



SUBJECT	<b>Philosophy and Ethics</b>		YEAR	<b>11</b>
<p><b>Why do we study <i>Philosophy and Ethics</i>?</b></p> <p>Philosophy and Ethics provides students with <b>rich knowledge</b> to understand a range of religions and worldviews. This enables them to <b>develop their own</b> beliefs, values and identity preparing them to <b>make sense of their place</b> in our multi-religious, multi-secular society.</p>				
What you will learn this year	What you have learned before	Where you can read more		
Buddhist Beliefs				
Buddha's Birth and Life up to his Enlightenment  Key Buddhist teachings: 3 Jewels 3 Marks of Existence 4 Noble Truths  The Tibetan Wheel of Life  Different Buddhist Traditions  Arhat & Bodhisattva Pure Land Buddhism	Life of the Siddhartha Gautama  Introduction to the Four Noble Truths and the Eightfold path  A Day in the Life of a Monk	Buddhist Stories <i>by Anita Ganeri</i>  Website: <a href="#">The Buddhist Centre   Buddhism and Meditation from the Triratna Buddhist Community</a> Has lots of <b>student friendly</b> information about all aspects of Buddhism  Ms Moran's mini library of Buddhist Textbooks.		
Buddhist Practices				
Buddhist Worship  Different types of Meditation  Ceremonies about death and mourning  Buddhist festivals  Compassion & Loving kindness  Living the best Buddhist Life	Virtual visit to a Vihara & drawing a floorplan  Mandala activity  What happens when we die in other religions  Christmas and Easter  10 Commandments  5 Pillars of Islam	The Role of the Dalai Lama <a href="#">BBC - Religions - Buddhism: Dalai Lama</a>  Check out <a href="#">Mindfulness exercises and tips - Mind</a>		
Human Rights and Social Justice				
Social Justice & Human Rights  Prejudice & Discrimination eg race & disability  Religious Freedom  Wealth & Poverty and it's causes  Exploitation of the poor	Causes of crime  Parables about Wealth  Muslims & Christian ideas of wealth  Christian charities	Read about challenges disabled people face in society. Is it fair?  Novels: <i>The Boy with the Topknot by Satnam Sanghera</i>  <i>The Boy at the back of the Class by Onjali Rauf</i>		