

Curriculum Map

Subject: Core RE

Year Group: 12

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Content	Moral Decision Making	Relationships	Abortion and Right to a Child	Justice	Suicide and Bereavement	Religion and the Media
Skills	 Debating skills Evaluation Communication Listening skills 	 Debating skills Evaluation Communication Listening skills 	 Debating skills Evaluation Communication Listening skills 	 Debating skills Evaluation Communication Listening skills 	- Listening skills	 Debating skills Evaluation Communication Listening skills
Key focus question:	 What is morality? How do we decide what is right and wrong? Is the action more important than the consequence or vice versa? What is Natural Law and how does it encourage people to make ethical decisions? What is Situation ethics? Are deontological or teleological ethics more persuasive? 	 What is the importance of marriage? What is cohabitation and why might some couples prefer this? Why is adultery wrong? What are Christian views about homosexuality? What are non-Christian attitudes to homosexuality? Why is it important to have a good relationship with yourself? Does self-esteem and self-love affect how you have 	 What is the sanctity of life? When does life begin? Should abortion be allowed? What are the arguments for and against abortion? Does everyone have the right to a child? Should everyone be entitled to receive fertility treatments? What is surrogacy? 	 What is crime and punishment? What is rehabilitation and why might someone argue that this is a better system? What is capital punishment? Is capital punishment acceptable? What is Jesus' teaching on forgiveness? 	 What is suicide? What is bereavement? How can you help someone who has suicidal thoughts? What is the process of grief? Is there one set way of grieving? How to support someone through the grieving process? Where can someone get support if they are grieving? 	 Where is God in the media? Why might the media be a useful tool for sharing God's message? How does the media contribute to negative views of groups of people? Should freedom of speech be limited when it comes to matters of religious belief?

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		relationships with others?				
Assessment	End of Module assessment:	End of Module Assessment:	End of Module Assessment:	End of Module Assessment:	End of Module Assessment:	End of Module Assessment:
	'The only moral action is that which preserves life.' Do you agree? Refer to both Natural Law and Situation Ethics. Include your own view. Has your view changed over the course of this unit of study?	'Sex should only take place within a marriage.' Do you agree or disagree? Refer to discussions we have had about Christian and non- Christian viewpoints.	"Every woman has the right to choose whether they should have a child or not." Do you agree? Refer to abortion, the right to a child and surrogacy in your answers. Include your own view. Has your view changed over the course of this unit of study?	"Rehabilitation should be an option for all prisoners." Do you agree? Consider the different levels of crime and how different countries operate their justice systems.	Write a response to a diary entry of someone who is going through grief and who is feeling suicidal. In your response you should mention the different stages of grief and refer them to people who can help them further.	Write an article which considers why the media is a useful tool for sharing God's message and why it can also be used in a negative way.
Literacy/ Numeracy/ SMSC/ Character	Literacy Natural law, situation ethics, teleological, deontological, morality, consequences, action, synderesis, primary precepts, secondary precepts. Numeracy Use of statistics	Literacy Marriage, cohabitation, promiscuity, homosexuality, adultery, monogamy, polygamy, ceremonial laws. Numeracy Use of statistics <u>SMSC/Character</u> Spiritual	Literacy sanctity of life, abortion, IVF, fertility, surrogacy, pro-life, pro-choice, backstreet abortions. Numeracy Use of statistics <u>SMSC/Character</u> Spiritual - Reflecting on their own beliefs	Literacy justice, crime and punishment, rehabilitation, forgiveness, murder, manslaughter. Numeracy Use of statistics <u>SMSC/Character</u> Spiritual - Reflecting on their own beliefs	Literacy Grief, suicide, bereavement, loss. Numeracy Use of statistics SMSC/Character Spiritual - Reflecting on their own beliefs about g grief and how they deal with grief.	Literacy Media, freedom of speech, religious belief, Pope Francis, global scale. Numeracy Use of statistics SMSC/Character Spiritual - Willingness to reflect on their own
	<u>SMSC/Character</u>		about when life	about the	3	experiences of

