




Department Intent

Our intent is that the **Religious Education** curriculum:

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• creates opportunities to develop knowledge and understanding of the diverse way that people behave in the world• provides opportunities to investigate different religious practices• provides knowledge and understanding of sources from where religious beliefs originate and how these beliefs influence people and impact on our world• compares different answers to the big questions in life
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• encourages critical analysis of different religious and moral viewpoints and considers their relevance in today's world• embeds the building blocks for good reasoning skills• provides opportunities to work with abstract ideas• builds the adeptness to evaluate a range of different viewpoints about current affairs• develops and hones the ability to create logical and justified personal viewpoints
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• nurtures personal relationships• values different opinions• respects and tolerates difference• investigates controversial issues• walks in someone else's shoes• allows real life education outside the classroom