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| **What will we be learning?**  Year 10  OCR GCSE (J625/06)   |  | | --- | | Religion, philosophy and ethics in the modern world from a Christian perspective | | **Why this? Why now?**  This is the first of a two-year GCSE course.  The course has three components. The Philosophy and Ethics component represents 50% of the course. | **Key Words:**  Omnipotence  Omniscience  Omni benevolence  Eternity  Free will  Just War  Teleological  Cosmological  Moral  Reconciliation  Pacifism  Theodicy  Cohabitation  Celibacy  Contraception  Annulment  Anthropic  Conscience  Charismatic  Ecstatic  Sacraments |
| **What will we learn?**  In this course we will focus on philosophical and ethical arguments and their impact and influence in the modern world. We will look to demonstrate the depth of understanding of religion through the application of teachings from religions, beliefs and through references to any sources of wisdom and authority. These may include scripture and/or sacred texts.  In year 10 the topic focus will be:  Relationships and families The Problem of evil  Men and women Arguments for the existence of God  Equality Experiencing God  The Question of God Violence and conflict  The Nature of God Peace and Peace making  Forgiveness and reconciliation | |
| **What opportunities are there for wider study?**  We have the opportunity to engage with various visiting speakers who deliver sessions related to the course topics from a Christian and Humanist perspective. | |
| **How will I be assessed?**  Regular topic assessments will take place throughout the course, and will be assessed in line with the exam board marking criteria. A Philosophy question will feature in the year 10 mock examination. | |