

Shoeburyness High School

Year 9 Subject Information

GCSE Religious Studies



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Religious

Studies

**IF IT DOESN'T
CHALLENGE YOU,
IT DOESN'T
CHANGE YOU.**



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WHY RS?

You will develop analytical skills, improve your written techniques. Develop evaluation and discussion skills. Explore the views of different faiths and consider how they perceive ethical issues as well as developing your own view point. Become engaged, be challenged and step into a world of exploration.



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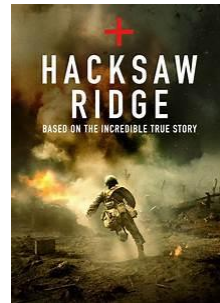
Get Thinking



Of the many topics ethics gets everyone talking and exploring faith we challenge the big questions.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9AzNEG1GB-k>

Follow the link above and listen to the debate about evil and suffering, what do you think? Is this something you could debate? Then RS if for you.



<https://podcasts.apple.com/gb/podcast/the-god-in-film-podcast/id1506508625?fbclid=IwAR3gusMhedx1u8PvNxnVZHFCREqqMEfSu70BGIkXqDw-5NxlE8IKPlsc4os#episodeGuid=godinfilm.podbean.com%2Fa4c0a5c6-a7ff-3d71-a75f-31e83cbf9aaa>

This podcast explores the religious themes in Hacksaw ridge. Have a listen.

Religious themes are all around us, in everyday life. If you want to work with people and be a part of society, now more than ever we need to understand the world in which we live, RS helps you explore the world and issues around you.



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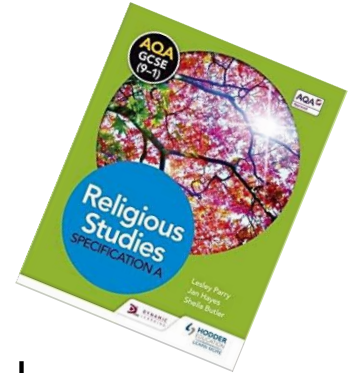
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The basics:

- AQA
- 2 exams of 1 hour 45minutes each
- Paper 1 Buddhism and Christianity belief and practices
- Paper 2 themes. A - family and relationships, B - Life issues including topics abortion, animal rights, D – war and peace, E –crime and punishment.



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Results

We have continued to have an amazing success rate in RS for many years

AT LEAST 75% of pupils gain grade 4 or higher

100% of students leave with a grade



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A-Level Progression

Religious Studies is a good stepping stone for Law, English and any humanities subject especially Religious studies.

SUBJECTS



Choose what you enjoy



Choose what you're good at



Choose subjects related to your degree



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Career Progression

This will assist with any profession that requires people skills or working with the public e.g. police, medical profession, care work, PR etc. You are developing knowledge about the wider world as well as developing thinking skills to respond to challenges and resolve issues. Useful skills for any future career.



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Religious Studies A-Level

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