KS3 Skills						
Religious Belief	Recognise some religious beliefs Use some religious words and phrases to identify some religious beliefs and symbols.	Describe some ways in which religious beliefs impact people Describe links between religious stories and beliefs.	Show a coherent understanding of faith, religion and belief using sources and evidence. Identify sources of religious belief and explain how distinctive religious beliefs arise.	Analyses a range of faiths, religions, beliefs and teachings, making reference to the texts used and how religions interpret them.	Analyses a range of faiths, religions, beliefs and teachings and how they impact people, making effective use of the religious texts used Analyses sources of religious belief and evaluate how religions interpret them.	Provide a coherent and detailed analysis of faith, religion and belief. Confidently evaluate religious belief between different religions and denominations, using religious scripture and teachings to support.
Religious Practices	Identify some religious practices. Use some correct religious key vocabulary when identify religious practices.	Describe some links between religious beliefs and practices. Describe some ways in which religion is lived out by believers	Explain how practices affect and impact religious lives. Clearly explain reasons for certain actions by believers	Analyse how religious belief shapes life through religious practices. Evaluate similarities and differences between religious practices across religions and denominations.	Analyse how religious belief shapes life through religious practices. Evaluate similarities and differences between religious practices across religions and denominations.	Confidently use a range of beliefs and teachings to evaluate the impact of religious practices on religions. Clearly evaluate the purpose of religious practises for religious believers, with the use of various scriptural evidence.
Teachings and scripture	Simple awareness of key teachings. Identify sources of authority for teachings and scripture.	Some attempt at including religious teachings. Describe different sources of authority.	Coherent use of religious scripture and teachings. Explanation of sources of authority and their importance.	Use a wide range of teachings and scripture to show a coherent and secure understanding of religion.	Use a wide range of teachings and scripture to show a coherent and secure understanding of religion. Some analysis of a wide range of religious scripture and teachings.	Confidently uses a wide range of teachings and scripture to support and develop an evaluation argument. Teachings and scripture are consistently explained and analysed.
Engagement with own and others beliefs and	Identify their own experiences and feelings Ask and respond to questions about their own and others' experiences and feelings.	Make links to show how feelings and beliefs affect their behaviour and that of others. Describe how own and others' decisions are informed by beliefs and values.	Explain what beliefs and values inspire and influence them and others. Express insights into the reasons for their own and others' beliefs and values and the challenges of belonging to a religion.	Critically analyses and justify own and others' religious beliefs and world views. Articulate their own critical response(s) to different religious beliefs and world views.	Critically analyses and justify own and others' religious beliefs and world views. Articulate their own critical response(s) to different religious beliefs and world views.	Synthesize a range of evidence, arguments, reflections and examples to justify their own views and ideas on questions of meaning and purpose. Provide an independent, informed and well-argued account of their own and others' views on questions of meaning, purpose and fulfillment.