

Blue Coat Church of England Academy

Year: 8 Subject: RE and Worldviews

Overview

In KS3, students study a wide range of religions and world views. The aim is to help students better understand the world around them, their own world views and how religion impacts everyday life. Students are encouraged to share their own views, listen to others and learn from faiths. The curriculum is designed to reflect the rich diversity of religions and worldviews in the Blue Coat Family. The year 8 curriculum is topic based- looking at different ethical issues through a variety of worldview lenses

In year 8 students will study-

- Philosophical arguments for God's existence
- Creation and the environment
- Life after death
- How religious leaders have fought for justice
- War and Peace
- Crime, punishment and poverty

To support students, we work on developing a range of theological, philosophy and sociological skills such as scriptural analysis, evaluation, the ability to express their own opinions respectfully as well as fostering independent study skills.