

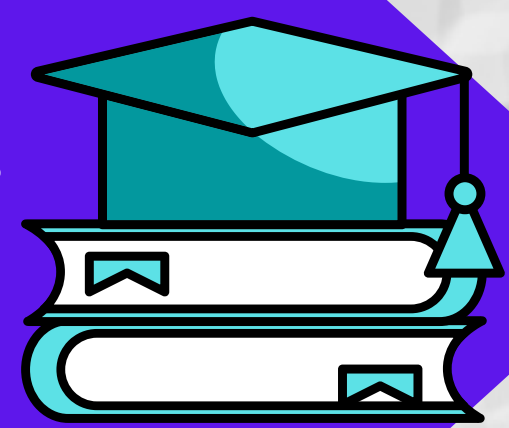


RELIGIOUS EDUCATION LEARNING JOURNEY

Why take A-Level RE?

Welcome to RE A-Level!

RE can provide you with excellent transferable skills, from essay writing, developing confidence in debating, to developing the ability to appreciate other viewpoints. These skills can be incredibly helpful in a range of University degrees involving critical thinking and discussion e.g. Humanities, English, Psychology, Politics, Medicine...



PHILOSOPHY



Ancient Philosophers: Plato & Aristotle

What do religious experiences tell us?

What are the attributes of God?

The existence of God- Arguments from observation

Do we have free will?

Religious language: apophatic and cataphatic

Can we use reason and logic to prove God's existence?

Religious language: analogy and symbol

Is the soul distinct from the body? Are we just a mind?



The Problem of Evil

ETHICS



How do we, and how should we make ethical decisions?

Should ethical decisions be made situationally?

Should we allow euthanasia?

Should we live according to the rule "greatest good for the greatest number"?

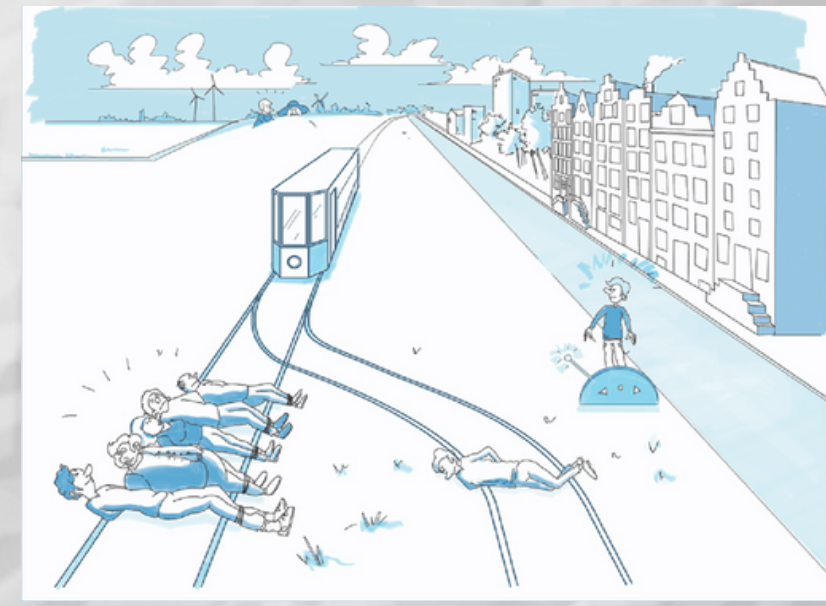
Business Ethics

Sexual Ethics

Meta-ethics: what do we mean by good and bad?

Consciousness

Aquinas and natural law



Kantian Ethics

DEVELOPMENTS IN CHRISTIAN THOUGHT



Knowledge of God's existence

Who was Jesus Christ?

Religious pluralism: society and theology

Feminism

Christian moral principles

The challenge of Secularism

Liberation theology and Karl Marx

Gender and theology

The life and teachings of Dietrich Bonhoeffer

Augustine on human nature



Death and the Afterlife

For more info speak to a member of the RE department.

The A-Level exam board used at OGS is OCR. The entire course is marked through exam. The exam is essay based



"The unexamined life is not worth living"- Socrates

