



Academic Learning Plan
Beliefs and Worldviews Yr 8

Intent : Building on work done in year 7, students revisit key ideas such as Gods and worldviews while developing an idea of how worldviews influence people to act differently and express themselves.



	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Year 7 Units	Why do people believe?	Ethics	Why do we suffer?	Development of Islam	Religious expression	Religious expression
Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is philosophy Design arguments Religious experiences Problem of evil Theodicy of Augustine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 commandments and divine command theory Agape and situation ethics Utilitarianism Relativism Business ethics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Siddhartha 4 sights, 4 noble truths, 8 fold path Reincarnation and Karma Monks and laity Buddhism and suffering Irenaeus theodicy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bedouin Arabs Muhammad The Qur'an The hijrah Bilal Islam after Muhammad Ottoman empire 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sikh story of the Khalsa 5Ks Guru Granth Sahib Sikh temple layout Sikh military tradition Head covering and prayer in Islam Mosque layout 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How is Allah shown in Islam 99 Names Aerosol Arabic artwork Jesus in art Worldviews in music NATRE competition
Literacy	Key word focus	Key word focus	Key word focus.	Key word focus.	Key word focus.	Key word focus.
Knowledge organiser	In books and used for homework.	In books and used for homework.	In books and used for homework	In books and used for homework	In books and used for homework	In books and used for homework
Assessment	Knowledge	Selecting points, explaining, evidence and knowledge.	Knowledge	Counter points (argument)	Knowledge	Counter arguments, points, evidence and knowledge.
GCSE AO Link (or other) if applicable		A02 Analyse and evaluate aspects of religion and belief including their significance and influence.	A02 Analyse and evaluate aspects of religion and belief including their significance and influence.	A01 Beliefs practices and sources of authority A01 Influence on individuals, communities and societies	A01 Influence on individuals, communities and societies	A01 Influence on individuals, communities and societies
Homework	Knowledge quiz from knowledge organiser	Knowledge quiz from knowledge organiser	Key words or revision focus	Key words or revision focus	Key words or revision focus	Key words or revision focus
CEIAG	B2 Explore philosophy as subject	B2 Explore ethics as a subject			B3 Look at role Sikh faith plays in military	
Enrichment						Spirited arts national competition entry