



Year 11 Revision Schedule 2024-25

Subject/Course:		GCSE RS		
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		Topic	Key knowledge/skills/questions	Resources/activities/links
Week 1	Monday 13 January 2025	Christian Beliefs		Learner handbook (Key words) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 12 to 16 Watch the video's and create mini mind maps or a large mind map covering all the topics Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions
		The nature of God	What is the nature of God? What are the different branches of Christianity? What do Christians believe about God? What are the qualities of God? What is the problem of evil?	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QIP-GxMfdwc Oneness of God https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76104
		The oneness of God and the Trinity	Who are the persons of the trinity? Explain how belief in the trinity influences Christians.	Problem of evil https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76103 Creation https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76105
		Different Christian beliefs about creation	Explain Christian beliefs on creation (Genesis and John) How does belief in creation influence Christians?	Creation and the trinity https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76106
		The incarnation and Jesus, the Son of God	Who is the person of Jesus? What is the significance of the incarnation?	The incarnation https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76109

Week 2	<p>Monday 20 January 2025</p>	<p>The crucifixion</p> <p>The resurrection and life after death</p> <p>The afterlife and Judgement</p> <p>Heaven and Hell</p> <p>Sin and Salvation</p> <p>The role of Christ in Salvation</p>	<p>What was the crucifixion and what is the significance for Christians</p> <p>Explain the Christians beliefs on the resurrection?</p> <p>What are the Christian teachings on the afterlife and Judgement?</p> <p>What are the Christian teachings on heaven and hell and how does it influence Christian's behaviour?</p> <p>What is meant by sin and Salvation?</p> <p>What is the role of Christ in Salvation?</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 17 to 24 GCSE Pod Watch the video's and create mini mind maps on each section or one large mind map. Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>An account of the crucifixion https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nIAImOx8Sk0</p> <p>Crucifixion/Resurrection and Ascension https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76110</p> <p>Sin https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76111</p> <p>Parable of the sheep and the goat https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iWSkdx-XwWY</p> <p>Sin and Salvation https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76112</p> <p>The role of Christ in Salvation https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76113</p>
Week 3	<p>Monday 27 January 2025</p>	<p>Christian Practices</p> <p>Worship</p>	<p>What are the different types of worship and what form does they take?</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide 28 to 42 GCSE Pod Watch the video's and create mini mind maps on each section or one large mind map Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>Worship https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QiP-GxMfdwc https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76610 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76618</p>

		<p>Prayer</p> <p>The sacrament: Baptism</p> <p>The sacrament: Holy communion or Eucharist Celebrating the Holy communion</p> <p>Pilgrimage</p> <p>Celebrating festivals</p>	<p>What is the significance of prayer?</p> <p>What is the sacrament? Explain the difference between Believers baptism and adult baptism.</p> <p>Explain what is meant by the Holy communion/Eucharist How is the Holy communion practiced? What is the significance of the Holy communion for Christians?</p> <p>What is a Pilgrimage? Why do Christians go on Pilgrimage?</p> <p>Explain the significance of Christmas for Christians and how it is celebrated</p> <p>Explain the significance of Easter for Christians and how it is celebrated.</p>	<p>Prayer https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=68fsYJ7r0Rk https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76625</p> <p>Sacraments https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76632 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76639 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76646</p> <p>Eucharist https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76649</p> <p>Pilgrimage https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76656</p> <p>Christmas https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76663</p> <p>Easter https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76676</p>
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Week 4</p>	<p>Monday 3 February 2025</p>	<p>The role of the local church in the local community: Food banks The role of the local community: Street Pastors</p> <p>The place of evangelism Church growth The importance of the world wide church</p>	<p>Give an example of a Christian food bank.</p> <p>What are the street Pastors and what do they do?</p> <p>What is the role of evangelism in Christianity?</p> <p>How does this link to Church growth? What is meant by the great commission?</p>	<p>Why Christians help in the local community https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76683</p> <p>Trussel Trust https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OEDywf5wsuU</p> <p>Evangelism https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76690</p> <p>Reconciliation https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76697</p> <p>Persecution https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76700</p>

