



KS3: Year 8 Religious Education

Year 8

Living within the faith

In year 8 students will develop their faith further by looking at the history of the Jewish nation and how faith has grown. Students will explore how they can live out their faith in a positive and enlightened way.

Can one person change the world?

Students will embark on a journey of discipleship and reflect upon how you can be a disciple today. They will explore the meaning and significance of pilgrimage and martyrdom.

How does the Bible help Christians to live?

Students will look at the teachings of Jesus and their relevance today. They will also explore ethical and moral theories such as Situation Ethics.

The Afterlife

Students will discuss what happens after death. Is there an afterlife or is death the end? Examine religious scripture to explore Christian views about life after death as well as non-religious views.

Living a moral life

Students will examine the works of CAFOD and how they work around the world for peace and justice. They will explore moral actions within Buddhism.



Abrahamic Origins

Students will explore the Abrahamic origins and how important to the three Abrahamic religions-Christianity, Judaism and Islam. They will also explore why Covenants are important within religions.

The Bible as a source of authority

Students to consider whether following the Bible makes you a better person and if living Biblically means obeying the Bible.

Spirituality and Religious art

Students will explore the concept of spirituality and what the different meanings are for different people.. They will explore how art is used within many religions and identify the similarities and differences.

Faith in action

Students will explore the importance and need of serving others. Compare religious moral rules with non-religious moral principles and debate how far God or religion encourages and inspires loving actions.

Assessments

2 Exam Seasons

- Winter
- Summer

Students are also assessed 3 times each term

To Year 9 ...