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Spiritual	- Reflecting on	begins and	justice systems	Moral	how the media
- Reflecting on	their own beliefs	considering	in the UK,	 Recognise how 	have
their own beliefs	and religious	different	America and	grief can affect	influenced
about how to	beliefs with	viewpoints of	Finland.	their behaviour	them to think
make a right	regards to sex	their own.		and consider	about certain
decision and	before	- Enjoyment and	Moral	how they can	groups of
reflecting on	marriage and	fascination at	 Identify why 	manage their	people.
the beliefs of	homosexuality	different	some may have	actions so that	
those around	and having an	discussion point	differing beliefs	they are safe.	Moral
them and	opportunity to	topics, e.g.	about the way		- Recognise that
widening their	listen to	Peter Singer	that punishment	Social	we should
perspective	different	suggesting that	should be	- Talking about	investigate
- Debates in	viewpoints and	life begins at	carried out.	sensitive topics	views presented
lessons display a	consider varied	birth and	- Investigate and offer reasoned	means that	to us rather than
sense of	perspectives.	termination of	views about	students are	readily
enjoyment and fascination in	Moral	pregnancy at any stage is	capital	using sensitive approaches	accepting
learning about	- Identify why	acceptable.	punishment.	when sharing	opinion as fact.
the way in	discrimination	uccepiuble.		their viewpoints	Social
which people	has negative	Moral	Social	with others.	- Talking about
think when it	consequences	- Identify why	- Class discussions	with officis.	sensitive topics
comes to	and that the	abortion may	on different	Cultural	means that
making good	better option is	be considered	topics and	- Appreciate that	students are
decisions.	to be loving	right for some	understanding	different	using sensitive
- Life boat lesson	and	and wrong for	that their	cultures have	approaches
encourages	understanding	others.	differing beliefs	different ways	when sharing
their use of	towards others,	- What the law	about crime	of expressing	their viewpoints
imagination	even if they are	says about	and punishment	grief and have	with others.
and creativity	different to you.	abortion in the	does not have	different	- Acceptance
as they have to	- Have	UK.	to lead to	approaches to	and
persuade each	discussions	- Law on abortion	conflict, they're	coping with loss.	engagement
other why they	about	in some states in	able to have a		with the
are a valued	differences in	America (Roe	discussion		fundamental
member of	beliefs about	Vs. Wade).	despite their		British values of
society.	sex before		differences.		democracy.
	marriage and	Social			
Moral	homosexuality		Cultural		Cultural

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- Through this	and respect	- Class discussions	- Showing		- Showing
topics students	others'	on different	respect to those		respect to
are thinking	viewpoints.	topics and	with differing		different
about the law	- Ability to	understanding	beliefs which		cultures and
and the	recognise that	that their	are shaped by		communities
boundaries that	discrimination	differing beliefs	their own		based on how
we have in	against those	about abortion	heritage.		they choose to
place and how that affects our	who have sex before	does not have to lead to	- Ability to		structure their
moral decision			recognise that		justice system. Students then
making.	marriage or who are	conflict, they're able to have a	forgiveness is a key theme in all		respecting
- Consequences	homosexual is	discussion	religions.		each other's
of actions and	wrong.	despite their	religions.		views on which
how that	wong.	differences.			justice system
implicates them	Social				works best.
and those	- Working with	Cultural			
around them.	pupils who have	- Showing			
	a different set of	respect to those			
Social	beliefs in pair	with differing			
- Debate and	work and class	beliefs which			
discussion led	discussions.	are shaped by			
activities		their own			
enable students	Cultural	heritage.			
to learn	 Understand and 	 Ability to 			
different points	appreciate that	recognise			
of view,	there are a	similarities and			
including those	wide range of	differences of			
with different	cultural	different			
religious, ethnic	influences that	religious beliefs			
and socio-	have shaped	systems through			
economic	their heritage	discussion on			
backgrounds,	and that of	abortion.			
Cultural	others and how that might				
- Discussions	affect belief.				
allow students					
to appreciate					

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those with					
different views					
to their own					
with regards to					
how they make					
moral decisions.					
E.g. different					
cultural beliefs					
about stealing					
for example					
and how it is					
dealt with in					
different					
countries.					