



Topic	Learning Objectives	Key Vocabulary	Learning Sequence	Linked Learning	Home Learning
Life and Death: Death and the Afterlife	Know that death is the separation of the immortal soul from the physical body Compare this view with that of atheists Understand the concept of a good death (benemortasia) Investigate Catholic teaching on euthanasia and assisted suicide. Understand that Catholics believe in the resurrection of the body which will be reunited with the soul at the second coming	death soul Resurrection	Introduction and Key Words The Soul Euthanasia The Resurrection of the Body	Year 10 The sanctity of human life and imago dei in Origins and Meanings. Christian response to the problem of evil through charity work, prayer (sorrowful mysteries of the Rosary) and the incarnation. Jewish beliefs about Olam Ha'ba Year 8 Eastern religions and reincarnation The relationship between the individual and general judgement Other Christian views on purgatory	Research the work of Pendleside hospice with regard to palliative care. Further research on the Catholic concept of benemortasia, the principle of double effect and the concept of ordinary and extraordinary care Investigate the Tony Bland case (the first case of legalised euthanasia)
Beliefs: Eschatology	Know Catholic teaching on the Four Last Things: death, judgement, heaven and hell Investigate the teaching on heaven and hell of Matthew 18:21-35 and Luke 16:19-31 Examine the biblical basis of Catholic teaching on purgatory in 1 Cor. 3:11-15	Judgement eternal life heaven hell	Eschatology	Year 9 Judaism Beliefs: orthodox and Reform beliefs and teachings about life after death, judgement and resurrection; spiritual and/or bodily resurrection, immortality of the soul and the belief that we must focus on this life in preparation for what ever happens in the next	
Sources: The Magisterium	Understand the nature of the Catholic Magisterium and its exercise in its different forms with reference to Evangelium Vitae (65) Outline the nature, importance, history and key teachings of the Second Vatican Council	Magisterium	The Magisterium—PowerPoint Vatican II - PowerPoint	Year 8: the importance of the Magisterium and the impact of Vatican II	Research the teaching of Humanae Vitae and its reception by the Church Research the teachings of the first 4 ecumenical councils and their dogmatic teaching



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Forms: Artefacts	Describe a range of Christian artefacts Relate Christian beliefs about eternal life to: Scenes of the Passion in the Museo Pio Christiano Relate Christian beliefs in the resurrection to the paschal Candle and how it is used	death soul judgement eternal life heaven hell	Artefacts: Sarcophagus— PowerPoint, activity, Picture Paschal Candle –PowerPoint	Year 8 Worship: sacramentality, sacraments and the Eucharist Year 8 visit to Catholic Church What comes next: watch Faure’s Requiem and write down your thought on what it tells us about the composer’s beliefs about life and death https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UnilUPXmipM	What religious artefacts are there in Notre Dame? Religious artefacts and relics in local Catholic churches GCSE Questions
Forms: Music and the funeral rite	Identify various forms of music used in Catholic worship Know what a requiem is and give examples of other famous requiems Explain how such music expresses catholic beliefs about eternal life Study a Catholic funeral rite and identify what beliefs about eternal life it reflects	death soul judgement eternal life heaven hell	Music & Requiems—PowerPoint Funeral Rites—PowerPoint	Year 8 Worship: sacramentality, sacraments and the Eucharist Year 9 Judaism Beliefs: Mourning rituals: onan, kaddish, sheva, yartzheit. Role of chevra kaddisha	Compare Faure’s and Mozart’s requiems Revision questions GCSE Questions
Practices: Prayer within Catholic Communities in Britain and elsewhere	Know the difference between formulaic and extempore prayers, giving examples Analyse the different types of prayer in the Lord’s Prayer Explain why Catholics pray for and offer Masses for the dead	death soul judgement eternal life heaven hell	Prayer & Prayers for the Dead - PowerPoint Activity Our Father prayer	Year 8 Islam: the Shahadah Year 9 Judaism and prayer : The significance of prayer including the standing prayer (the Amidah); the recitation of the Shema and Modeh Ani.	Revision questions