

KS4 YEARS 9-11 PHILOSOPHY & RELIGIOUS STUDIES 2021/22

NB This is the first year where **all** students are taking at least a short course in RS GCSE, starting in Year 9, replacing the legacy 'PRE' course for Y11.

YEAR	TERM 1 (Autumn)	TERM 2 (Spring)	TERM 3 (Summer)
YEAR 9 (begin short course GCSE)	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity Or* Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity *or Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Theme A: Relationships and families *or Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict
YEAR 10 Full course GCSE	Mark's Gospel: Life of Jesus Practices: Islam	Mark's Gospel: Life of Jesus Practices: Islam ; Christianity	Mark's Gospel: Source of truths Practices: Islam ; Christianity
YEAR 11 Full course GCSE	Mark's Gospel: Life of Jesus Mark's Gospel: Source of truths Practices: Islam	Mark's Gospel: Source of truths Practices: Christianity	Practices: Christianity Revision
YEAR 10 (begin short course GCSE)	Carousel*: Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity / Beliefs and Teachings: Islam <i>Peace, Religion, and Conflict / Relationships and Families</i> <i>Mindfulness**</i>		
YEAR 11* Continue short course GCSE	Carousel*: <i>Logic / Mindfulness**</i> <i>Black Religion and Protest / TBC</i>		

* Note, all Y10 and 11 pupils have their core PRS lessons at the same time and will thus study each of the four GCSE units on a rotation for 15 lessons, across two years. The carousel is set out as below.

** We include a course on Mindfulness – a secular course, run by Mr Bader-Clynes. This aims to equip pupils with a toolkit to cope with a busy life. It is not examined but is taught on the PRE carousel.

Year 10 Short Course GCSE Carousel 2021-2022/3

Form	First Unit (studied in Year 9)	Second Unit (Year 10, September-February)	Third Unit (Year 10, February-July)	Fourth Unit (Autumn term Y11)	Fifth Unit (Spring term Y11)
10S	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity	Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict	Theme A: Relationships and families	Mindfulness
10T	Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Mindfulness	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity	Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict	Theme A: Relationships and families
10U	Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity	Mindfulness	Theme A: Relationships and families	Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict
10V	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity	Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict	Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Mindfulness	Theme A: Relationships and families

Year 11 Short Course GCSE Carousel 2021-2022/3

Form	Units studied in 2020-21 (when in Year 10)		Third Unit (Autumn Y11)	Fourth Unit (Spring Y11)
11S	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity	Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict	Theme A: Relationships and families
11T	Theme A: Relationships and families	Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict	Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity
11U	Beliefs and Teachings: Islam	Theme A: Relationships and families	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity	Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict
11V	Theme B: [D] Religion, peace and conflict	Beliefs and Teachings: Christianity	Theme A: Relationships and families	Beliefs and Teachings: Islam