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Year 10 RE Examinations Evening

Tuesday 4th February 2020



Agenda

1. Miss Smith – Head of Year 10
2. The “exams team”
 - a) Mrs Ruston – Federation Examinations Manager
 - b) Mrs O’Boyle – Academy Examinations Officer
3. Dr Stephens – Head of RE



Revision

- Friday morning revision techniques in form time
- Sharepoint – Year Areas – Year 10 – Revision Techniques
- Use the information in an active way – not just reading through notes
 - Mindmaps
 - Flashcards / Flashcard Apps
 - Practice Questions
- Seneca and GCSE Pod



Key Dates

- Year 10 Mock Examinations: Monday 24th February – Tuesday 3rd March 2020
- Year 10 Parents' Evening: Thursday 30th April 2020
- GCSE Religious Studies Paper 1: Monday 11th May 2020, 1pm
- GCSE Religious Studies Paper 2: Tuesday 19th May 2020, 1pm
- Exams Contingency Day: Wednesday 24th June 2020



Examination Timetables

Individual Candidate Timetable

Season : Summer Exams 2018
Name :
Candidate Number :
UCI :

Centre Number : 26135
Year : 12
Reg Group : 12.1
ULN :

Date	Start Time	Board	Level	Element Code	Element Title	Component Code	Component Title	Duration	Room	Seat
Tue 15 May	1:00PM	AQA	GCSE/9FC	8461H	Biology Tier H	8461/1H	Biology Paper 1 Tier H	1h 45m	New Hall	O14
Wed 16 May	9:00AM	AQA	GCSE/9FC	8582	Physical Education	8582/1	Physical Education Paper 1	1h 15m	New Hall	C8
Thu 17 May	9:00AM	AQA	GCSE/9FC	8462H	Chemistry Tier H	8462/1H	Chemistry Paper 1 Tier H	1h 45m	New Hall	D10
Fri 18 May	1:00PM	AQA	GCSE/9FC	8582	Physical Education	8582/2	Physical Education Paper 2	1h 15m	New Hall	O15
Tue 22 May	9:00AM	AQA	GCSE/9FC	8702	English Literature	8702/1	English Literature Paper 1	1h 45m	New Hall	H12
Tue 22 May	1:00PM	AQA	GCSE/9FC	8035	Geography	8035/1	Geography Paper 1	1h 30m	New Hall	L15
Wed 23 May	1:00PM	AQA	GCSE/9FC	8463H	Physics Tier H	8463/1H	Physics Paper 1 Tier H	1h 45m	New Hall	P15
Thu 24 May	9:00AM	EDEXL/GCSE	GCSE/9FC	1MA1H	Mathematics Option H	1MA1 1H	Non Calculator (H)	1h 30m	New Hall	E7
Fri 25 May	9:00AM	AQA	GCSE/9FC	8702	English Literature	8702/2	English Literature Paper 2	2h 15m	New Hall	H14



Notice to candidates

Appendix 4



AQA	City & Guilds	CCEA	OCR	Pearson	WJEC
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Warning to Candidates

1. You **must** be on time for all your examinations.
2. You **must not** become involved in any unfair or dishonest practice in any part of the examination.
3. You **must not**:
 - sit an examination in the name of another candidate;
 - have in your possession any unauthorised material or equipment which might give you an unfair advantage.
4. **Possession of a mobile phone** or other unauthorised material **is breaking the rules**, even if you do not intend to use it, and you will be subject to penalty and possible disqualification.
5. You **must not** talk to, attempt to communicate with or disturb other candidates once you have entered the examination room.
6. You **must** follow the instructions of the invigilator.
7. If you are in any doubt speak to the invigilator.

The *Warning to Candidates* must be displayed in a prominent place outside each examination room. This may be a hard copy A3 paper version or an image of the poster projected onto a wall or screen for all candidates to see.

