



TOPIC	KEY LEARNING	ASSESSMENT
Half Term 1 – The Nature of God	<p>To understand the doctrine of the Trinity and how it is reflected in the Bible and worship.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To understand the nature of the Trinity and the characteristics of God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. ▪ To describe how the Trinity is reflected in Catholic worship, with particular focus on the sacraments. ▪ To analyse the Biblical sources of the belief in the Trinity – The Baptism of Jesus, Genesis account and John 1. ▪ To explain the formation of the doctrine of the Trinity through the events at the Council of Nicaea and the Council of Constantinople. ▪ To reflect on the teachings found in the Nicene Creed and their impact on the individual and Catholic community. ▪ To evaluate whether the Council of Nicaea and Council of Constantinople are still important for Catholics today. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keyword test. 2. Homework - 12 question quiz and exam questions. 3. Multiple choice topic review – online. 4. Formal Assessment – Does the Council of Nicaea and Council of Constantinople still have importance for Catholics today?
Half Term 2 – Creation and Humanity	<p>To understand the nature of God as reflected in the Genesis account of creation and the divergent Christian interpretations of creation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To reflect on the events in Genesis 1, 2 and 3 and describe what they teach about the nature of God. ▪ To describe how divergent Christians, interpret the Genesis account of creation, such as Catholics, Fundamentalists and Liberal Christians. ▪ To analyse the Catholic belief that humans are made in the image of God and its implication on the nature of human beings. ▪ To explain the Christian role of dominion over creation and their responsibility as stewards of the earth, with a focus on Pope Francis’ encyclical, Laudato Si. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keyword test. 2. Homework - 12 question quiz and exam questions. 3. Multiple choice topic review – online. 4. Formal Assessment – Do all Christians believe the world was made in exactly seven days?
Half Term 3 – The Nature of Salvation and Grace	<p>To understand the nature of the Incarnation and its impact on human salvation through the grace of God.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To evaluate the nature of Jesus as both human and Divine, through Biblical events and prophecies. (Birth of Jesus, death and Resurrection, miracles, messianic prophecies – Zachariah) ▪ To analyse the importance of each key feature of the Paschal Mystery – passion, death, resurrection and ascension of Jesus. ▪ To explore the Biblical teaching on the nature of salvation and grace. ▪ To describe how God’s grace is received in the Church through the sacraments and the impact on our salvation. ▪ To understand divergent Christian teachings on eschatology (life after death), focusing on particular and general judgement, heaven, hell and purgatory. ▪ To understand the aims and purpose of a Catholic funeral, for both the deceased and community. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keyword test. 2. Homework - 12 question quiz and exam questions. 3. Multiple choice topic review – online. 4. Formal Assessment – Is the Resurrection the most important moment in the life of Jesus?
Half Term 4 – Acts of Worship	<p>To understand the importance of practices within the Catholic Church and their impact on individual faith and community.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To understand the meaning and effects of the seven Catholic sacraments and evaluate their importance. ▪ To describe the nature and significance of the Mass and explain the key events and their importance. ▪ To explore different types of prayer used within the Catholic Church and evaluate their effects. ▪ To explain the nature of popular piety and describe the use and importance of the Rosary, Stations of the Cross and Eucharistic Adoration. ▪ To evaluate the most effective form of worship – attending Mass, private prayer or going on a pilgrimage. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keyword test. 2. Homework - 12 question quiz and exam questions. 3. Topic review – Exam questions. 4. Formal Assessment – Is baptism the most important sacrament?

<p>Half Term 5 –</p> <p>Faith and Community</p>	<p>To understand how Christians, fulfil their role in their community as part of the Church as the Body of Christ.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Corporal and Spiritual works of mercy. ▪ To explain the nature of Catholic Social Teaching and the importance of justice, peace and reconciliation. ▪ To describe the work of CAFOD and Mary’s Meals within the global Church. ▪ To discuss the life of Oscar Romero and St. Teresa of Calcutta. ▪ To understand the nature of evangelisation and Jesus’ teachings on the day of the Great Commission. ▪ To describe the life and work of St. Peter and Paul as the first evangelists. ▪ To analyse how evangelisation is put into practice individually, locally, nationally and globally. ▪ To study the nature and history of the Catholic Church in Britain. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keyword test. 2. Holy Week creative response. 3. Topic review – Exam questions. 4. Formal Assessment – Is local evangelisation more effective than individual, national and global?
<p>Half Term 6 –</p> <p>Scripture and Authority</p>	<p>To understand the source of Catholic teachings and the role of authority within the Church.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ To understand the development and structure of the Bible and how it is used and interpreted by different Christians. ▪ To describe the nature of apostolic succession and how it provides authority to the Magisterium and impacts the importance of their role. ▪ To explain the nature of apostolic tradition and provide examples. ▪ To describe the origins and significance of the Church as the Body of Christ, as found in St. Paul’s letter to the Corinthians. ▪ To analyse the Four Marks of the Catholic Church and their importance for Catholics today. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Keyword test. 2. Homework - 12 question quiz and exam questions. 3. Topic review – Exam questions. 4. Formal Assessment – Is the best way to understand the Catholic Church as apostolic?