

# The Thomas Hardy School T&E Department – Year 11 Revision Schedule 2026

Week beginning...	Topic	Focus for your revision this week	Complete (tick)	Areas to revisit	Weeks left
<a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zjgx47h">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zjgx47h</a> <a href="https://www.thenational.academy/teachers/programmes/religious-education-secondary-ks4-l/units">https://www.thenational.academy/teachers/programmes/religious-education-secondary-ks4-l/units</a> (Christianity only) <a href="https://www.amazon.co.uk/AQA-GCSE-Religious-Studies-Christianity/dp/0198422857?ref=ast_sto_dp">https://www.amazon.co.uk/AQA-GCSE-Religious-Studies-Christianity/dp/0198422857?ref=ast_sto_dp</a> <a href="https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/religious-studies/gcse/religious-studies-8062/assessment-resources">https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/religious-studies/gcse/religious-studies-8062/assessment-resources</a> <b>Revision materials are also on Teams</b>					
<b>January</b>					
<b>Monday 12<sup>th</sup></b>	Christian Beliefs and Teachings	Nature of God, Problem of Evil, The Trinity, Christian beliefs about creation, Christian beliefs about Heaven and Hell,			<b>17</b>
<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup></b>	Christian Beliefs and Teachings	The incarnation of Jesus, The Crucifixion, The Resurrection and Ascension, Life after death, Sin and Salvation, the role of Christ in salvation			<b>16</b>
<b>Monday 26<sup>th</sup></b>	Christian Practices	Worship, Prayer, The Sacraments: Baptism, Holy Communion, Pilgrimage, Festivals			<b>15</b>
<b>February</b>					
<b>Monday 2<sup>th</sup></b>	Christian Practices	The role of the Church in the local community, evangelism and mission, church growth, the importance of the worldwide church, persecution and responses to world poverty.			<b>14</b>
<b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup></b>	Buddhist Beliefs and Teachings	The life story of the Buddha (early life, asceticism, 4 sights enlightenment), the dhamma, dependent arising, the three marks of existence			<b>13</b>
<b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	Buddhist Beliefs and Teachings	The Four Noble Truths, Theravada Buddhism, Mahayana Buddhism, Arhats and Bodhisattvas, Pureland Buddhism			<b>12</b>
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	Relationships	Human sexuality, sex before and outside marriage, contraception and family planning, marriage – apply Christian and Buddhist beliefs to these.			<b>11</b>
<b>March</b>					
<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	Relationships	Divorce and remarriage, Nature of families in the 21 <sup>st</sup> century, Purpose of families in the 21 <sup>st</sup> century, Gender equality – apply Christian and Buddhist beliefs to these.			<b>10</b>
<b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup></b>	Peace and Conflict	Key Terms Peace, Justice, Forgiveness and reconciliation, Violent protest and terrorism, Reasons for War, Nuclear War and WMDs - apply Christian and Buddhist beliefs to these.			<b>9</b>
<b>Monday 16<sup>th</sup></b>	Peace and Conflict	The Just War Theory, Holy war and religion as a cause of violence, Pacifism and Peace-making, religious responses to victims of war - apply Christian and Buddhist beliefs to these.			<b>8</b>
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	Life	The Origins of the universe, value of the world, use and abuse of the environment, pollution - apply Christian and Buddhist beliefs to these.			<b>7</b>
<b>Monday 30<sup>th</sup></b>	Life	The use and abuse of animals, the origins of human life, abortion, euthanasia, death and the afterlife - apply Christian and Buddhist beliefs to these.			<b>6</b>

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April					
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup></b>	Crime	Crime and Punishment, Reasons for Crime, attitudes towards lawbreaker and different types of crime, Three aims of punishment - apply Christian and Buddhist beliefs to these.			<b>5</b>
<b>Monday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	Crime	Suffering and causing suffering to others, treatment of criminals – prison, corporal punishment, community service, Forgiveness, capital punishment (death penalty)			<b>4</b>
<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup></b>	Buddhist Practices	Place of worship, How Buddhists worship, meditation, Samatha & Vipassana, visualisations,			<b>3</b>
<b>Monday 27<sup>th</sup></b>	Buddhist Practices	Ceremonies and rituals associated with death and mourning, Wesak and Parinirvana Day, Karma and rebirth, Compassion (Karuna) and loving-kindness (metta), the Five Moral Precepts and the six Perfections.			<b>2</b>
May					
<b>Monday 4<sup>th</sup></b>	Exam Skills / Paper 1	Free revision – overview of entire topic. Flash cards or online quizzes for Paper 1 (Christian Beliefs, Teachings and Practices and Buddhist Beliefs, Teaching and Practices)			<b>1</b>
<b>Monday 11<sup>th</sup></b>	Exam Skills / Paper 2	How to approach and answer 12-mark questions, Free Revision – overview of entire topic. Flash cards or online quizzes for paper 2 (Relationships, Peace and Conflict, Life and Crime)			
<b>Exam dates</b>		Paper 1 Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> May am: Christian Beliefs and Practices. Buddhist Beliefs and Practices Paper 2 Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May pm : Peace and Conflict. Relationships and Families, Religion and Life, Crime and Punishment.			