Effective from 1 September 2014



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Mobile phones and devices



**NO IPODS, MOBILE PHONES
MP3/4 PLAYERS
SMARTWATCHES**

**NO POTENTIAL TECHNOLOGICAL/WEB
ENABLED SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

Possession of unauthorised items, such as a mobile phone, is a serious offence and could result in

DISQUALIFICATION

from your examination and your overall qualification.

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Exam Results

- GCSE Results Day: Thursday 20th August 2020
- Come in to the Academy to collect results personally
- Bring a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the exams office during Module 6 if you would like results posting home
- Results cannot be emailed home for Year 10 students



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Advice from the RE Department



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What to revise

- The most important part of revision for students is to learn the key terms.
- If they do not know what a word means, this can often result in them being unable to attempt a question, or result in them giving a response about something completely different.
- Learning the key terms helps them learn a good chunk of information, so this is not time wasted.
- A list of the key terms is on SharePoint.
- [RE/ KS4/ Year 10/ Revision resources](#)



What to revise

- Secondly, students need to learn any theory.
- There are some things they can work out for themselves:
 - E.g. Give two ways that humans use animals
 - Answer – pets, food
- However, there is theory that they need to know:
 - E.g. The Law of Abortion
 - The aims of punishment
 - Just War and Holy War theories
- [RE/ KS4/ Year 10/ Revision resources](#)



What to revise

- Third, students must learn religious views and responses.
- There are sheets of religious teachings on SharePoint that students can download and learn.
- However, as every topic includes conflicting views and teachings, it is important that they THINK about the teachings in relation to the topics studied.



- [RE/ KS4/ Year 10/ Revision resources](#)

What to revise

- Finally, students must look at past questions and make sure that they understand the command words.
- E.g. If the question asks for religious believers' views, they need to explain what they think and teach.
- If the question asks for responses, they need to explain what religious people do.
- Teachers have emphasised these repeatedly, but students must make sure they are confident about what is expected, and take the opportunity to ask about anything they are unsure of while there is time.



