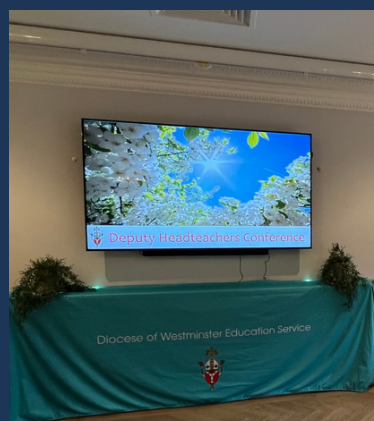
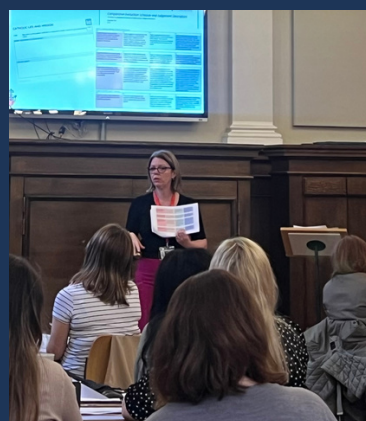
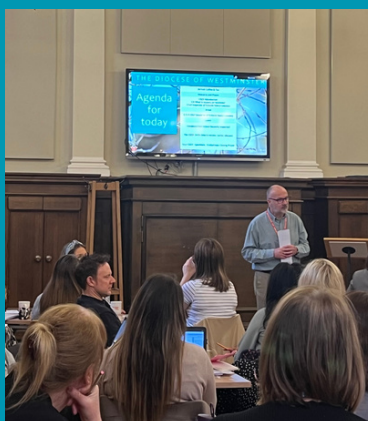




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EDUCATION SERVICE COURSE DELIVERY

Please note that we continue to work on a blended model of delivery for our courses, both in person and online. Please look out for the location of each course. All online courses will be delivered using Zoom. This booklet is complete with all course booking links, to book your ticket or reserve a place please click on the link below each course.



We are introducing this term Cross Phase training for both Primary and Secondary combined. Please look out for the targetted audience within both the course description and side heading. Bookings will close for each event at 4pm, online courses close two days and in person courses 4 days prior to the day. Please do ensure you allow time to book in advance. Once closed, a Zoom link will be sent to delegates along with any pre-course information. If attending an in person course or event you will receive directions to the venue along with any pre course information you require.

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COURSE TESTIMONIALS

"A brilliant session. Wish we had longer because it was such a rich session. Thank you!"

"A very good course that was led by a subject expert".

"I have come away with lots of lovely ideas to use in my class and to share with my colleagues."

"Really used to refresh myself on everything, particularly the available documents on CES and to reread Learning to love."

"Following the training, I feel much more knowledgeable about the new inspection framework and what governors need to know."

"Really enjoyed the course, great subject knowledge and even better suggestions. Thank you"



MONDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER

Primary and Secondary Online Courses: Developing Character Centred Education

Time: 10.00am to 11.00am

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to inform and inspire whole staff to support and develop character centred education.

Course Content:

- To provide engaging and inspiring explanation of character education.
- To provide opportunities for the whole staff discussion about the central virtues of their school.
- To provide practical ways to develop character education.

Target Audience: All staff.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-and-secondary-online-courses-developing-character-centred-education/>

THURSDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER

Understanding the Theology – Year 7 across Branch 1

Session 1: Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 1 / 14th September 2023

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure non-specialist RE teachers understand the theology in Year 7 in Branch 1

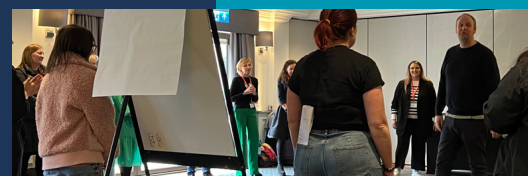
Course Content:

- To provide engaging explanation of the theology in Year 7 across Branch 1.
- To provide opportunities to ask questions to develop understanding of the Catholic beliefs and practices in Year 7 across Branch 1.
- To provide practical suggestions for teaching Year 7 across Branch 1.

