

EPR at Key Stage 3 (Years 7 & 8)

Below you will find an outline of the topics studied in Years 7 and 8 EPR lessons.

Year 7

- **Curriculum Kernewek** (Ancestor Worship, Paganism, St Piran, Celtic Christianity, John Wesley)
- **Churches** (the focus will be on Cornish churches and as part of this topic students will visit the TUBESTATION in Polzeath)
- **Islam** (Students will take part in a pen-pal scheme and write to a student in a school in Leicester to find out more about their religion, presentations on the 5 Pillars)
- **Books of Truth** (Ultimate Questions, Bible and Quran)
- **Faith in Action** (How do Christians and Muslims put their faith into action and help those less fortunate?)

Year 8

- **Nature of God** (Personal beliefs, Descriptions of God, Arguments for and against the existence of God, Trinity)
- **Jesus & Inspirational People** (Life of Jesus, Teachings of Jesus, Mother Teresa Project)
- **Buddhism** (Life of Siddhartha Gautama, Basic Buddhist Beliefs and Teachings, Worship)
- **Humanism** (Basic ideas, Star Trek, responses to different Global Issues)

Assessment

Students are formally assessed once a term in KS3 EPR. Below you will find information about the EPR assessment.

GCSE 7 to 9 Application of knowledge and skills across a range of topics as well as unfamiliar situations
GCSE 6 Combine, link, connect (synthesise) Analyse
GCSE 5 Evaluate
GCSE 4 Explain in detail Express insights
GCSE 3 Explain
GCSE 2 Describe Apply ideas
GCSE 1 Begin to describe