# Modern Britain / Religious Studies



#### Content

A course designed to give students a variety of learning through the contemporary modern Britain themes of Crime and Punishment, Relationship and Families, Human Rights and Social Justice and Peace and Conflict. Each theme will encourage students to study up to date relevant news articles that will help support their understanding of living in modern Britain. Topical news will be used to ensure that students are using the most recent information to build confidence in giving their own opinions as well as respecting other viewpoints in their community and our society.

In conjunction with modern Britain themes, students will study the two most popular religious viewpoints in Britain through learning about the teachings and practices of Christianity and Islam. Both religious viewpoints will be learnt using the themes above that are relevant to living in today's modern Britain. We are increasingly living in a diverse country and learning about new cultures and beliefs will give students a wider appreciation of society and a deeper understanding into rule of law, tolerance and mutual respect and diversity.

#### **Assessment**

100% written examination broken down into 2 papers.
Paper 1 Teachings, Beliefs and Practices Paper 2 Modern Britain Themes

## **Facilities and Equipment used**

 You will have access to a range of resources including google chrome books; online resources for independent learning; Visual and text book resources; AQA and Seneca practice materials will be widely used to support your understanding and learning.

## **Outside Learning Opportunities**

- · Visits to Houses of Parliament
- Take part in the voting process for UK Youth Parliament
- · Visit Local Council Chambers
- · Places of worship
- Contact with Members of Parliament and Local Councillors

#### **Related Careers**

Careers related to this course are Lawyer, Solicitor, Police, Armed Forces, Teacher, NHS, Mental Health, Hospitality, Travel and Tourism, Legal secretary, Ministers of the Church.

## For further information contact

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