Top-Level Overview for Key Stage 3 Curriculum: RE

1. Endpoint for the end of Key Stage 3:

Students will be able to use and apply their knowledge of the following:

- The development of the political system of democratic government in the United Kingdom, including the roles of citizens, Parliament and the monarch
- The operation of Parliament, including voting and elections, and the role of political parties
- The precious liberties enjoyed by the citizens of the United Kingdom
- The nature of rules and laws and the justice system, including the role of the police and the operation of courts and tribunals
- The roles played by public institutions and voluntary groups in society, and the ways in which citizens work together to improve their communities, including opportunities to participate in school-based activities
- The functions and uses of money, the importance and practice of budgeting, and managing risk

2. Topic Overview

RE is delivered in the same curriculum time as citizenship and so RE topics are clearly identified in the overview.

Year Group	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
	Topics:	Topics:	Topics:
7	Abrahamic faiths (**RE**)	Diverse UK (**CIT)**	Introduction to politics and political thought **CIT**
8	Democracy in the UK (**CIT**)	Modern Christianity (**RE**)	Wellbeing and Happiness (**RE/CIT**)
9	Ethical Issues **RE**	Law, liberty and justice (**CIT)**	Economic Citizenship and money **CIT**