

RE department overview 2026-2027-KS3/4

	Michaelmas 1	Michaelmas 2	Lent 1	Lent 2	Trinity 1	Trinity 2
Year 7 In this year, pupils will explore God's revelation and the way in which this has gradually unfolded through salvation history.	Unit 1: Creation and covenant How do we come to know God through human reason?	Unit 2: Prophecy and promise How do we come to know God through divine revelation?	Unit 3: Galilee to Jerusalem How is Jesus the full and final revelation of God?	Unit 4: Desert to garden How is the mystery of Christ present in the Church today in the sacraments?	Unit 5: To the ends of the earth How does the Holy Spirit complete the revelation of God through the Church today?	Unit 6: Dialogue and encounter : Sikhism
Year 8 In this year, pupils will consider some of the existential questions that lie at the heart of the human condition and reflect on both the meaning of suffering and the meaning of death.	Unit 1: Creation and covenant Why do humans have a flawed nature? How does God call humans called to covenant fidelity despite their flawed nature?	Unit 2: Prophecy and promise Who were the Old Testament prophets and what was their message?	Unit 3: Galilee to Jerusalem What does Jesus teach about the Kingdom of God?	Unit 4: Desert to garden Why do humans suffer? What is the meaning of suffering?	Unit 5: To the ends of the earth How does Jesus' resurrection defeat the power of suffering and death?	Unit 6: Dialogue and encounter: Islam
Year 9 In this year, pupils will explore the mystery of the human person, by focusing on the meaning and importance of imago dei.	Unit 1: Creation and covenant What does the Bible teach about the dignity and equality of men and women?	Unit 2: Prophecy and promise What role do women play in salvation history?	Unit 3: Galilee to Jerusalem What does Jesus teach about discipleship? Who is called to discipleship?	Unit 4: Desert to garden How was Jesus' death redemptive? How does it call Christians to forgive?	Unit 5: To the ends of the earth What does it mean to say the Church is the communion of Saints?	Unit 6: Dialogue and encounter : Judaism
Year 10 Pupils will follow the AQA GCSE RE Specification B course	Paper 2: Judaism		Paper 1: Catholic Christianity Unit 1: Creation	Paper 1: Catholic Christianity Unit 2: Incarnation	Paper 1: Catholic Christianity Unit 4: Redemption	Paper 2: Themes Theme A: Religion, Relationships and families
Year 11 Pupils will follow the AQA GCSE RE Specification B course	Paper 2: Themes Theme A: Religion, Relationships and families	Paper 1: Catholic Christianity Unit 5: Church and Kingdom of God	Paper 2: Themes Theme C: Religion, human rights and social justice	Paper 1: Catholic Christianity Unit 6: Eschatology	Paper 1: Catholic Christianity Unit 3: Triune God	