

# Religious Education

## Core Questions & Vocabulary

**Year Group: 8**

**Composite:** Are the ideas of science and religion compatible?

**Composite number: 1**

Core Questions	
1	Can you explain how the world was created according to the Chinese creation myth/ origin story?
2	How does Genesis 1 account for the creation of the world?
3	Can you explain how creation occurred according to Genesis 2?
4	What happens in Genesis 3?
5	Can you identify how Genesis 1, 2 and 3 are similar and/or different?
6	How does science explain the creation of the universe and life?
7	Is it possible to believe in the Genesis creation account and scientific explanations for the world?
8	How does the argument for causation lead to or support a belief in God?
9	What do Christians believe about stewardship?
10	What do Muslims believe about stewardship?
Core Vocabulary	
1	Creation
2	Origin Story
3	Genesis
4	Original Sin
5	Big Bang Theory
6	Evolution
7	Natural selection
8	Survival of the fittest
9	Causation
10	Analogy
11	Stewardship
12	Khalifah

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**Composite:** Do the teachings of Jesus stand the test of time?

**Composite number:** 2

Core Questions	
1	What, using historical evidence, would Jesus have most likely looked like?
2	Why was the birth of Jesus special/unusual?
3	Can you consider, with examples, how Jesus was both God and human?
4	Why is the incarnation important to Christians?
5	Can you explain how infant and believer's baptism are similar and/or different?
6	How was Jesus baptised?
7	Why did Jesus teach using parables?
8	Can you summarise, ensuring you include the inferred meaning/moral: The Good Samaritan, The Sheep and the Goats and The Rich Man and Lazarus?
9	What 4 types of miracles did Jesus perform?
10	Can you explain the miracles: Jesus feeds 5,000, Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead and Jesus heals a paralysed man?
11	What happened in the last week of Jesus' life?
12	Other than resurrection, how else might people explain the disappearance of Jesus' body?
Core Vocabulary	
1	Gospels
2	Nativity
3	Virgin
4	Miracle
5	Magi
6	Manger
7	Incarnation
8	Christening
9	Baptism
10	Saviour
11	Parable
12	Lent
13	Holy Week
14	Crucifixion
15	Resurrection

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**Composite:** Death: Is death the end? What happens when we die?

**Composite number:** 3

Core Questions	
1	Why might people believe in life after death?
2	Why might people not believe in life after death?
3	What do Christians believe about life after death? Why?
4	How do Christian funerals reflect beliefs about life after death?
5	What do Muslims believe about life after death?
6	How do Muslim funerals reflect beliefs about life after death?
7	What do Buddhists believe about life after death?
8	Why do some people believe reincarnation is convincing evidence for life after death?
9	Why do some people believe reincarnation is not convincing evidence for life after death?
10	What do Humanists believe about life after death?
11	Why might some people agree with euthanasia?
12	Why might people disagree with euthanasia?
Core Vocabulary	
1	Psychic
2	Near-death experience (NDE)
3	Heaven
4	Hell
5	Purgatory
6	Judgement
7	Immortality of the soul
8	Akhirah
9	Jannah
10	Jahannam
11	Barzakh
12	Reincarnation
13	Samsara
14	Karma
15	Nirvana
16	Euthanasia