Target Audience: Secondary non-specialist RE teachers.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-understanding-the-theology-online-course-year-7-across-branch-1/>



14TH SEPTEMBER 2023 TO 16TH MAY 2024

Understanding the Theology – Year 7

Across Branch 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 CPD Package

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure non-specialist RE teachers understand the theology in Year 7 in Branch 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

Course Content:

- To provide an engaging explanation of the theology in Year 7 across Branch 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
- To provide opportunities to ask questions to develop understanding of the Catholic beliefs and practices in Year 7 across Branch 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
- To provide practical suggestions for teaching Year 7 across Branch 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Target Audience: Secondary non-specialist RE teachers

Sessions:

- **Session 1:** Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 1
14th September 2023
- **Session 2:** Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 2
10th October 2023
- **Session 3:** Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 3
12th December 2023
- **Session 4:** Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 4
6th February 2024
- **Session 5:** Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 5
11th March 2024
- **Session 6:** Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 6
16th May 2024

BOOKING LINK

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/understanding-the-theology-online-cpd-package-year-7-across-branch-1-2-3-4-5-and-6/>



GOVERNORS ONLINE COURSE

TUESDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER

Appointing Heads and Deputies Online Course

Time: 6.00pm to 7.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to help Governors understand the processes in advertising and appointing for Senior Leadership roles

Course Content:

- To provide an overview of the requirements for leadership in a Catholic School.
- To provide an overview of the shortlisting process.
- To provide an overview of planning the interview.

Target Audience: Chairs of Governors and those on interview panels.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/governors-appointing-heads-and-deputies-online-course/>

THURSDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER

New Head of RE Induction

Time: 1.00pm to 4.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to induct new Heads of RE regarding the national and Diocesan expectations for RE.

Course Content:

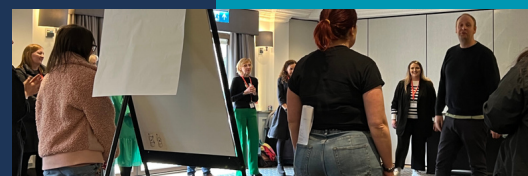
- To provide an engaging explanation about the national and diocese expectation for RE.
- To provide shared expertise from an establish and outstanding Head of RE.
- To provide practical ideas about how to plan and effectively lead an RE Department in the context of a Catholic secondary school.

Target Audience: Secondary new Heads of RE.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-new-head-of-re-induction-online-course/>

SECONDARY ONLINE COURSE



PRIMARY IN PERSON

FRIDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER

Primary Day Course for New and Developing RECs

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to enable newly appointed and developing Religious Education Coordinators to become more confident leading RE in the primary school using up to date guidance, resources and expectations.

Course Content:

- To provide opportunities for new and developing RECs to network with colleagues and explore and clarify the roles and responsibilities of a primary Religious Education Coordinator.
- To provide an opportunity to look at required records, documentation and systems for the monitoring and evaluation of Religious Education including support for the professional development of staff and how to resource the subject.
- To provide familiarity with the preparation for national inspection. To signpost to various resources, materials and courses to support with Classroom RE, Collective Worship and Catholic life & mission.

Target Audience: New and developing RECs in primary schools.

Venue: London Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, London, W1K 3AH.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-day-course-for-new-and-developing-recs/>

MONDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER

New Senior Leaders in Charge of Catholic Life and Mission Induction

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to induct new senior teachers into the national and Diocesan expectations for Catholic Life and Mission

Course Content:

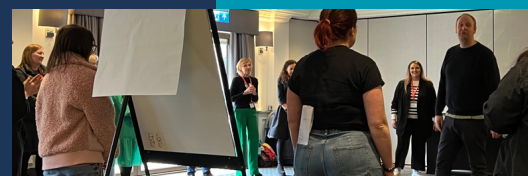
- To provide an engaging explanation about the national and diocese expectation for Catholic Life and Mission in schools.
- To provide shared expertise from an establish and outstanding senior leaders in charge of Catholic Life and Mission.
- To provide practical ideas about how to plan and effectively lead the Catholic Life and Mission of a Catholic secondary school.

Target audience: New Senior Leaders in Charge of Catholic Life and Mission.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-online-course-new-senior-leaders-in-charge-of-catholic-life-and-mission-induction/>

SECONDARY ONLINE COURSE



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TUESDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER

Heads of RE Updates and Sharing Online Forum

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to explain to Heads of RE diocesan and national updates and give them an opportunity to ask questions, share good practice and network.

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful updates regarding RE.
- To provide an opportunity for advisors to address any question or concerns regarding RE.
- To provide time to share good practice and network with other Heads of RE.

Target Audience: Secondary Heads of RE.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-heads-of-re-updates-and-sharing-online-forum/>

TUESDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER

Safeguarding Online Course

Time: 6.00pm to 7.30pm

Course Aim: Schools have a statutory duty to safeguard and promote the welfare of all pupils. This course will cover essential information you need in order to understand your responsibilities.

