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# Year 12 A level

## **Plan Of Learning For The Year**

#### Half Term 1:

- Philosophy: Ancient Philosophical Influences of Plato and Aristotle; Soul, Mind and Body
- Ethics: Natural Law, Aristotle and Aquinas; Situation Ethics

### Half Term 2:

- Philosophy: Arguments on observation cosmological, teleological;
   Arguments on reason ontological;
- Ethics: Kantian Ethics; Utilitarianism;

#### Half Term 3

- Development of Christian Thought: Augustine pre-post Fall, original sin, God's grace
- Ethics: Euthanasia

#### Half Term 4

- Development of Christian Thought: Death and the afterlife; heaven, hell, purgatory, election
- Ethics: Business Ethics; Meta-ethical theories

### Half Term 5

- Philosophy: Religious Experience mystical/conversion experience
- Ethics: Conscience

### Half Term 6

- Philosophy: Problem of Evil theodicies
- Ethics: Sexual Ethics

Feedback, Retrieval & Assessment	Super curriculum opportunities / extra-curricular activities	Cultural Capital, SMSC, Careers and Futures
<ul> <li>Students will be assessed through retrieval tasks, verbal feedback to peers and to the class, independent learning, essays written under timed conditions and mock exams</li> <li>Some units will involve presentation and debate work which enables students to process and develop their knowledge and understanding of the material</li> </ul>	Students are offered opportunities for extra study through podcasts, online events linked to the university of Sheffield Hallam and essay competitions throughout the year	<ul> <li>Religious Education benefits our students through enriching their knowledge of the world, their community, our school community and their own spirituality.</li> <li>Religious Education is a very transferable subject with links to many career paths including Medicine, Social Work, Policing, Education, Armed Forces, Law, Social Care, Catering</li> <li>Students who have left All Saints with an A level in RE have gone on to study Drama, Politics, Philosophy, Medicine, Law, Theology to name just a few</li> </ul>

Common misconceptions	Connecting New Knowledge	Challenge for all
<ul> <li>Will I be disadvantaged if I am are not Catholic?</li> <li>No, our intake is very diverse and we ensure this is fully recognised in the way we teach the content.</li> <li>Is A level RS just for those with a faith?</li> <li>No, RS is for everyone! Learning about what people believe and how it influences their decisions in life is important for all citizens of the world.</li> <li>Is A level RS just about religion?</li> <li>No, the A level covers Religion, Philosophy and Ethics with plenty of input from religious and secular thinkers and sources</li> </ul>	RS connects with many other subjects on the curriculum, such as English, History, Business Studies, Psychology and Sociology	A level RS is a very challenging and academic subject for students, but is suitable for a variety of abilities