Year 7	Religious Education		
Lesson Time:	Five lessons every two weeks		
Content Over- view:	At Key Stage 3 the department has a Scheme of Learning which is tailored to suit the needs of learners and to meet the requirements of the Curriculum Directory for Catholic Schools agreed by the Bishops' Conference.		
Assessment:	Students are assessed at the end of each unit, in a school examination and consistently throughout the year as part of each lesson.		
Literacy:	Students read, study and interpret selections from Scripture and official Church teaching. During their course of study students are expected to produce written work which develops and extends in accordance with the school's literacy policy.		
Numeracy:	The course includes numerical reference skills, as well as analysis of statistics, testing a logical approach to arguments and deduction of conclusions.		
SMSC	This scheme is based on the Bishops Conference Curriculum Directory.		
Units:	Creation and Covenant	Prophecy and Promise	Galilee to Jerusalem
Content:	How do we know about God? How should we read the Bible? What does Genesis 1 teach about Creation? What does Genesis 2 teach about creation? What do Catholics believe about scientific theories about creation? What are our responsibilities to others?	What is the Bible? How can you navigate the Bible? How can the Bible be understood? How do Christians navigate the Bible? What does it mean to say Scripture is inspired? How do Christians use the Bible in worship? How does the Bible influence the lives of Christians?	What is the Incarnation? Who is Jesus the Son of God? What did Arius teach about Jesus? Who is Jesus Son of Man? Who is Jesus Christ Son of David? What is the Trinity? How does Catholic Worship reflect the Trinity?
Delivery:	Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A
Units:	Desert to Garden	To the ends of the earth	Dialogue and Encounter
Content:	What is the Paschal Mystery? What are the Sacraments of the Church? Why is the Last Supper so important? What is the Eucharist? How is Jesus present in the Eucharist? What can art teach us about the Eucharist?	Who was St Luke? Who is the Holy Spirit? What role did the Holy Spirit play in Jesus' life? What is the story of Pentecost? Why is Pentecost so important? What does the Church teach about the Holy Spirit? What is Confirmation?	How have councils been important in the Church? What happened at the Council of Jerusalem? Why are there so many Christian denominations? What is Ecumenism?
Delivery:	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B
Learning:	Students learn through a variety of activities including; debates, discussions, research based tasks and role-plays.		
Support (SEND):	Students with SEND needs are provided with writing frames and the role of learning assistants is incorporated in teachers planning		
Challenge (Most Able):	More able students will be encouraged to make comparisons of different religious perceptions and interpretations when exploring a variety of issues.		
Work Related Learning:	This academic course of study features opportunities for personal growth and aims at developing the Theological and spiritual literacy of all students. which enables them to grow and mature.		
Equipment:	Exercise books, Bibles, and use of Google classroom		
Extra- Curricular:			