

OCR A Level in Religious Studies (H573)

You will have two teachers for this course. One teacher will teach you Philosophy and half of the Developments in Christian thought (DCT) content, whilst your second RS teacher will teach you Ethics and the remaining half of the DCT content

	AUTUMN TERM	SPRING TERM	SUMMER TERM
YEAR 12 CONTENT	<p><u>Philosophy H573/01</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ancient philosophical influences ● Soul, mind and body ● Arguments based on observation <p><u>Ethics H573/02</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Utilitarianism ● Kantian Application ● Business ethics 	<p><u>Philosophy H573/01</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Arguments based on reason ● Religious experience ● The problem of evil <p><u>Ethics H573/02</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Euthanasia ● Natural law ● Situation ethics 	<p><u>Development in Christian thought H573/03</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Augustine’s teaching on human nature ● Death and the afterlife ● Knowledge of God’s existence <p><u>Development in Christian thought H573/03</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The person of Jesus Christ ● Christian moral principles ● Christian moral action (Dietrich Bonhoeffer)
ASSESSMENT	<p><u>Low stakes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Knowledge quizzes, key term tests etc. <p><u>High stakes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 40 mark essay (at least one for both Philosophy and Ethics) 	<p><u>Low stakes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Knowledge quizzes, key term tests etc. <p><u>High stakes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 40 mark essay (at least one for both Philosophy and Ethics) 	<p><u>Low stakes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Knowledge quizzes, key term tests etc. <p><u>High stakes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 40 mark essay (at least one for each teacher) ● Mocks exam
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YEAR 13 CONTENT	<p><u>Philosophy H573/01</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The nature or attributes of God ● Religious language: negative, analogical or symbolic ● Religious language: twentieth-century perspectives and philosophical comparisons <p><u>Ethics H573/02</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Meta-ethical theories ● Conscience ● Sexual ethics 	<p><u>Developments in Christian thought H573/03</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Religious pluralism and society ● Religious pluralism and theology ● The challenge of secularism <p><u>Developments in Christian thought H573/03</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Gender and society ● Gender and theology ● Liberation theology and Marx 	<p><u>Developments in Christian thought H573/03</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The challenge of secularism (cont.) ● Revision <p><u>Developments in Christian thought H573/03</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Liberation theology and Marx (cont.) ● Revision
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