

Religion & the Media

- Types of media
- How Christianity is portrayed
- How Islam is portrayed

Learning focuses on:

- Purpose of family life
- Marriage and divorce
- Adultery, cohabitation and contraception

LC3: Family & Relationships and Religion and Life

LC2: Crime and Punishment

Core: LC1-3 Religion and the Media

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Learning focuses on:

- Reasons why people commit crime
- Types of crime
- Aims of punishment
- Corporal and capital punishment
- Forgiveness and justice

Medical ethics:

- Abortion
- Euthanasia
- Designer babies

Learning focuses on:

- Origins of the universe
- Evolution
- Value of life
- Abortion and Euthanasia
- Animal experiments

Human rights:

- Sexuality
- Discrimination
- Religious freedom

LC1: Peace and Conflict

LC4: Hinduism practices

Core: LC3/4 Medical ethics

LC3: Hinduism beliefs

LC2: Christian Practices

Core: LC1/2 Human Rights

Year 11 Learning focuses on:

The beliefs about Peace and Conflict.

- Reasons for war
- Just was Theory
- Nuclear weapons
- Terrorism
- Forgiveness and pacifism

Learning focuses on:

- The importance and different forms of worship.
- Puja and Arati
- Pilgrimage
- Festival of Diwali & Holi
- Environmental practices

Learning focuses on:

- The nature of God
- The tri-murti (Brahma, Vishnu and Shiva)
- The nature of birth and death
- Free will
- The four aims of life – Kama, Artha, Moksha and Dharma

Learning focuses on:

- Different forms of worship
- The sacraments
- Evangelism
- Key celebrations – Christmas & Easter
- The idea of reconciliation



LC4: Peace and conflict

Learning focuses on:

- Key principles on how people make decisions.
- Utilitarianism
- Situation ethics
- Kantian ethics

Learning focuses on:

- Key arguments considering whether war is right or wrong.
- Key arguments on why religious people do not support war.

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LC1: Christian beliefs

GCSE: Religious studies

Year 10 Learning focuses on:

- The creation of the universe
- The life and teachings of Jesus
- The existence of evil.



LC3: Ethics

LC2: Existence of God

Learning focuses on:

- Key arguments which support or disprove the existence of God.
- The first cause and design argument
- Miracles
- Science and evolution

Learning focuses on:

- The different ideas around suffering.
- How we can categorise suffering. – Moral and natural
- Different perspectives on why suffering exists- Hindu, Christian & Humanist

LC1: Suffering



LC4: Life after death

Learning focuses on:

- Different versions of creation in Christianity and Hinduism.
- The purpose of life within each religion
- The atheist perspective on creation

Learning focuses on:

- The different perspectives on what happens after death. – Heaven/Hell/Reincarnation
- Also considering the atheist perspective on life after death.

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LC3: Creation

LC2: Sikhi



LC1: Buddhism

Learning focuses on:

- Key beliefs and practices in Sikhism
- Guru Nanak
- Guru Granth Sahib
- The Sikh Khalsa
- The Gurdwara

Learning focuses on:

- Key beliefs and practices in Sikhism
- The life of Siddhartha
- The Noble Eightfold Path
- The Five Precepts
- Sangha



LC4: Hinduism

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LC3: Islam

- Learning focuses on:**
Key beliefs and practices in Islam
- Muhammad
 - 5 Pillars
 - The Hajj -Pilgrimage
 - Prayer

Learning focuses on:

- Key beliefs and practices in Hinduism
- Nature of God - Brahman
- Belief about life after death
- The Caste system
- Hindu worship



LC2: Christianity

LC1: Judaism

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Learning focuses on:

Key beliefs and practices in Christianity.

- Jesus teachings
- Miracles
- Jesus crucifixion and resurrection
- Incarnation

Learning focuses on:

Key beliefs and practices in Judaism.

- Abraham and the covenant
- Food laws
- The synagogue
- Jewish moral principles

