



<b>British Value</b>	<b>Philosophy, Theology &amp; Ethics</b>
<b>Democracy and the Rule of Law</b>	The KS3 curriculum introduces students to British politics and different forms of government from around the world. Students are taught about election, democracy and the rule of law as well as who exercises that law and who has authority both in government and in individual student's lives. Students are taught the importance of obeying the law and the history of UK Law and its basis in Christian teaching.
<b>Individual Liberty and Mutual Respect</b>	Throughout all key stages, respect for those who we may disagree with on matters of life, faith or worldview, is fostered and developed in all students. Loving disagreement is a skill that is taught to our students so that they can debate and discuss by maintaining respect and understanding for different views. Liberty allows people to be in disagreement but mutual respect insists on respectful discussion. The freedom to hold a view is important for all and healthy, respectful debate is encouraged.
<b>Tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs</b>	It is important that students are prepared for 'life beyond Thorne' and a considerate awareness of all faiths and worldviews is encouraged throughout all key stages at Trinity. The GCSE course allows in-depth study of both Christianity and Judaism, and the other main religions of Islam, Buddhism and Sikhism are also explored throughout the KS3 curriculum. Many of our students go on to study in Manchester or Newcastle, which are vibrant hubs of multi-culturalism, and we consider it very important that students not only tolerate diversity, but also understand, respect and connect with divergent views within society.