	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Make sense of a	 identify and describe the core beliefs and concepts 		• identify and explain the core beliefs and concepts studied, using examples from	
range of	studied		texts/sources of authority in religions	
religious and	 make clear links between texts/ sources of 		 describe examples of ways in which people use texts/sources of authority to 	
non-religious	authority and the core concepts studied		make sense of core beliefs and concepts	
beliefs	 offer informed suggestions about what 		• give meanings for texts/sources of authority studied, comparing these ideas with	
	texts/sources of authority can mean and give		some ways in which believers interpret texts/sources of authority	
	examples of what these so	urces mean to believers		
Understand the	 make simple links between stories, teachings and 		 make clear connections between what people believe and how they live, 	
impact and	concepts studied and how people live, individually		individually and in communities • using evidence and examples, show how and	
significance of	and in communities		why people put their beliefs into practice in different ways, e.g. in different	
religious and	 describe how people sho 	w their beliefs in how	communities, denominations or cultures	
non-religious	they worship and in the way they live			
beliefs	• identify some differences in how people put their			
	beliefs into practice			
Make	 make links between some of the beliefs and 		 make connections between the beliefs and practices studied, evaluating and 	
connections	practices studied and life in the world today,		explaining their importance to different people (e.g. believers and atheists)	
between	expressing some ideas of the	neir own clearly	 reflect on and articulate lessons people might gain from the beliefs/ practices 	
religious and	 raise important questions 	s and suggest answers	studied, including their own responses, recognising that others may think	
non-religious	about how far the beliefs a	nd practices studied	differently	
beliefs,	might make a difference to how pupils think and live		 consider and weigh up how ideas studied in this unit relate to their own 	
concepts,	 give good reasons for the 	views they have and the	experiences and experiences of the world today, developing insights of their own	
practises and	connections they make		and giving good reasons for the views they have and the connections they make	
ideas studied				