| Subject and Year Group | Autumn 1 and 2 Year 7 <br> Your Beliefs | Spring 1 and 2 <br> Year 7 <br> Your Beliefs | Spring 2 and Summer 1 Year 7 <br> Your Beliefs | Summer 2 <br> Year 7 <br> Your Beliefs |
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| Topic/Unit to be studied | Topic 1: <br> Is God real? <br> Theme: Believing | Topic 2: <br> How did the Universe begin? <br> Theme: Believing | Topic 3: How do we make decisions? Theme: Living | Topic 4: <br> How do people express their beliefs? <br> Theme: Expressing |
| Core Knowledge and skills | Key Questions: <br> 1) Why do some people believe in God? <br> 2) Why do some people not believe in God? <br> 3) What do some people think God is like? <br> 4) What is humanism? <br> 5) What is your opinion on whether God is real or not? Give reasons. | Key Questions: <br> 1) How does science say the Universe began? <br> 2) How does a Literal Christian believe the Universe began? <br> 3) How does a Liberal Christian believe the Universe began? <br> 4) Why don'† Buddhists believe the Universe has a beginning? <br> 5) What is your opinion on how the universe began? Give reasons. | Key Questions: <br> 1) Where might someone believe we get our sense of right and wrong from? <br> 2) What is an ethical dilemma? <br> 3) What does your conscience do? <br> 4) What are the 10 Commandments? <br> 5) What are the Five Moral Precepts? | Key Questions: <br> 1) How do people show/express their religious beliefs? <br> 2) Why do people pray to God? <br> 3) Why do people meditate? <br> 4) Why do people go on pilgrimage? <br> 5) What is a festival? |
| Assessment for and of learning | Knowledge check 1 -before October half term The Existence of God Assessment - before Christmas | Knowledge check 2 -before February half term Origins of the Universe Assessment - before Easter | Knowledge check 3 before May half term How Do We Make Decisions Assessment after May half term | Knowledge check 4 - after May half term End of year Assessment before Summer |

