**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. |  |  |
| **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**