

Mulberry Academy Woodside (Religious studies GCSE) Curriculum Overview 2024 - 2025

INTENT: To create a personalised curriculum that promotes a love of learning; provides breadth of knowledge and skills; that is enriching and supportive and seeks to bridge the cultural knowledge gap in order to provide a platform for our students to succeed in whatever they aspire to do.

DEPARTMENT: Social studies

KS4		AUTUMN TERM		SPRING TERM		SUMMER TERM	
		TERM 1A	TERM 1B	TERM 2A	TERM 2B	TERM 3A	TERM 3B
YE AR 10	KNOW LEDGE	Christian beliefs Topics covered – The Origins of earth and the life of Jesus	Christian practices Topics - Forms of worship and work with the community	Islamic beliefs Topics covered - Six articles of faith	Islamic practices Topics covered - Five pillars of Islam	Theme A - Religion and families	Theme B Religion and life
	SKILLS	AO1: Recalling knowledge and understanding of Christian beliefs	AO2: Analyse and evaluate aspects of religion and belief Christian practices Exam skills: Answering discuss questions	AO1: Recalling knowledge and understanding and analysing and evaluating	AO1: Recalling knowledge and understanding and analysing and evaluating	AO1: Recalling knowledge and understanding and analysing and evaluating	AO1: Recalling knowledge and understanding and analysing and evaluating

		Exam skills: Answering give and explain questions		Exam skills: Answering give, explain and discuss questions	Exam skills: Answering give, explain and discuss questions	Exam skills: Answering give, explain and discuss questions	Exam skills: Answering give, explain and discuss questions
YE AR 11	KNOW LEDGE	Theme D Religion, peace and conflict Revision	Paper 1 - Preparation for the mock 1 Theme E - Religion, crime and punishment	Theme E - Religion, crime and punishment Revision Paper 2 - Preparation for the mock 2	Revision in preparation for the GCSE	Revision in preparation for the GCSE	
	SKILLS	AO1: Recalling knowledge and understanding and analysing and evaluating Exam skills: Answering give, explain and discuss questions	AO1: Recalling knowledge and understanding and analysing and evaluating Exam skills: Answering give, explain and discuss questions	AO1: Recalling knowledge and understanding and analysing and evaluating Exam skills: Answering give, explain and discuss questions	Developing effective revision and exam writing skills	Developing effective revision and exam writing skills	