

Subject: Religious Education

	Progress objective 1a	Progress objective 1b	Progress objective 1c	Progress Objective 2a	Progress Objective 2b
Pathway 1	Explain and identify how sources and arguments are used in different ways by different traditions to provide answers to questions of religious belief, ultimate questions and ethical issues. Explain how distinctive religious beliefs arise.	Explain the significance for believers of different forms of religious and spiritual celebrations. Describe and explain the meaning and purpose of different liturgies	Explain how religious beliefs and teachings influence moral values and behaviour. Identify similarities and differences between peoples’ responses to social and moral issues because of their beliefs.	Express insight and explain into the reasons for their own and others’ beliefs and values and the challenges of belonging to a religion.	Explain with reference to religious beliefs their own and others’ answers to questions of meaning. Demonstrate how religious beliefs and teaching give some explanation of the purpose and meaning of human life.
Pathway 2	Describe and show understanding of religious sources, beliefs, ideas, feelings and experiences, making links between them. Make links between religious stories and beliefs.	Use religious terms to show an understanding of different liturgies. Use a developing religious vocabulary to give reasons for religious actions and symbols.	Show understanding of how religious belief shapes life. Give reasons for certain actions by believers.	Show how own and others’ decisions are informed by beliefs and values. Make links to show how feelings and beliefs affect their behaviour and that of others.	Engage with, and respond to , questions of life in the light of religious teaching. Compare their own and other people’s ideas about questions that are difficult to answer.
Pathway 3	Retell some special stories about religious events and people.	Use religious words and phrases to describe some religious actions and symbols.	Describe some ways in which religion is lived out by believers.	Use religious words and phrases to describe some religious actions and symbols.	Retell some special stories about religious events and people.