Course Content:

- To provide latest updates on Keeping Children Safe in Education.
- To provide examples of monitoring for Safeguarding governors.
- To provide updates on Ofsted.

Target Audience: All governors, but especially those responsible for child protection and safeguarding.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/governors-safeguarding-online-course-2/>

GOVERNORS ONLINE COURSE



THURSDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER

EYFS Planning Workshop for new RED (Reception & Nursery / Branch 1 & 2)

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to understand the content of the RED for EYFS and Develop Planning for Branch 1 (Creation & Covenant)

Course Content:

- To provide subject knowledge for Branch 1.
- To provide a suggested planning approach.
- To provide sharing of resources.
- To provide practical planning time.

Attendees will leave with an understanding of the content of the branches and planning to implement on their return to school.

Target Audience: EYFS Practitioners (teachers, nursery nurses, TAs), EYFS Leads, RECs.

Venue: Niland Conference Centre, 93 Elstree Rd, Bushey Heath, Bushey WD23 4EE.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/eyfs-planning-workshop-for-new-red-reception-nursery-branch-1-2-2/>

THURSDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER

RE ECT Afternoon

Time: 1.30pm to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to induct new RE teachers about expectations for RE in Catholic schools.

Course content:

- To provide engaging explanation about the expectations for RE and RE teachers in Catholic schools in England.
- To provide shared expertise from a recent RE ECT.
- To provide practical ideas about how to plan and effectively teach RE and deal with specific issues arising regarding RE in a Catholic school.

Target audience: RE ECTs.

Venue: London Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, London, W1K 3AH.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-re-ect-afternoon/>



PRIMARY IN PERSON

FRIDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER

Preparation for CSI Inspection and CSED

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure primary schools are informed and prepared for impending national inspection.

Courses Content:

- To provide CSI overview and updates.
- To provide preparation for inspection: structure and content of the two days.
- To provide purpose and structure of the CSED with supporting documents/collating evidence.
- To provide input from school which has recently been inspected.
- To provide time to work on CSED.

Target Audience: Senior Leaders and RECs; Primary Schools due inspection in the next academic year.

Venue: London Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, London, W1K 3AH.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-day-course-preparation-for-csi-inspection-and-csed/>

MONDAY 2ND OCTOBER

CSI Preparation for Secondary Schools Due Inspection

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure all secondary schools due their CSI Inspection in the academic year 2024-2025 are informed about the structure and framework of the inspection and know how to best prepare.

Course Content:

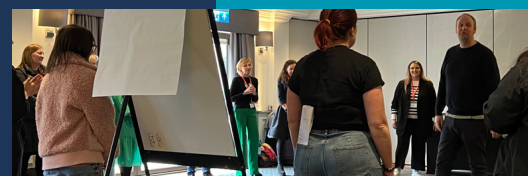
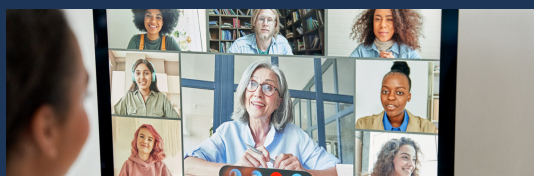
- To provide engaging explanation of the CSI Inspection structure and framework.
- To provide an opportunity for advisors to address any question or concerns regarding CSI Inspections.
- To provide suggestions for structuring and writing an effective CSED.

Target Audience: Headteachers, Relevant Governors, Heads of RE, Chaplains from Secondary Schools due Inspection 2024-2025.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-csi-preparation-for-secondary-schools-due-inspection/>

SECONDARY ONLINE COURSE



MONDAY 2ND AND WEDNESDAY 4TH OCTOBER

New Vice and Chair of Governors Online Training Course (Two Sessions)

Time: 5.00pm to 7.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide new Chairs of Governors (and others) in Catholic schools with the knowledge and expertise to manage this important role with confidence.

Course Content: A reminder of the three core functions and six key features of effective governance of a Catholic school. The key responsibilities of the Chair of Governors in a Catholic school including:

- Ensuring effective functioning of the board and strategic focus
- Setting expectations.
- Providing leadership & direction.
- Working as an effective team.
- Key relationships including Headteacher, Diocese, Local Authority and Trust.

Knowing how to drive improvement in your board so that your board can drive improvement in your school.

