

ABC Links to literacy

We learn new keywords every lesson, opportunity for reading aloud and learning new information. Communication and written skills explored through debates and presentation tasks.

Autumn -2

Theme: **Identity**

Enquiry question: Are rites still important in the modern day?

Why study this topic?

During this topic, we will be learning and developing the ability to describe key features of practice, whilst at the same time broadening our knowledge of both religious and non-religious beliefs and practices.

SPRING - 2

Theme: **Community**

Enquiry question: Is community still an important aspect?

Why study this topic?

This topics helps us to understand why community is important within society and religion. Students will study different places of worship and different types of worship. Students will explain what the true purpose of worship is.

SUMMER – 2

Theme: **Our world**

Enquiry question: Do animals have feelings?

Why study this topic?

Students will explore the use and abuse of animals. They will explore how different religions view animals looking at key teachings from sacred writings and texts. Students will explore different types of animal testing.

Subject Intent Statement

We learn RS as it promotes respect and allow us to be open minded towards each others beliefs and cultures. This subject allows us to connect spiritually and develops our moral self to lead, excel, aspire and be resilient/nurturing learners. RS examines what it is to be human in the modern world, engaging directly with the questions at the heart of the Oasis Ethos – Who Am I and Who Am I Becoming.

AUTUMN - 1

Theme: **Identity**

Enquiry question: “Clothes are the only way to show your identity”. Do you agree?

Why study this topic?

This topic helps us to understand why we are unique as human beings, how we form our identities and the roles that religion, faith and belief play in the creation of our identities. It also allows us consider how our faith affects the way that we show ourselves to others.

SPRING - 1

Theme: **Community**

Enquiry question: Places of Worship are only for prayer”. Do you agree?

Why study this topic?

This topics helps us to understand why community is important within society and religion. Students will study different places of worship from a religious and a non religious humanist viewpoint. Students will understand why worship is important.

SUMMER – 1

Theme: **Our world**

Enquiry question: “The world is simply here for us to enjoy”. Do you agree?

Why study this topic?

The main focus of this topic is to explain how religious and non religious people should look after the world. Students will learn what it means to be stewards to the Earth.

123 Links to Numeracy

Students are given statistical data, they need to interpret and analyse. They conduct surveys and complete tally charts to support their data. Bar charts and pie charts are used.