

Religious Education explores the world's major religions, allowing you to develop your knowledge of different belief systems.

Sustainability Consultant

You'll evaluate a business and its practices to help it reduce its environmental impact and become more sustainable. The UK is committed to net-zero carbon emissions by 2050 and sustainability specialists will help organisations achieve this target. In 2019, the number of sustainability professionals in the UK increased by 12% - almost double the global average. You will persuade company bosses to adopt your sustainable strategies, particularly where they conflict with other objectives.

Corporate Social Responsibility Manager

You'll ensure that your employer engages in ethical, sustainable, and environmentally friendly practices. 200 UK businesses have called on the government to focus on a sustainable and socially just economic recovery from COVID-19. In 2018, 86% of top companies published a sustainability or CSR report and consumers are demanding that companies behave ethically. You'll need to research the policies you propose in the field of CSR in order to present a strong case for adoption.

How will the most popular industries for RE graduates change?

Charity - Future NGO jobs will focus on war zones, fundraising, advocacy, and campaigning.

Journalism - There is an increasing need for highly skilled journalists to challenge fake news.



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EDUCATION

5 work skills that Religious Education will give you:



Literacy

In RE, pupils encounter and use a range of distinctive forms of written and spoken language, including sacred texts, stories, history, poetry, creeds, liturgy and worship. These are powerful uses of language, linked to fundamental human needs and aspirations.



Empathy

Through the study of RE, students will develop the ability to consider the thoughts, feelings, experiences, attitudes, beliefs and values of others. Students will also gain the ability to see the world through the eyes of others, and to see issues from their point of view.



Cross-Cultural Understanding

You will learn how different cultures and societies influence how people communicate and interact with each other. This will help you appreciate why other cultures and religions have different rules to your own, and why various cultural groups within society may find different things acceptable or offensive.



Teamwork

RE provides many opportunities for pupils to work co-operatively, sharing ideas, discussing beliefs, values and practices and learning from each other. Such team-working relies on a flexible and open-minded attitude and a willingness to collaborate.



Problem Solving

RE deals with religious and moral beliefs and values that underpin the ways in which individuals solve problems and make decisions. Examples include the areas of sexual relationships, bringing up children, striving for ideals, the good use of money and facing bereavement.

Where can Religious Education take you?

Jobs Requiring Specialist Knowledge:

- Archivist
- HE Lecturer
- Journalist
- Librarian
- RE Teacher
- Minister of Religion/Religious Leader
- Museum Worker/Curator
- Television Presenter/Researcher

Jobs Working With People:

- Advice Worker
- Careers Adviser
- Care Assistant
- Police Officer
- Probation Officer
- Politician
- Social Worker
- Youth Worker
- Community Development Worker

Jobs Working In Business:

- Architect
- Advertising Account Executive
- Human Resources Manager
- Solicitor
- Marketing Executive
- Public Relations Officer

Future of Job Facts:



Law

The proportion of young engineers has dropped over the last decade. This means there will be high demand for younger workers in the coming years.



Public Sector

Technology is becoming increasingly important across this industry - but **62%** of employers say the digital skills gap is widening, more than any other industry.



Social Care

In the future, consultants with skills and knowledge in IT and Technology, Data Analysis, Digital Marketing and Cyber Security will be in demand.



Medicine & Healthcare

People with qualifications in Information Technology have one of the highest rates of employment in the UK.



Charity & Not-For-Profit

Globally, entrepreneurs aged under 36 make more money on average than any other age group. Over **25%** of UK students run their own business or plan to launch one. Computing skills are vital for running your own business.



Advertising & Marketing

Over **840,000** people work in the UK accountancy industry There are over 164,000 accountancy students in the UK and Ireland, with numbers growing.