Target Audience: Newly appointed / Inexperienced Chairs, Vice-Chairs, Co-Chairs, Committee Chairs and those who aspire to become Chairs of Governors.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/new-vice-and-chair-of-governors-training-course-two-sessions-monday-2nd-and-wednesday-4th-october/>

THURSDAY 5TH OCTOBER

CSI Inspection for Governors Online Course

Time: 5.00pm to 6.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to gain a greater knowledge and understanding of the Catholic Schools Inspection framework and the role of governors within the inspection process.

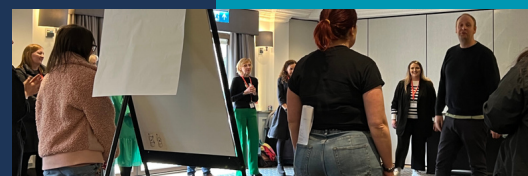
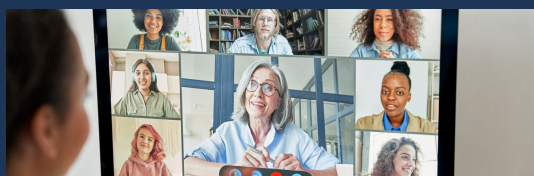
Course Content:

- To provide an overview of the Catholic Schools Inspection Framework.
- Examining diocesan expectations in relation to Catholic life and Mission and Religious Education.
- To provide an overview of the role of a governor in the inspection process.

Target Audience: Chairs, RE Link and all other interested governors.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/csi-inspection-for-governors-online-course/>



5TH OCTOBER TO 8TH FEBRUARY

Foundation Stones Online Course 12 Sessions

Online Sessions: 3.30pm to 5.00pm

Foundation Stones is a 12 sessions introductory course to Catholicism. Participants learn about the key Catholic beliefs and practices and the course is structured to allow participants to ask questions and discuss ideas so they can gain insights into the Catholic faith. This in turn aids the teaching of RE and understanding of the Catholic Life of each school. It is excellent CPD for non-Catholic teachers or those who are not confident teaching RE.

The online structure of this course enables schools across the Diocese to access the course and it means a group of teachers can take part without needing to leave school.

Target Audience: All staff

Sessions:

- 5th October – Catholic Faith
- 12th October – God the Father
- 19th October – God the Son
- 9th November – God the Holy Spirit, Mary and the Saints
- 16th November – Church
- 23rd November – Liturgy, the liturgical year and the seven sacraments
- 30th November – Baptism and Confirmation
- 7th December – Eucharist
- 11th January – Reconciliation and Sacrament of the Sick
- 18th January – Marriage and Holy Orders
- 1st February – Prayer
- 8th February – Life as a Christian

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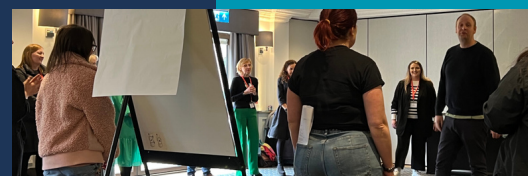
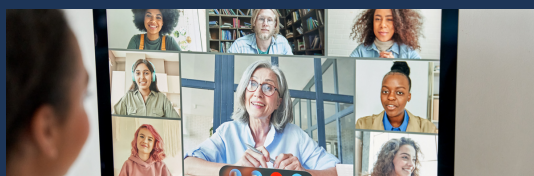
<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/foundation-stones-full-course/>

Testimonials:

"Very inspirational. Very good ideas to do with the children at school and with my own children at home."

"Thank you, I now understand a lot more and feel more confident in helping the children develop their own understanding in RE"

CROSS PHASE ONLINE COURSE PACKAGE



PRIMARY IN PERSON

FRIDAY 6TH OCTOBER

Welcome to Catholic Education

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide support for teachers new to Catholic Education including ECTs to provide opportunities for them to network and learn from other colleagues.

Course Content:

- To provide an overview of what it means to work in a Catholic primary school and be familiar with the benefits and responsibilities.
- To provide an overview of what prayer and liturgy looks like in a primary school and become familiar with different experiences of this in the Catholic tradition.
- To provide familiarisation with what structuring and delivering classroom RE looks like and some resources that can support with this.

Target Audience: ECTs (Year 1), those new to Catholic education.

Venue: London Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, London, W1K 3AH.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-ect-and-new-to-catholic-education-day-1/>

MONDAY 9TH OCTOBER

RJED CPD – Online Session 1: What Can Governors Do?

Time: 7.00pm to 8.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure governors are informed about issues concerning RJED and know how to champion and support RJED within their schools.

