

This is the summary from the RE Quality Mark Inspector's report:

There is a profound and sustained commitment to RE and this is embedded throughout the school. Pupils are encouraged to ask and to think about 'big' questions, supporting the development of their own ideas, beliefs and values. RE strengthens pupils' literacy and makes a deep contribution to SMSC development.

The subject is very well led with a clear planning framework at all levels. Pupils make very good progress in RE, matching the achievements they make in other subject areas. They are able to express their views and to learn in a variety of different ways. The school is committed to implementing the new local syllabus and gives time, commitment and resources to delivering a broad and balanced RE curriculum in all year groups.

RE is enriched by very good relationships between the parish and the school and also by the use of visitors and visits. Pupils value the opportunity to engage with different religions and communities as well as their local church and would value this being developed still further. The opinions and talents of the whole school community and wider stakeholders are engaged and there is enthusiastic support from parents.

The school makes extensive and valued contributions to RE beyond Christ Church, contributing to local schools, the diocese and the local authority.