Y10 learning intentions: Lent 1

Our Lent 1 unit: Catholic Christianity: Church and the Kingdom of God

Mini-units this half term: Sources of Authority (part); Practices – Church as the Body of Christ

Before moving on to...

Our Lent 1 unit: Theme A: Religion, Relationships and Families

Mini-units this half term: Dialogue 1: Relationships and the human condition – love and sexuality: communion and complementarity;

Dialogue 2: Perspectives on relationships – marriage, cohabitation, divorce and separation

What should students know / understand by the end of each lesson?

	Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3
Week 15	 The nature of the magisterium both conciliar and pontifical. The role of the magisterium in providing Catholic social teaching in Gaudium et Spes 1 and Evangelii Gaudium 53–54. 	How the command to love our neighbour in concrete ways is expressed in the works of Catholic agencies, locally, nationally and globally: the work of two agencies should be studied, one working locally, the other working nationally and globally.	
Week 16	 How Kingdom values have influenced the ways in which vocation is understood in Catholicism whether through priesthood, family, religious life or community. 	How belief in justice, peace and reconciliation is expressed in the life of one important Catholic figure.	

Week 17	What makes a good AO1 answer?	 Foundational biblical understanding of human beings as sexual, male and female. 	Continued.
Week 18	 The meaning and significance of Catholic teaching about the nature and purpose of sexual love as marital, unitive and procreative. 	Key features of John Paul II's Theology of the Body.	
Week 19	Different perspectives, Christian and non-religious (such as atheist or humanist) in contemporary British society on these issues including sex before marriage, adultery and homosexuality.	Foundational conditions of a valid marriage in the Catholic Church.	 The nature of marriage and the marriage vows. Different perspectives, Christian and non-religious (such as atheist or humanist) in contemporary British society on these issues including cohabitation.
Week 20	 Catholic guidelines on annulment, divorce and remarrying. Ethical arguments related to divorce, including those based on the sanctity of marriage vows and compassion. 	• Continued.	
Week 21	Different perspectives, Christian and non-religious (such as atheist or humanist) in contemporary British society on these issues including the extension of marriage laws to same sex couples.	• Continued.	• RSHE.

What is needed to master the knowledge?

Church and the Kingdom of God

- Students explore the nature of the Church and its mission to bring about the Kingdom of God as expressed in the Lord's Prayer.
- Catholic understanding of the Church as the pilgrim people of God is explored through the study of dramatised prayer and pilgrimage and the meaning of mission through vocation and service.

Religion, Relationships and Families

- Students should study Christian and non-religious beliefs such as atheism and Humanism in contemporary British society.
- They must also study Christian and philosophical and ethical arguments and their impact and influence on the modern world.
- Students will be expected to show their understanding of religion through the application of teachings from religion and beliefs.
- They will also be expected to make specific references to sources of wisdom and authority including scripture or other religious texts.