Westfield Academy - Curriculum Information

Students will learn about the nature of beliefs, values and practices and their impact on the identity of individuals and communities locally, nationally and globally. They will explore similarities and differences which exist within and between religious and non-religious worldviews.

Religious Education

Head of Department	Ms L Passmore
Head of Department email	lpa@westfield.academy
Lessons per 2 week cycle	2
Specification/Board details/Key stage	Key Stage Three / Year 9

Term by term

Autumn 1	**Autumn 2**	**Spring 1**
The Influence of Greek Philosophy	Ethical Theories	Exploring the Holocaust
Spring 2	**Summer 1**	**Summer 2**
Arguments for the Existence of God	Life After Death	Ethical Issues

Key Skills developed	Listening, literacy, empathy, cultural awareness, dialogue, cooperation, respect, compassion
Useful Websites	BBC Bitesize Seneca Learning
Reading/Literacy requirements /Key Words	Key words will be taught in lessons which pupils will be expected to learn and know for the classroom. Pupils will have extended reading time in class for newspaper articles, stories etc.
Homework requirements	Homework will be set by the class teacher using Google classroom. This will involve learning of key words and key information for regular in class checks.
Personal Development Links	Students will engage with questions and responses offered by religions and worldviews while enquiring into a range of spiritual, philosophical, moral and ethical issues. Pupils will have chances to watch youtube videos to bring what they are learning to life.

Trips/Visits (If applicable)	N/A