

## **Religious studies Curriculum Offer**

KS5

### **Ethics**

(1 hour 15 minutes exam 33.3% of the AS level)

Ethical theories : Natural law, Situation ethics, Kantian ethics, Utilitarianism

Applied Ethics to the topics of : Euthanasia and Business ethics.

### **Philosophy of Religion**

(1 hour 15 minutes exam 33.3% of the AS level)

Ancient philosophical influences, Soul mind and body, Arguments for God's existence, Religious experience and the Problem of evil.

### **Development in Christian thought**

(1 hour 15 minutes exam 33.3% of the AS level)

Augustine's teaching on human nature, Death and the afterlife, Knowledge of God's existence, The person of Jesus, Christian moral principles and action.

## **KS3&4**

Students start a three year GCSE course in Year 9 for Short or long course exam in Year 11

AQA Religious studies A

Component 1 : The study of religions: beliefs, teachings and practices from the two religions of Christianity and Buddhism.

Component 2: Thematic studies

Religious, philosophical and ethical studies themes from Christian and Buddhist perspectives

- Relationships and families.
- Religion and life.
- Religion, peace and conflict.
- Religion, crime and punishment.

Students may opt to take the Edexcel entry level course in Religious studies