



Religious Education

■ Remarkable Curriculum ■

Ambition

- Our religious studies curriculum aims to promote the spiritual, moral, and cultural development of students.
- Students of religious studies are able to ask challenging questions about the ultimate meaning and purpose of life.
- Our curriculum encourages students to develop respect for and sensitivity towards others, particularly those whose faiths and beliefs are different from their own.
- Our curriculum seeks to offer opportunities for students to experience valuable interactions with others from our diverse and inclusive community.

Commitment

- Our curriculum is committed to enabling students to express their own opinion on contemporary moral issues.
- We are committed to building students' confidence in forming their own arguments, and questioning those they disagree with.
- Our curriculum is committed to encouraging students to empathise with those around them, and to be open to new and different ideas.
- Our students reflect on and develop their own values, beliefs, and attitudes in light of what they have learned and contribute to their preparation for adult life in society and the global community.

Pride

- We are proud of the diversity of the world views which we study. Students are exposed to all major world faiths at KS3, and to many contemporary moral issues at KS4 and KS5.
- Our curriculum seeks to shape students into open-minded individuals who can appreciate cultural and religious differences.
- We encourage students to be proud of their own identity and to express themselves within school.
- We encourage our students to read philosophers from Ancient Greek philosophy to modern day, and texts from various religious traditions.
- We are proud to promote a curiosity within students about cultures and beliefs both around the world and at home.