

Religious Studies

Course Type: GCSE

Course Leader: Miss D'Amado

Topics covered:

- **Issues of life and death** (Creation; abortion; euthanasia; afterlife)
- **Issues of human rights** (Prejudice and discrimination; wealth and poverty)
- **Issues of relationships** (Role of family; marriage; divorce; sex before marriage)
- **Issues of good and evil** (The nature of good and evil; capital punishment; the aims of punishment)
- **Christianity** (A study of main beliefs and practices of Islam)
- **Islam** (A study of the main beliefs and practices of Christianity)

How is this subject examined:

Issues units: 2 hour exam (50%)

Christianity: 1 hour exam (25%)

Islam: 1 hour exam (25%)

Career Opportunities:

We develop analytical and evaluative skills, as well as increasing knowledge of a wide variety of beliefs held by many people in the UK and around the world. These skills and knowledge provide a firm basis for excelling in a number of professions.

For example: Law - Human Resources - Medical professions - Management positions - Journalism - Politics - Education - Civil Service - Police