		<p>Reconciliation</p> <p>Christian persecution</p> <p>The churches response to world poverty</p>	<p>Explain the significance of reconciliation.</p> <p>How does the church respond to persecution?</p> <p>How does the church combat poverty in the local community?</p> <p>How does the Church combat poverty internationally?</p>	<p>Churches response to poverty</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/76703</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/playlists/playlist/665284/80297</p>
Week 5	<p>Monday 10 February 2025</p>	<p>Islam Beliefs</p> <p>The oneness of God and the supremacy of God's will</p> <p>Key beliefs of Sunni and Islam and Shi'a Islam</p> <p>The nature of God</p> <p>Angels</p>	<p>What is meant by the term Tawhid? Explain the supremacy of Gods will.</p> <p>What lead to the split in Islam?</p> <p>Describe the nature of God.</p> <p>What is the role and significance of Angels?</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 46 to 56 GCSE Pod</p> <p>Watch the video's and create mini mind maps on each section or one large mind map</p> <p>Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>The oneness of God</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78582</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78604</p> <p>Sunni and Shia Islam</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78545</p> <p>The 5 roots</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78560</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78575</p> <p>Angels</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78611</p> <p>Predestination</p>

		Predestination	Explain the different understandings of predestination among Muslims.	https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78618
Week 6	Monday 17 February 2025	Life after death Prophethood and Adam Ibrahim Muhammad and the imamate The holy books in Islam	What are the Muslim beliefs about life after death? Explain what is meant by Prophethood and the significance of Adam and Ibrahim. Explain the significance of Muhammad for Muslims. What are the Muslim Holy books?	Life after death https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78633 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78648 Prophethood https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78655 Prophethood 2 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78670 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78715 The Quran https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78685 Other holy texts https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/12990/78700
Week 7	Monday 24 February 2025	Islam Practices The five Pillars Shahdah	What are the five Pillars of Islam and what is their Muslims for Muslims?	Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 60 to 64 GCSE Pod Watch the video's and create mini mind maps on each section or one large mind map Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions The 5 pillars of Islam https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7234/46731 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78721 Shahadah https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78737

		<p>Salah</p> <p>Sawm</p> <p>Zakah</p>	<p>Explain the importance of the Shahadah</p> <p>Explain what is meant by Salah and the differing ways it is practiced Sunni and Shi'a Muslims</p> <p>What is Sawm and how is it practiced?</p> <p>Explain what is meant by Zakah and how is it given?</p>	<p>Salah https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78745</p> <p>Sawm https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78757 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78764</p> <p>Zakah https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78771</p>
Week 8	Monday 3 March 2025	<p>Hajj</p> <p>Jihad</p> <p>The Festival of Id-ul Fitr and Id-ul-Adha</p> <p>The festival of Ashura</p>	<p>What is Hajj What is the significance of Hajj and how it is it performed?</p> <p>Explain what the difference is between Lesser and greater Jihad</p> <p>Explain what the Festival of Id-ul Fitr and Id-ul-Adha commemorate</p> <p>How is the festival of Ashura celebrated?io</p>	<p>Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 65 to 70</p> <p>GCSE Pod Watch the video's and create mini mind maps on each section or one large mind map Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>Hajj https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78778</p> <p>Jihad https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78785 https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78792</p> <p>Festivals https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13051/78799</p>
Week 9	Monday 10 March 2025	Peace and Conflict		<p>Learner handbook (Keywords)</p> <p>Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 110 to 114 Create Flash cards to help you condense the information. Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p>