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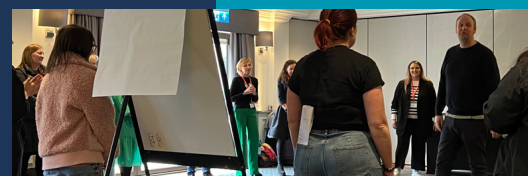
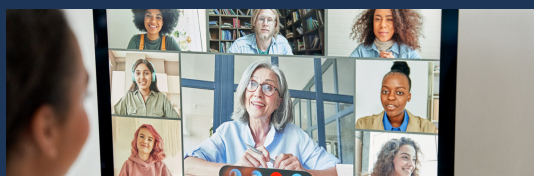
- To provide relevant and useful governor training from an RJED expert.
- To provide practical suggestions about how to monitor, support and develop RJED.
- To provide an opportunity to ask questions to gain a great insight into the role of governors in RJED.

Target Audience: Governors.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/rjed-cpd-online-session-1-what-can-governors-do/>

CROSS PHASE ONLINE COURSE



9TH OCTOBER TO 24TH JUNE

Racial Justice, Equality and Diversity CPD Programme 2023 to 2024

9th October 2023: Session 1 – What can Governors do?

Time: 7.00pm to 8.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure governors are informed about issues concerning RJED and know how to champion and support RJED within their schools.

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful governor training from an RJED expert.
- To provide practical suggestions about how to monitor, support and develop RJED.
- To provide an opportunity to ask questions to gain a great insight into the role of governors in RJED.

Target Audience: Governors.

11th December 2023: Session 2 – What can CEO and Headteachers do?

Time: 1.30pm to 3.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure CEOs and Headteachers are informed about issues concerning RJED and know how to champion and support RJED within their schools.

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful CEOs/Headteacher training from an RJED expert.
- To provide practical suggestions about how to monitor, support and develop RJED.
- To provide an opportunity to ask questions to gain a great insight into the role of CEOs/Headteachers in RJED.

Target Audience: CEOs and Headteachers.

5th February 2024: Session 3 – What can Senior Leaders do?

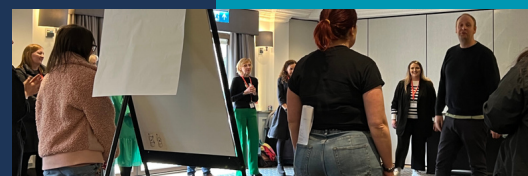
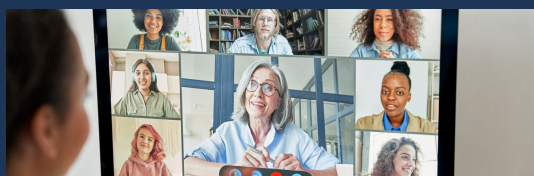
Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure Senior Leaders are informed about issues concerning RJED and know how to champion and support RJED within their classrooms.

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful senior leaders training from an RJED expert.
- To provide practical suggestions about how to monitor, support and develop RJED.
- To provide an opportunity to ask questions to gain a great insight into the role of senior leaders in RJED.

Target Audience: Senior Leaders.



Racial Justice, Equality and Diversity CPD Programme 2023 to 2024

29th April 2024: Session 4 – What can RECs and Chaplains do?

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure RECs and Chaplains are informed about issues concerning RJED and know how to champion and support RJED within their schools.

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful RECs/Chaplains training from an RJED expert.
- To provide practical suggestions about how to monitor, support and develop RJED.
- To provide an opportunity to ask questions to gain a great insight into the role of RECs/Chaplains in RJED.

Target Audience: RECs and Chaplains.

24th June 2024: Session 5 – What can ECTs and Classroom Teachers do?

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure ECTs and classroom teachers are informed about issues concerning RJED and know how to champion and support RJED within their classrooms.

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful ECTs/classroom teachers training from an RJED expert.
- To provide practical suggestions about how to monitor, support and develop RJED.
- To provide an opportunity to ask questions to gain a great insight into the role of ECTs/classroom teachers in RJED.

Target Audience: ECTs and Classroom Teachers.

For single tickets please include the email address of the person attending the course so that they can receive the Zoom invitation. If you are booking a school ticket, then please share the name and email address of a nominated person to receive and share the link with other colleagues.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/racial-justice-equality-and-diversity-cpd-online-programme-2023-to-2024/>



SECONDARY ONLINE COURSE

TUESDAY 10TH OCTOBER

Understanding the Theology – Year 7 across Branch 2

Session 2: Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 2

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure non-specialist RE teachers understand the theology in Year 7 in Branch 2.

