



YEAR 9 CURRICULUM

Subject: RS

Head of Department: Ester Adams

Topics of Study:

- Introduction to Philosophy and Ethics.
- Buddhism.
- The problem of Evil and Suffering.
- Christianity- beliefs and teachings.

Assessment overview:

- Autumn Term: Essay style questions on Ethical and Philosophical issues.
- Spring Term 1: Essay style questions on Buddhism.
- Spring Term 2: Essay on Evil and Suffering.
- Summer Term: GCSE questions on Christian beliefs and teachings.

Homework:

- Students will be set homework via Show My Homework once a fortnight.

Extra curricular opportunities:

- Citizenship and fundraising activities

The following websites are recommended to extend learning:

- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/subjects/zh3rkqt>
- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/religion>