

The aims of Religious Education in our school are:-

- To enable pupils to encounter Christianity as the religion that shape British culture and heritage and influences the lives of millions of people today;
- To enable pupils to learn about the other major religions, their impact on culture and politics, art and history, and on the lives of their adherents;
- To develop understanding of a religious faith as the search for and expression of truth;
- To contribute to the development of pupil's own spiritual/philosophical convictions, exploring and enriching their own faith and beliefs.
- To make reasoned and informed judgements about religions and moral issues
- To enhance spiritual, moral and cultural development
- To develop an awareness of fundamental life questions and respond according to personal experience, beliefs and values
- To cultivate thoughtful self expression and philosophical thinking skills
- To aspire to tolerance and nurture mutual respect
- To empathise, evaluate, question, relate and express
- To look at the world with an inquisitive and unbiased perspective
- To develop a sense of awe and wonder

