



*“At Houlton we develop students to be religiously literate; to celebrate religious beliefs, engage in respectful dialogue and to enable them to thrive for life in multicultural Britain.”*



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### WHAT IS THE ESSENCE OF HINDUISM, AND HOW DOES IT INFLUENCE THE LIVES OF ITS FOLLOWERS?

- Can we know what God is like?
- Do books inspire us?
- What is the four stages of life?
- How should a place of worship be designed?
- Are celebrations important?
- Are symbols important for Hindus?
- Is death the start or end of life?

### WHAT'S THE ULTIMATE PURPOSE BEHIND OUR EXISTENCE?

- Is it easy to make decisions?
- What is euthanasia?
- What is IVF?
- What is genetic engineering?
- What is the purpose of families?

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### HOW DO RELIGIOUS BELIEFS AND VALUES INFLUENCE THE PERCEPTION OF CRIME AND PUNISHMENT?

- Why do people commit crime?
- What are the aims of punishment?
- Would you forgive?
- What are the religious perspectives on the death penalty, and how do they influence the debate surrounding its legality?
- How should criminals be treated?

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### WHY IS RELIGION CONTROVERIAL?

- What are the religious ideas about peace, justice, forgiveness, and reconciliation?
- Why does violence and terrorism occur?
- What are the reasons for war?
- Is war justified?
- How holy wars happen?
- What is a nuclear weapon?
- What is a pacifist?



### WHAT ARE THE KEY PILLARS AND BELIEFS THAT FORM THE FOUNDATION OF ISLAM?

- What are the key features of Islam?
- How did Islam begin?
- Who is Prophet Muhammad (pbuh)?
- How does the Quran and the 5 pillars of Islam shape individuals' life?
- How do Muslims pray?
- What are the key features of a mosque?
- What is Ramadan?
- What is Hajj?



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### WHAT FUNDAMENTAL BELIEFS SET CHRISTIANITY APART FROM OTHER MAJOR WORLD RELIGIONS?

- Is Christianity increasing or decreasing?
- Can one thing also be three?
- What is the most important book you have read?
- What is the most important part of a person's life?
- Why is the life of Jesus important is the most important principle to live by?
- Should only Christians celebrate Christmas or Easter?



### WHO ARE THE SIKHS, WHAT DO THEY STAND FOR?

- What are the core beliefs and practices of Sikhism?
- What are the 5Ks and why was the Khalsa formed?
- What is the history behind the Golden Temple?
- How have Sikhs contributed to Britain?

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### HOW DO DIFFERENT RELIGIONS APPROACH THE USE OF MIND-ALTERING SUBSTANCE?

**YEAR 8**

- What is a drug?
- Why do people use drugs?
- What are the effects of tobacco?
- What are the effects of alcohol?
- Why is your body and mind important?
- Why are drugs so classified?



### HOW DOES RELIGIOUS BELIEFS SHAPE OUR WORLDVIEW?

- Why is holy literature important?
- What are the different types of worship?
- Should religious buildings be sold to feed the starving?
- How do different religious believers express their faith through ceremonies and rituals?

**YEAR 7**

