

# Religious Studies-Y8, 2022/23



Half Term 1: 5 <sup>th</sup> September – 21 <sup>st</sup> October (7 weeks)							Holiday	Half Term 2	
Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7		Week 8	Week 9
What is a religious founder and who was Guru Nanak?		The Ten Sikh Gurus		Who was Prophet Muhammad?		Who was Jesus?	Holiday	Who was Jesus?	Teachings of Jesus
Half Term 2: 31 <sup>st</sup> October – 16 <sup>th</sup> December (7 weeks)					Holiday	Holiday		Half Term 3: 3 <sup>rd</sup> January - 10 <sup>th</sup> February (6 weeks)	
Week 10	Week 11	Week 12	Week 13	Week 14			Week 15	Week 16	Week 17
Teachings of Jesus	Miracles of Jesus		SPA lesson		Holiday	Holiday	Closing the Gap lesson		what is challenging about being a religious teen?-Sikhism
Half Term 3: 3 <sup>rd</sup> January - 10 <sup>th</sup> February (6 weeks)			Holiday	Half Term 4: 20 <sup>th</sup> February – 31 <sup>st</sup> March (6 weeks)					
Week 18	Week 19	Week 20		Week 21	Week 22	Week 23	Week 24	Week 25	Week 26
What is good and what is challenging about being a religious teen?- Sikhism	What is good and what is challenging about being a religious teen?- Islam		Holiday	What is good and what is challenging about being a religious teen?- Buddhism		Places of worship- Christianity		Places of worship- Islam	
Holiday	Holiday	Half Term 5: 17 <sup>th</sup> April – 26 <sup>th</sup> May (6 weeks)						Holiday	Half Term 6
		Week 27	Week 28	Week 29	Week 30	Week 31	Week 32		Week 33
Holiday	Holiday	Places of worship- Buddhism		Do we need to prove God's existence?- Belief and Conversion		philosophical arguments for the existence of God		Holiday	Philosophical arguments for the existence of God
		Half Term 6: 5 <sup>th</sup> June – 21 <sup>st</sup> July (7 weeks)					Curriculum Intent:		
Week 34	Week 35	Week 36	Week 37	Week 38	Week 39	In year 8, students will have an increased awareness of a range of religious and world views. They will study a broad range of topics from the point of view of Islam, Christianity, Sikhism and Buddhism. Students will be able to appreciate and appraise different responses as well as develop their own response to some of the significant human questions.			
Philosophical arguments for the existence of God	Religious Experience		Religion, Evil and Suffering		End of Topic Presentations				