

RE

Learning Ladder

Key

Learning Ladders

The Learning Ladders are split into Year 7, 8 and 9 on different pages, and are colour coded to indicate the expected progress the students should be making. As students progress through Key Stage 3, their attainment is assessed against the Learning Ladder.



Blue indicates a level below expectations for the year group.



Grey indicates the expected level for the year group.



Red indicates a level beyond that expected for the year group.



Religious Education: Year 7

Knowledge and Understanding	Describe religions and world views, connecting ideas	Understanding ideas and practices, linking different viewpoints	Explain the impact of and connections between ideas, practices, viewpoints	Appreciate and appraise different understandings of religion and world views	Evaluate diverse beliefs, perspectives, sources or wisdom, ways of life	Analyse arguments cogently, justifying perspectives
Expressing and Communicating	Give thoughtful responses using different forms of expression in RE	Express and apply ideas thoughtfully in RE	Explain diverse ideas and viewpoints clearly in various forms	Express insights into questions, giving coherent accounts of beliefs and ideas	Explain ideas creatively and coherently, using the main methods of religious study	Synthesise your research in RE using different disciplines
Gaining and Deploying Skills	Consider and discuss questions, ideas and points of view	Apply ideas about religions and worldviews thoughtfully	Investigate and explain why religions and worldviews matter	Enquire into and interpret ideas sources and arguments	Evaluate questions and arguments personally and critically	Use varied disciplines of religious study to research ultimate questions

Expected achievement in Year 7 should be able to achieve:

I can outline religious ideas and practises, linking different viewpoints	I can express ideas thoughtfully in varied forms.	I can apply ideas about religions and worldviews thoughtfully and explain why worldviews matter
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Religious Education: Year 8

Knowledge and Understanding	Describe religions and world views, connecting ideas	Understanding ideas and practices, linking different viewpoints	Explain the impact of and connections between ideas, practices, viewpoints	Appreciate and appraise different understandings of religion and world views	Evaluate diverse beliefs, perspectives, sources or wisdom, ways of life	Analyse arguments cogently, justifying perspectives
Expressing and Communicating	Give thoughtful responses using different forms of expression in RE	Express and apply ideas thoughtfully in RE	Explain diverse ideas and viewpoints clearly in various forms	Express insights into questions, giving coherent accounts of beliefs and ideas	Explain ideas creatively and coherently, using the main methods of religious study	Synthesise your research in RE using different disciplines
Gaining and Deploying Skills	Consider and discuss questions, ideas and points of view	Apply ideas about religions and worldviews thoughtfully	Investigate and explain why religions and worldviews matter	Enquire into and interpret ideas sources and arguments	Evaluate questions and arguments personally and critically	Use varied disciplines of religious study to research ultimate questions

Expected achievement in Year 8 should be able to achieve:

I can explain the impact of and the connections between ideas, practises and viewpoints in religions and worldviews	I can express diverse ideas and viewpoints clearly in various forms and give coherent accounts of beliefs and ideas	I can investigate and explain why religions and world views matter and explain both sides of an argument
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Religious Education: Year 9

Knowledge and Understanding	Describe religions and world views, connecting ideas	Understanding ideas and practices, linking different viewpoints	Explain the impact of and connections between ideas, practices, viewpoints	Appreciate and appraise different understandings of religion and world views	Evaluate diverse beliefs, perspectives, sources or wisdom, ways of life	Analyse arguments cogently, justifying perspectives
Expressing and Communicating	Give thoughtful responses using different forms of expression in RE	Express and apply ideas thoughtfully in RE	Explain diverse ideas and viewpoints clearly in various forms	Express insights into questions, giving coherent accounts of beliefs and ideas	Explain ideas creatively and coherently, using the main methods of religious study	Synthesise your research in RE using different disciplines
Gaining and Deploying Skills	Consider and discuss questions, ideas and points of view	Apply ideas about religions and worldviews thoughtfully	Investigate and explain why religions and worldviews matter	Enquire into and interpret ideas sources and arguments	Evaluate questions and arguments personally and critically	Use varied disciplines of religious study to research ultimate questions

Expected achievement in Year 9 should be able to achieve:

I can appreciate and appraise different understanding of world religions and world views	I can express insights into questions giving coherent accounts of beliefs and ideas using religious arguments	I can enquire into and interpret ideas, sources and arguments personally and critically
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