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Course Choice Information – RMPS National 5

Course Information & Content

https://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/files_ccc/RMPSCourseSpecN5.pdf

The National 5 Religious, Moral and Philosophical Studies course helps students to develop an understanding of the society in which they live and work, through learning about, and from, religious beliefs, non-religious viewpoints and personal experience.

World Religion: Students study the religion of Islam and its impact, relevance and significance through studying some key beliefs and practices, and the contribution these make to the lives of followers.

Morality and Belief: Students study the moral issues of either: Morality and Relationships (gender issues, sex and marriage) or Morality, Medicine and the Human Body (Euthanasia and Embryo Research).

Religious and Philosophical Questions: Students study the issues raised by the religious and philosophical questions of Origins - how did we get here? They examine: Genesis, Big Bang Theory and Evolution.

Assessment

There are two assessment components:

Component 1: Question Paper = 80 marks

Component 2: Assignment = 20 marks, write up under exam conditions

Homework

Independent research to complete Assignment. Weekly or fortnightly exam style essay questions.

Progression

Higher, Advanced Higher, Further Education.

Career Options

Administration | Social care | Broadcasting | Social work | Charities administration | Civil service | Community work | Human resources | Counselling | Teaching | Youth work | Health care | Psychology | Fundraising | Law | Religious leadership Management | Politics

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