Fareham Academy Religious Education Overview – Year 7



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic(s)	British Values	The Island	Christianity	Buddhism	Buddhism	Crime and punishment
Topic Objectives	Identify and describe the 5 fundamental British values. Give examples of each value. Assess the significance of each value.	Understand how we know the difference between right and wrong is. Understand why punishment is given. Rank the reason punishments are given.	Explain why it may be difficult to believe God created the world. Describe the key components of the big bang theory. Explain the differences between the big bang and genesis.	Evaluate the importance of events in Buddha's life. Be able to apply the teachings of the Middle Way. Explain and give examples of different Buddhist responses towards suffering.	Evaluate the importance of the 3 marks of existence. Explain the Buddhist belief in reincarnation and evaluate if Reincarnation happens. Explain the concept of Karma. Apply the terms 'skilful' or 'unskilful'.	Understand how laws are made. Evaluate whether it is ever okay to commit crime and evaluate the worst crime. Evaluate the most effective aim of punishment. Evaluate whether the treatment of criminals is fair.
Acquired Knowledge/Skills	Understand the meaning and importance of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, mutual respect and tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs.	Decide whether we make decision based on the consequences or our own moral compass. Understand that punishments are given for Retribution, Reformation, Protection, Deterrence, Vindication.	Understand the series of events during Genesis 1 and 2. Evaluate how they believe the world was created. Understand the 7 deadly sins and evaluate which one is the worst.	Who is Buddha? Why was Buddha's life significant? Understanding the 4 sights. The middle way (passage). Buddhist views on suffering.	- Anicca and Anatta Reincarnation and the Samsara Cycle Karma The Buddha, the Dharma and the Sangha.	- Origins or laws The three categories of crime, vs people, property and state Understand why people may commit a crime using real life case studies The 6 reasons Protection Retribution, Deterrence, Reformation, Vindication, Reparation.
Assessments	Baseline assessment/ End of unit test	End of unit test	End of unit test		End of unit test	