Course Content:

- To provide and engaging explanation of the theology in Year 7 across Branch 2.
- To provide opportunities to ask questions to develop understanding of the Catholic beliefs and practices in Year 7 across Branch 2.
- To provide practical suggestions for teaching Year 7 across Branch 2.

Target Audience: Secondary non-specialist RE teachers.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-understanding-the-theology-year-7-across-branch-2/>

WEDNESDAY 11TH, MONDAY 16TH AND WEDNESDAY 18TH OCTOBER

Introduction to Governorship (3 Sessions)

Time: 5.00pm to 7.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course to address the main issues that will be faced by a new (or nearly new) governor. This course takes place over three sessions.

Course Content:

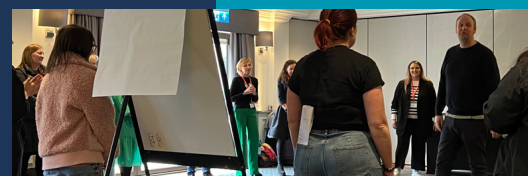
- To provide information on Governance in a Catholic context.
- To provide an understanding the language of governance.
- To provide details of committees and school visits. Legal duties and responsibilities.
- To provide an overview of strategic and operational issues.

Target Audience: Newly appointed governors.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/governors-introduction-to-governorship-3-session-online-course/>

GOVERNORS ONLINE COURSE



THURSDAY 12TH OCTOBER

Getting to know the new RED: Branch 1 Covenant – Subject Knowledge for RECs

Time: 9.30am to 12.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to develop and deepen RECs subject knowledge for Branch 1 (Covenant) to support implementation of the RED.

Course Content:

- To provide support RECs to get to know the content of the new RED.
- To provide subject knowledge input for RECs on Branch 1 (Covenant) of the RED.
- To provide empowerment to RECs to support teachers in school.

Target Audience: Primary RECs and members of the RE team.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-getting-to-know-the-new-red-branch-1-covenant-subject-knowledge-for-recs/>

THURSDAY 12TH OCTOBER

Admissions Training Online Course

Time: 5.00pm to 7.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to enable governors/schools/academies to act confidently in the context of the School Admissions Code and Diocesan Guidance on admissions and for governors to understand the new annual timescales for consultation and determination of admission policies.

Course Content:

- To provide an update on recent legislation and guidance.
- To provide admission policies in the context of the School Admissions Code.
- To provide a clear understanding of the Diocese as religious authority and the Certificate of Catholic Practice.
- To provide information regarding In-Year Admissions.
- To provide information on the role of the Admissions Committee.

Target Audience: Governors.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/governors-admissions-training-online-course/>



PRIMARY ONLINE COURSE

FRIDAY 13TH OCTOBER

Preparation for CSI Inspection and CSED Online Course

Time: 10.00am to 12.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure primary schools are informed and prepared for impending national inspection.

Course Content:

- To provide CSI overview and updates.
- To provide preparing for inspection: structure and content of the two days.
- To provide purpose and structure of the CSED with supporting documents/collating evidence.
- To provide input from school which has recently been inspected.
- To provide time to work on CSED.

Target Audience: Senior Leaders and RECs; Schools due inspection in the next academic year.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-preparation-for-csi-inspection-and-csed-online-course/>

TUESDAY 17TH OCTOBER

Chaplaincy Day Conference

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide Chaplains with relevant and useful training, and practical ideas so they can excel in their roles and have an opportunity to support one another and network.

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful training from experts that will support chaplains in ministering to their school community.
- To provide practical suggestions to develop chaplaincy.
- To provide opportunities to share good practice and network.

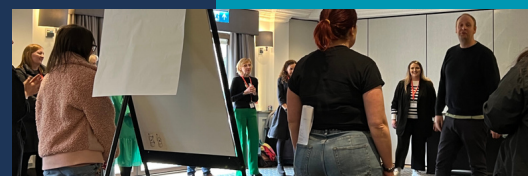
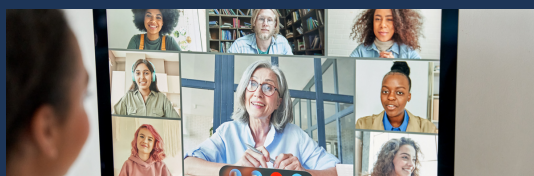
Target Audience: Chaplains and Liturgy Coordinators.

