

Course Title	A Level Religious Studies
Level	Level 3
About the Course	<p>Religious Studies is a course which is challenging, open-ended and discursive. It is for students who value the opportunity to explore issues concerning human life and existence; the course is not reliant upon any specific faith or belief system.</p> <p>We use an enquiring, critical and empathetic approach to the study of religion. Students will be required to look at the writings of philosophers and theologians and recognise the contribution they have made to the fields of philosophy and ethics. You will learn to present and evaluate different viewpoints and be encouraged to debate, discuss and think through the issues raised. During the course students are given the opportunity to participate in day conferences related to the subject areas being studied and you will be encouraged to relate learning to current affairs and issues</p>
Progression Routes	Religious Studies is a rigorous academic discipline that is recognised by all universities. It is most relevant to those careers that require a logical, mature and caring approach such as law, social work and teaching.
Method of Assessment	100% written examination: two examinations in the AS year and two in the A2 year.