		<p>Introduction to religion, peace and conflict</p> <p>Violence, violent protest and terrorism</p> <p>Reasons for war</p> <p>Nuclear war and weapons of mass destruction</p> <p>The Just war theory</p>	<p>Explain the Christian approach to war, peace, justice, forgiveness and reconciliation.</p> <p>What is protest and what is the Christian approach to protest?</p> <p>Explain what is terrorism and the Christian beliefs about terrorism</p> <p>What are the reasons for war?</p> <p>Explain the Christian attitude to the use of WMD</p> <p>What is meant by Just war and What is the criteria for a Just war?</p>	<p>GCSE Religious Studies - Peace & Conflict - Theme D (AQA) REVISION - YouTube</p> <p>Peace and conflict https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13660/82523</p> <p>Terrorism AQA RS GCSE Religion, Peace & Conflict: Terrorism - YouTube</p> <p>Just war theory https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7270/47048</p> <p>WMD'S AQA RS GCSE Religion, peace & conflict: Weapons of mass destruction - YouTube</p>
Week 10	Monday 17 March 2025	<p>Holy war and religion as a cause of violence</p> <p>Pacifism and peacemaking</p> <p>Religious responses to victims of war</p>	<p>Explain what is meant by a Holy war. What are the features of a Holy war? Is religion a cause of violence?</p> <p>What are the religious attitudes to the use of violence?</p> <p>Explain what is meant by pacifism? Give an example of a pacifist group</p> <p>Why do Christians help victims of war?</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 115 to 118 Create Flash cards to help you condense the information Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>GCSE Religious Studies - Peace & Conflict - Theme D (AQA) REVISION - YouTube</p>
Week 11	Monday 24 March 2025	Religion and Life		<p>Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 86 to 89 Create Flash cards to help you condense the information. Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p>

		<p>The origins of the universe</p> <p>The value of the world</p> <p>The use and abuse of the environment and pollution</p> <p>The use and abuse of animals</p>	<p>Explain the various Christian beliefs about the creation of the universe (Fundamentalists/ Liberals)</p> <p>What is the Big Bang theory?</p> <p>How valuable is the world?</p> <p>Explain the idea of stewardship</p> <p>How should we use Natural resources?</p> <p>Explain the 3 types of pollution</p> <p>What do Christians do about the environment?</p> <p>Explain the Christian views on the use of animals for food.</p> <p>What are the Christian views on animal experimentation?</p>	<p>GCSE RELIGIOUS STUDIES - THEME B: RELIGION & LIFE (AQA PAPER 2) - YouTube</p> <p>Science and creation</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7269/47033</p> <p>Pollution</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7062/45242</p> <p>Animals for Food</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7835/52237</p> <p>Animal experimentation</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7835/52236</p>
<p>Week 12</p>	<p>Monday 31 March 2025</p>	<p>The origins of human life</p> <p>Abortion</p>	<p>What are the Christian views on the origins of the universe?</p> <p>Explain what is meant by evolution.</p> <p>What is the religious debate on evolution</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords)</p> <p>Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 90 to 94</p> <p>Create Flash cards to help you condense the information. Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>Creation</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13660/82510</p> <p>Evolution</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/10947/66961</p>

		<p>Euthanasia Death and the afterlife</p>	<p>What is abortion?</p> <p>Explain the law on abortion.</p> <p>Explain the Christian beliefs on abortion.</p> <p>What is euthanasia?</p> <p>Explain the various types (Voluntary/ Involuntary/ Non- voluntary)</p> <p>Explain the Christians arguments in favour of Euthanasia</p> <p>Explain the Christian arguments opposed to Euthanasia Is death the end?</p> <p>What is the value of human life?</p>	<p>Sanctity of Life https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13059/80238</p> <p>Sanctity of Life/ Quality of life https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13056/79205</p> <p>Abortion https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13660/82518</p> <p>Ethical arguments related to abortion https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13660/82521</p> <p>Christian views on Euthanasia https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13059/79234</p>
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Week 13</p>	<p>Easter Monday 7 April 2025</p>	<p>Crime and Punishment</p> <p>Crime and Punishment</p> <p>Reasons for Crime</p> <p>Attitudes to law breakers and different types of crime</p> <p>The aims of punishment</p>	<p>What are crime and punishment?</p> <p>Explain what is meant by good and evil intentions</p> <p>What are the various reasons people commit crimes?</p> <p>What are the Christian attitudes to law breakers?</p> <p>Explain what is meant by a hate crime.</p> <p>What are the religious attitudes to different types of crime?</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 112 to 126 Create Flash cards to help you condense the information.</p> <p>Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>GCSE Religious Studies - Crime & Punishment - Theme E (AQA) REVISION - YouTube</p> <p>What is a crime? https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7270/47040</p> <p>Reasons for Crime: Drug and substance abuse https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7062/45241</p>