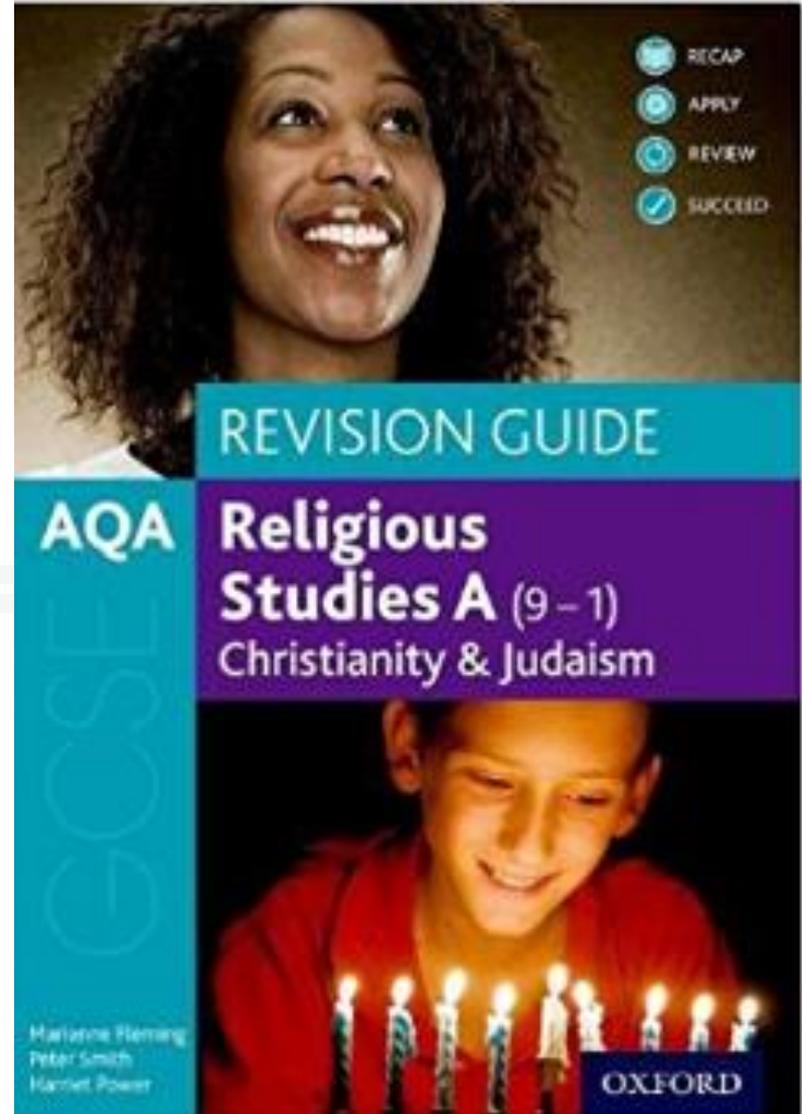
Revision Guide

- ISBN-13:
978-
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But please note,
there are plenty of
revision resources on
SharePoint



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Which topics to revise

- For Paper 1, students will be given 2 answer books which have the questions in them, one with questions on Christian Beliefs and Christian Practices, and one with Jewish Beliefs and Jewish Practices. They must answer **ALL** questions.
- For Paper 2 they will be given a blank answer book and a questions paper. They must do **ONLY FOUR** questions. They must answer these from the perspective of Christianity, but learn the views of different denominations.
- We have only studied:
 - Theme A: Relationships and Families
 - Theme B: Religion and Life
 - Theme D: War, Conflict and Peace
 - Theme E: Crime and Punishment



Revision Timetable and Sessions

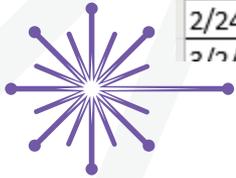
- Revision sessions are available in the RE block every Wednesday afternoon – 3:15 – 4:15.
- These are NOT taught sessions. Some revision resources and past questions will be provided but students are encouraged to bring their workbooks and any revision resources they have made or printed off from SharePoint.
- Staff are available to answer questions, give advice, etc.
- Closer to the exam there may be specific topics covered in different rooms, dependent on student uptake – details of these will be put onto SharePoint.



Revision Timetable and Sessions

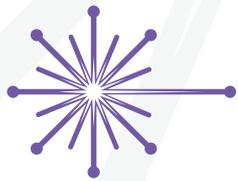
- On SharePoint is a possible revision timetable that students have been made aware of.
- A list of the topics and other resources are all in the Year 10 Revision Resources folder.

RE REVISION GUIDE						
Week Beginning	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat/Sun
1/20/2020	Rel & Fam.1 and 2	Rel & Fam.3	Rel & Fam.4	Rel & Fam.5	Rel & Fam.6 and 7	
1/27/2020	Rel & Fam.8	Rel & Life.1	Rel & Life.2	Rel & Life.3	Rel & Life.4 and 5	
2/3/2020	Rel & Life.6	Rel & Life.7	Rel & Life.8	Rel & Life.9	Christ Bel.1 and 2	
2/10/2020	Christ Bel.3	Christ Bel.4	Christ Bel.5	Christ Bel.6	Christ Bel.7	
2/17/2020	Christ Bel.8	Christ Bel.9	Christ Bel.10	Christ Bel.11	Christ Bel.12	
2/24/2020	Crime.1	Crime.2 and 4	Crime.3	Crime.5	Crime.6	
3/2/2020	Crime.7	Crime.8	War.1 and 2	War.3	War.4	



Finally – What can parents do to help?

- The most helpful things include:
 - Testing on Key Terms and religious teachings
 - Talking through the topics to help students think through the different perspectives and nuances
 - Challenge students to give justified reasons for the points they make.
 - Some Christians might allow abortion because they think it is sometimes OK. NOT A JUSTIFIED REASON
 - Some Christians might support abortion because it is kinder to allow an abortion than to force a woman to have a child if she cannot afford to look after it. THIS IS A JUSTIFIED REASON.



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Mr Verdon

- Any questions?



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