 2027	5	Festivals Judaism, Christianity, Hinduism, Sikhism, Islam, Passover, Easter, Divali Holy books Islam, Sikhism, Christianity, Judaism, Humanism Qur'an, Guru Granth Sahib, Bible, Torah	Environment and creation Christianity, Hinduism, Humanism, Buddhism, Aboriginal Creation, stewardship, dominion, scientific theories, Greta Thunberg, David Attenborough, activism, endangered species.	Religion and ethics Buddhism, Islam, Hinduism, Christianity, Judaism, Locke, Nietzsche, utilitarianism, runaway train, evil, artificial intelligence,		
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