

Herefordshire Agreed Syllabus Launch 2020: Draft outline

Date: TBC

Venue: TBC

This will be a practical conference to launch the new Herefordshire Agreed Syllabus for RE. It will provide an opportunity to see the changes to the current syllabus and explore how it helps teachers in planning and delivering creative and effective RE. Keynote speakers will set the wider context for RE and provide inspiring ideas for the classroom. Workshops will support planning of imaginative RE lessons and there will be plenty of resources and ideas to take away and use in the classroom.

Cost inclusive of syllabus hard copy, refreshments and lunch: £100.

Or £160 for two teachers from the same school

Programme:

9.30-11.00 Session 1	Intentions of RE: planning great RE using the new syllabus This session will consider the place, purpose and value of RE for pupils, highlighting the developments and opportunities in the new syllabus. It will demonstrate how to use the syllabus to plan and teach engaging, thoughtful RE.
11.30-1.00 Session 2	Implementing good RE: excellent teaching and learning This session will offer examples of excellent teaching and learning ideas, based on the syllabus, with a focus on creative strategies that enable pupils to recall their learning.
2.00-3.30 Session 3	Impact: achieving more in RE This session will look at setting high standard with the new syllabus. It will explore more teaching and learning ideas, connecting them with methods of assessment, providing examples of ways to enable pupils to make good progress in RE.
3.30	Evaluations and close.

Those attending the day will receive:

- A hard copy folder of the new RE syllabus
- Access to electronic copy of the syllabus
- Additional support materials and access to these online, including all materials used on the day
- RE network opportunities

There will be the opportunity to order a supporting scheme of work at a reduced rate, and to sign up for additional support and training. A bookshop will offer RE Today resources (to buy and take away, with invoices going to your school after the event).

Who is this conference for?

The conference is aimed at teachers of RE from primary and secondary schools of all types, including subject leaders, head teacher and interested governors or other stakeholders. HLTAs who teach RE are very welcome.

Aims

- To introduce the revised Herefordshire Agreed Syllabus for RE, with its increased clarity, rigour and inspiring support materials
- To provide practical support and guidance to schools in planning creative, challenging, thoughtful RE to increase pupils' knowledge and understanding, as well as their personal development
- To give teachers confidence when planning and delivering great RE, and in dealing with core concepts in religions, deepening subject knowledge and skills in RE
- To model examples of thoughtful RE, challenging all pupils and promoting deeper thinking