

PGCE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Subject Audit

Buddhism

- The Buddha, including narratives about his life
- The Dharma and the Sangha
- The Four Noble Truths and the Eightfold Path
- Beliefs about the Soul, Rebirth and Nirvana
- Meditation
- Buddhist Festivals

Christianity

- The nature of God, including the Trinity, Creation
- Jesus Christ: Incarnation, Crucifixion, Resurrection and Ascension
- Salvation: Law, Sin, Grace and Atonement; Heaven and Hell
- Worship, including Prayer and the Sacraments
- The Bible
- Christian Denominations and the Growth of the Church

Hinduism

- Samsara, Karma and Moksha
- Brahman and the Trimurti
- Sources of Authority such as Texts and Gurus
- Dharma and Free Will
- Worship, including Puja and the Mandir
- Hindu Festivals

Islam

- Six Articles of Faith
- The nature of Allah, Prophecy and the Qur'an
- The Five Pillars of Sunni Islam and the Ten Obligatory Acts of Shi'a Islam
- Greater and Lesser Jihad
- Halal and Haram
- The Mosque

Judaism

- The Nature of God and the Divine Presence
- Covenant and the Promised Land
- Mitzvot
- The Tenakh
- The Messiah
- Jewish Worship at Home and in the Synagogue

Sikhism

- The Nature of God as Creator
- The Nature of Human Life: Karma, Rebirth and Mukti
- Oneness and Equality

- The Gurdwara and Prayer at Home
- Gurus including Guru Nanak
- The Guru Granth Sahib