

Y11 Belief and Values Curriculum Summary

Term	Unit / title	Threshold concepts / core knowledge / links to previous and future learning	Formative (interim) assessment / homework	Formal assessment
Autumn	Introduction to Philosophy and Ethics	Students look at a range of different ethical theories and apply them to real life scenarios. Students also explore their own moral compass. Students are introduced to key historical philosophers and their contribution to this field of study.	Knowledge Organiser - Keywords Key teachings	Non - examined.
Autumn	Sexual Ethics	Students revisit topics of consent, but explore the ethics behind topics such as adultery and pornography	Knowledge Organiser - Keywords Key teachings	
Spring	Medical Ethics	Students explore the following topics from a religious and secular view point: Abortion, Euthanasia, Cloning/DNA/Miracle babies, Organ Transplant	Knowledge Organiser - Keywords Key teachings	
Spring	Human Rights	Students look at the topics of Human rights and modern day examples where abuses occur around the world.	Knowledge Organiser - Keywords Key teachings	

		Students apply their knowledge of ethical theories to case studies, such as the use of torture and modern day slavery.		
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