Venue: London Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, London, W1K 3AH.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-chaplaincy-day-conference/>

SECONDARY IN PERSON



17TH OCTOBER 23 TO 5TH NOVEMBER 24

Leadership Project for Aspiring Leaders 2023–2024

The programme will run over 5 terms and is for anyone thinking of Leadership in a Catholic School. It will work alongside the CCRS and NPQs to help prepare candidates to reflect on the uniqueness of Catholic Schools as places of learning, of Worship and of community.

During the course, participants will work on a school-based project which will focus on an aspect of leadership relevant to the programme.

CROSS PHASE ONLINE COURSE PACKAGE

Session 1 Setting and articulating a Vision

- Set and articulate the vision for the school
- Setting a vision, shaping a school culture, leading a worshipping community, chaplaincy and Catholic Life

Tuesday 17th October 2023

Location: Vaughan House,
Diocese of Westminster

Time: 1pm-4pm

Session 2 Developing people, Culture, Teams and Motivation Online

- Developing a professional Development Culture
- Recruitment and retention of staff
- Developing Teams
- Leadership and Motivation

Tuesday 7th November 2023

Tuesday 16th January 2024

Tuesday 20th February 2024

Tuesday 19th March 2024

Time: 3:30pm- 6:00pm

Session 3 Developing a school

- To ensure our schools are the embodiment of exclusivity and celebrate their uniqueness communities.
- To help schools act as a lens whereby our students can see faith acted out in daily practice through daily prayer, relationships with both staff and pupils.
- To develop curriculum design and implementation to include Virtues which replicate the skills which will enable pupils to cope with the demand of modern life.
- To protect, serve and guide our future Catholic Leaders in the hope that they will feel empowered to 'Live life to the full' in the roles as Servant Leaders for the Common Good.

Friday 19th April 2024

and

Tuesday 4th June 2024

Location: Vaughan House,
Diocese of Westminster

Time: 9:00am- 4:00pm

Session 4

Securing Accountability

- To explore the links between accountability in our personal life and professional life as a Catholic
- To develop an understanding of the purpose, need and importance of accountability to be an effective Catholic leader
- To explore and acknowledge who we are accountable to and who we need to hold to account as leaders
- To develop an understanding of the difference between responsibility and accountability

Tuesday 1st October 2024

Location: Vaughan House,
Diocese of Westminster

Time: 1pm-4pm

Session 5

Leading community

- Review relationships within and beyond the school, working in partnership with parents, carers, the Parish, Trust, diocese and the local community
- Examine how schools can work successfully with other Catholic schools and other schools and organisations in a climate of mutual challenge and support
- Consider ways to establish and maintain working relationships with fellow professionals and colleagues across other public services to improve educational outcomes for all pupils
- To understand your own school's context and consider current links in the community: how these might be maintained or improved and how to create and lead a Christ centred community in school and beyond, which supports and enhances both teaching and learning and the spiritual life of the school

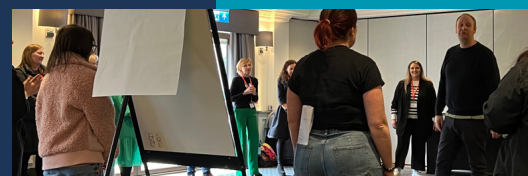
Tuesday 5th November 2024

Location: Vaughan House,
Diocese of Westminster

Time: 9:00am-4:00pm

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<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/leadership-project-for-aspiring-leaders-2023-24/>



THURSDAY 19TH OCTOBER

New RSE Lead Induction Online Course

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide an introduction to new RSE leads on the policy and practice of leading RSE in Westminster schools.

Course Content:

- To provide an understanding of the diocesan vision and requirements for RSE.
- To provide an understanding of the expectations of the RSE lead role.
- To provide an overview of existing support documentation and resources.

Target Audience: New RSE leads in primary and secondary schools.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/cross-phase-new-rse-lead-induction-online-course/>

FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER

EYFS Planning Workshop for new RED (Reception & Nursery / Branch 3 & 4)

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to understand the content of the RED for EYFS and Develop Planning for Branches 3 and 4 (Galilee to Jerusalem & Desert to Garden)

Course Content:

- To provide an opportunity to develop subject knowledge for Branches 3 & 4 and explore a suggested planning approach.
- To provide sharing of resources for new RED.
- To provide time to produce plans with colleagues to implement in school.

Target Audience: EYFS Practitioners (teachers, nursery nurses, TAs), EYFS Leads, RECs.

