

Curriculum Content

Personal Development (Pd) Topics

Year 10 Pd is a non-examination course that covers modules on Careers, Cz/PHSE, RE and Study skills, in addition it responds to emerging student needs and therefore is prone to regular changes and updates. Each topic draws on prior learning from previous years and builds on understanding from KS3 programmes of study.

The content develops and deepens the core knowledge that will underpin all areas of the curriculum at KS4 and KS5.

Topic	Rationale	Knowledge acquisition	Key vocabulary	Skills and enrichment e.g independence, problem solving, evaluation, analysis, creativity, literacy, numeracy and oracy
<p>RE</p> <p>What are the meaning, significance and contrasting beliefs people hold about peace and conflict?</p> <p><i>SACRE: the RE modules covered in Pd have their basis in the Edexcel / AQA exam syllabus and therefore.....</i></p> <p><i>'The religions and worldviews studied in such syllabuses will be deemed to have met the Agreed Syllabus'.</i></p>	<p>This module helps students understand the cause and effect of conflict, with a view towards understanding conflict resolution and the more desirable human condition of living in peace.</p>	1. What is the United Nations (UN) and why it works for world peace?	United Nations, World Peace, conflict resolution, sanctions, peacekeeping.	Independent research and study.
		2. How do religious organisations work for world peace?	Anti-war, peacemaker, debates, protests, statements, interfaith conferences, economic justice.	Application to modern day situations
		3. Why do wars occur?	Aggression, exploitation, religious differences, greed, self-defence and retaliation, terrorism.	Use of current affairs
		4. What is the Just War theory?	Just War, justified, injustice, intention, weapons of mass destruction	Analyse and evaluate key questions
		5. What are the differences among Christians in their attitudes to war?	Pacifism, justified, sermon, Jesus, love thy enemies, commandment, Just War, right.	
		6. What are the differences among Muslims or Jews in their attitudes to war?	Quran, Jihad, hadith, fellowship Tenakh, Talmud, Messianic Age, mitzvah, holocaust.	
		7. What is bullying and how do religious people respond to it?	Bullying, respect. Intimidation, sinful, mistreating, human rights, harmful affects.	
		8. Why do people and religions promote forgiveness and reconciliation?	Forgiveness, reconciliation, sin, promote.	