**UNIT OVERVIEW:** **Humanism and Ultimate Questions**

**ENQUIRY:** Can we be good people without belonging to an organised religion?

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| **Unit intention:** **-**To explore key Humanist beliefs and practices and the impact of this on people.- To consolidate our learning in RE by applying religious and non religious views when discussing some ultimate questions |
| **Success criteria** | 🗸 | X |
| * I can explain what humanism is and how it originated and has developed
* I can outline key humanist values and practices and the impact of this on individuals
* I can describe what an Ultimate Question is and assess the input of religious and non religious explanations in answering them
* I can organise and present various arguments when looking at the creation of the world
* I can develop an understanding of free will and evaluate different arguments in relation to this
* I can apply prior learning on the nature of God from various religions when addressing why there is suffering in the world.
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| **Unit summative and formative assessment details:**-Mini plenaries in every lesson to check learning and understanding -Pop quizzes-Self assessment and Peer assessment opportunities -Group Presentations-Key word Tests -End of unit test |
| **Home Learning (What and how often):**-Homework given to students every lesson (once a week). Students will also be given a homework table, which will also be shared via Milk. -Seneca revision -Research tasks |

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| **Topic Sequence*** Introduction to Humanism (origins and History)
* Humanist beliefs and practices
* Introduction to Ultimate questions
* UQ1 Was the world created?
* UQ2:  Do we have free will?
* UQ3, why do we having suffering in the world?
* Revision and Assessment
* Assessment Feedback
 | **Recommended reading:** Humanism Section on Bitesize<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/znk647h/articles/zmqpkmn>Humanism Website<https://humanism.org.uk/humanism/>Free home learning resources for RE:<http://www.natre.org.uk/about-natre/free-resources-for-you-and-your-pupils/>**Places to visit:****The Humanism.org website has a section for Parents and they can be contacted in regards to Humanism teaching and extra learning etc.**<https://humanism.org.uk/education/parents/> |

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| **Success criteria** – Have you met them? Show your evidence in the boxes below. |
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| **How will you improve your work?** |

**End of Unit EVALUATION**