

Super-Curricular Opportunities							
Subject	Key Stage Three	KS3 Book/Broadcast /Competition	Pre GCSE/GCSE	GCSE Book/Broadcast /Competition	Post-16	Post-16 Book/Broadcast/Competition	Websites / Virtual Tours
Religion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keep up to date with current affairs via newspapers, news programmes and internet Visit local places of worship When on holiday, find out about the religion of the country you are visiting, and how they practice it Produce fact files for the six world religions – Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, Sikhism, Judaism. Consider their origins, beliefs and practices Research the impact different pioneers for equality have had on society e.g. Gandhi, Jesus, Desmond Tutu, Oskar Schindler, Harvey Milk, Malala Yousafzai, Emily Wilding Davison, Jim Elliot, Benazir Bhutto, William Wilberforce, Elizabeth Fry Research the human rights act – find 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Big Questions programme (Sunday 10am BBC1) BBC Panorama programme <p>Films:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Life of Pi by Yann Martel, The Matrix. How much does truth matter? Use the following resources to consider different responses to this question, Plato’s Cave – a philosophical theory) The Diary of Anne Frank, The Boy in Striped Pyjamas. Why did the holocaust happen? What was it like for those involved? <p>Books:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ‘Prince of Egypt’ by Phillip LeZebnik 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keep up to date with current affairs via newspapers, news programmes and internet Visit local places of worship When on holiday, find out about the religion of the country you are visiting, and how they practice it Should war ever be a cause of celebration? Look at examples of war through history. Can any of them be justified? What’s the difference between communism and capitalism? Give examples of countries that follow them. Is either approach justified in your opinion? ‘Science and religion are incompatible’ – to what extent do you agree? Look at arguments from Richard Dawkins, 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Big Questions (Sunday 10am BBC1) <p>Programmes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Made in Dagenham, The Suffragettes, Hotel Rwanda, The Help. <i>To what extent are we born free and equal?</i> Slumdog Millionaire, BBC Comic Relief. <i>How should we respond to poverty? Can money ever buy happiness?</i> Life and Death Row programme – BBC iPlayer. <i>How should criminals be punished? Should the death penalty ever be an option?</i> Vera Drake. <i>At what stage should the abortion become illegal?</i> A Short Stay in Switzerland. <i>Should euthanasia be made legal?</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keep up to date with current affairs via newspapers, news programmes and internet. Consider the strengths and failings of different political systems. Research the following philosophes and produce fact files for them – Plato, Kant, Nietzsche, Aristotle, Socrates, Confucius, Dawkins, Swinburne, Descartes, Hume, Bentham, JS Mill 	<p>Books:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Reader by Bernhard Schlink. Consider: are people always responsible for their actions? Shantaram by Gregory David Roberts. <i>To what extent does our culture define our morality? Where else could our moral compass come from?</i> Sophie’s Choice by William Styron. <i>Are decisions ever right or wrong?</i> All My Sons by Arthur Miller. <i>Do we have a duty to show universal love to humanity?</i> <p>Films:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ‘Justice at Nuremberg’. Consider: should we naturally know what is right and wrong? Are we all the same deep down? The Iron Lady. <i>Can a woman be an effective</i> 	<p>Learning Resources - Canterbury Cathedral (canterbury-cathedral.org)</p> <p>Key questions: Explore Does a god exist?</p> <p>Bible stories: Bible for Children » Free Bible Stories to Download</p> <p>Virtual Tours Buddhist temple: 360 Virtual Tour Gangaramaya Buddhist Temple Colombo (p4panorama.com)</p> <p>Canterbury Cathedral: Canterbury Cathedral - Complete Virtual Tour Inside Kent, England - YouTube</p> <p>Mosque: Virtual Tour – Glasgow Central Mosque</p>

	<p>examples of countries around the world where people's rights are still not being granted</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Think about whether you see religion as a force for good or for evil. Consider a range of examples throughout history. 		<p>Albert Einstein, John Lennox and Richard Swinburne.</p> <p>Books: 'The God Delusion' by Richard Dawkins</p>	<p>Books:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Never Let Me Go by Kazuo Ishiguro, My Sister's Keeper by Jodi Picoult. <i>Should people be allowed to choose the gender of their baby? Should people be forced to donate their organs when they die? Should we clone humans so we can use their organs to cure cancer victims?</i> • We Are All Completely Beside Ourselves by Karen Joy Fowler . <i>Can animal testing ever be justified?</i> 		<p><i>leader and feminine in the modern world?</i></p>	
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