

GCSE RS

Course Specifications

Course Title: Religious Studies

Exam Board: AQA

Link to specification: [RS Spec 8062A](#)

Grading: GCSE 1-9

Course Details

What will you learn?

Year 10

Autumn

Christian Beliefs

Muslim Beliefs

Spring

Religion and Relationships

Christian Practices

Summer

Muslim Practices

Year 11

Autumn

Religion Crime and Punishment

Religion and Life

Spring

Religion Peace and Conflict

Summer

Terminal exam start of May

How will you be assessed?
During the course:
Year 10: End of unit tests, MYE, EOY
Year 11: End of unit tests, PPE1, PPE2
At the end of the course:
Your final grade will be awarded based on the following examinations and / or coursework.
Paper 1: Christian and Islam - beliefs and practices. (50% of total). Written exam. 1 hour and 45 minutes
Paper 2: Themes Paper (50% of total). Written exam. 1 hour and 45 minutes

What independent work can you do?
Learn:
Glossary of Key Terms here
RAG and Revisit:
PLCs here
Explore:
Recommended Reading textbooks here , search key words in online Bible , Christianity resources here BBC Bitesize here Islam resources here
Revise:
Top tips and strategies here
Prepare:
Exam papers here

Which resources should you use?
Your revision guide, online textbooks, YouTube revision channel

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