Year:
Philosophy,
Religion and
Ethics

Curriculum Intent:

Students will understand the importance of the Christian religious traditions in British society and how Christianity is the established religion in a country of diverse religious traditions. They will understand the role of the Monarch as Supreme Governor of the Church of England and the role religion plays in public life. The concept of secularisation including the place of religion in a secular society, effects of secularisation on religion and the rise of humanism will be explored. Students will also debate the potential clashes between religious and secular values in education, religion, tradition and secular law. Students will also learn about and evaluate potential clashes between religious teachings and scientific development in medical ethics. Then they will study different teachings, beliefs and attitudes of Christians towards each other and towards other religious groups and the significance of shared values and ideals between religious and non-religious groups for individuals, communities and society.



Unit title:	Term 1					
Dialogue	Dialogue within and between religious and non-religious beliefs and attitudes		Term 2 - Revision		Term 3 -Exams	
Topic Titles (in order of delivery)	Challenges for religion The Monarch Religion in Public Life Secularisation Secularism and Humanism Intra-faith communication	Interfaith communication Christianity and non- religious views Clashes in Education Revision and preparation for PPE's	Laws on marriage Laws on equality Medical Ethics Euthanasia Abortion Genetic Manipulation Disagreements	Revision	Revision	Exams
Key knowledge / Retrieval topics	Bishops House of Lords Public holidays Celebrations Church schools Secular ethics Values in school Faith schools Religion and national identity	Ecumenism Intra-faith Inter-faith Proselytization 21st century Britain State schools Faith schools confessionalism Religious education	Collective worship Civil and same sex marriage Forced, arranged and child marriages Divorce and remarriage Equality laws Women in church	Revision of Christian beliefs and teachings Revision of Islamic beliefs and teachings Revision of philosophy	Revision of ethics	

	Atheism	National Secular	Euthanasia and the			
	Agnosticism	Society	right to die			
	Humanism		Science and			
	Secularism		technology			
	Exclusivism		Assisted suicide			
	Inclusivism		Sanctity of life			
	Pluralism		Abortion			
			Pro life v pro choice			
			Genetic			
			manipulation			
			creation			
			Sanctity of life			
	Peace and Justice	PPE's – Paper 1, 2	Dialogue - end of	Paper 1, 2 and 3	GCSE's	
Assessment	assessment	and 3	Unit test	assessments of past		
				papers		
	Dialogue assessment					