		Religious attitudes to suffering and causing suffering to others.	<p>Explain the aims of punishment</p> <p>What are the religious attitudes to suffering?</p> <p>Why does God allow innocent people to suffer?</p> <p>What are the religious attitudes to causing suffering to others?</p>	
Week 14	Monday 14 April 2025	<p>The treatment of criminals, prison and corporal punishment and community service.</p> <p>Religious attitudes to forgiveness</p> <p>Religious attitudes to the death penalty</p>	<p>Explain the forms of punishment (Prison/Corporal punishment/community service)</p> <p>Explain Christian attitudes to forgiveness.</p> <p>Explain the debate surrounding the death penalty</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 127 to 130 Create Flash cards to help you condense the information.</p> <p>Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>Capital punishment https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7270/47041</p>
Week 15	Monday 21st April	<p>Relationships and Families</p> <p>Human sexuality</p>	<p>Explain Christian views on heterosexual relationships</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords) Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 74 to 77 Create Flash cards to help you condense the information.</p> <p>Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>GCSE Religious Studies - Relationships & Families - Theme A (AQA) REVISION - YouTube</p>

		<p>Sexual relationships before and outside of marriage</p> <p>Contraception and family planning</p> <p>Marriage</p>	<p>Explain Christian views homosexual relationships</p> <p>What are the Christian views on relationships before marriage?</p> <p>What are the Christian views on sexual relationships outside of marriage?</p> <p>Christian attitudes towards contraception and family planning</p> <p>What is the nature and purpose of marriage?</p> <p>Explain Christian views on cohabitation and same-sex marriage</p>	<p>THEME A RELATIONSHIPS & FAMILIES - PAST PAPER PRACTICE QUESTIONS (GCSE RELIGIOUS STUDIES AQA) - YouTube</p> <p>Sexual relationships</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7063/45249</p>
<p>Week 16</p>	<p>Monday 28th April 2025</p>	<p>Divorce and remarriage</p> <p>The nature of families</p> <p>The purpose of families</p> <p>Religious attitudes to gender equality</p>	<p>Explain the Christian views on divorce and remarriage.</p> <p>What is the role of parents and children?</p> <p>Explain the Christian beliefs about the nature of families</p> <p>What is meant by the term polygamy?</p> <p>What are the Christian views on same sex parents?</p> <p>Explain the Christian views on the purpose of families</p> <p>How has gender equality developed in Britain</p>	<p>Learner handbook (Keywords)</p> <p>Christianity and Islam revision guide pages 78 to 82</p> <p>Create Flash cards to help you condense the information.</p> <p>Find the relevant page in the application booklet and complete 1,2,4,5 and 12 mark questions</p> <p>Marriage and Divorce</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7063/45250</p> <p>Family</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/7063/45251</p> <p>Status of women in religion</p> <p>https://members.gcsepod.com/shared/podcasts/title/13660/82520</p>

			Explain the Christians views on gender equality	
Week 17	Monday 5th May 2025	Practice 1/2/4/5/12 Mark Questions		
Week 18	Monday 12th 2025	Practice 1/2/4/5/12 Mark Questions		
Week 19	Half Term Monday 19th 2025	Practice 1/2/4/5/12 Mark Questions		
Week 20	Monday 26th May 2025	Practice 1/2/4/5/12 Mark Questions		
Week 21				