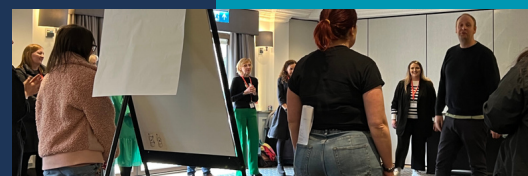
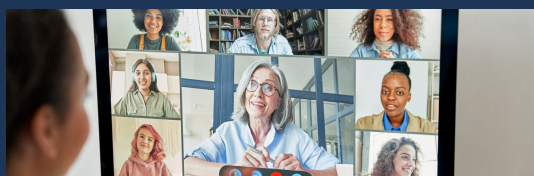
Venue: London Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, London, W1K 3AH.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-eyfs-planning-workshop-for-new-red-reception-nursery-branch-3-4/>

CROSS PHASE
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TUESDAY 31ST OCTOBER

Governors Using CES Policies and Procedures

Time: 6.00pm to 7.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to familiarise Governors with CES policies and procedures.

Course Content:

- To provide the opportunity to examine policies for Grievances, Sickness absence, Capability and Disciplinary.
- To provide help for Governors to familiarise with the procedures and practical arrangements for these.
- To provide the opportunity to identify different scenarios to which these may apply.

Target Audience: All governors, but particularly chairs.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/governors-using-ces-policies-and-procedures-online-course/>

THURSDAY 2ND NOVEMBER

Accompaniment Update and Sharing Online Forum

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to offer SLT accompaniment leads relevant updates, an opportunity to ask questions, share good practice and network.

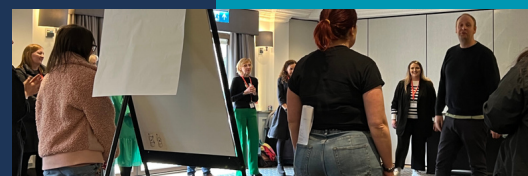
Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful updates regarding accompaniment of LGBT members of the school community.
- To provide an opportunity for advisors to address any question or concerns regarding accompaniment.
- To provide time to share good practice and network with other accompaniment leads.

Target Audience: Primary and Secondary SLT lead with responsibility for creating a culture of accompaniment.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/cross-phase-accompaniment-update-and-sharing-online-forum/>



SECONDARY ONLINE COURSE

TUESDAY 7TH NOVEMBER

Senior Teachers in Charge of Catholic Life and Mission Update and Sharing Online Forum

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to explain to senior teachers in charge of Catholic Life and Mission diocesan and national updates and give them an opportunity to share good practice and network

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful updates regarding Catholic Life and Mission.
- To provide an opportunity for advisors to address any question or concerns regarding Catholic Life and Mission.
- To provide time to share good practice and network with other senior teachers in charge of Catholic Life and Mission.

Target Audience: Senior Leaders in Charge of Catholic Life and Mission.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-senior-teachers-in-charge-of-catholic-life-and-mission-update-and-sharing-online-forum/>

TUESDAY 7TH NOVEMBER

RECs Catholic Life and Mission Update and Sharing Online Forum

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to explain to senior teachers in charge of Catholic Life and Mission diocesan and national updates and give them an opportunity to share good practice and network

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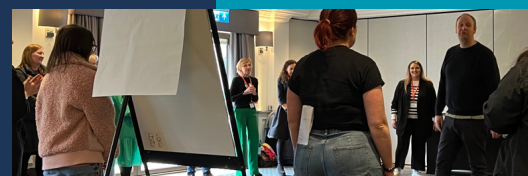
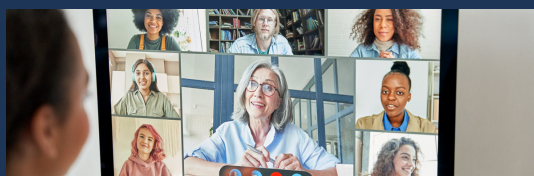
- To provide relevant and useful updates regarding Catholic Life and Mission.
- To provide an opportunity for advisors to address any question or concerns regarding Catholic Life and Mission.
- To provide time to share good practice and network with other senior teachers in charge of Catholic Life and Mission.

Target Audience: Primary RECs and SLT in charge of Catholic Life and Mission.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-recs-catholic-life-and-mission-update-and-sharing-online-forum/>

PRIMARY ONLINE COURSE



THURSDAY 9TH NOVEMBER

RSE Updates for Link Governors Online Course

Time: 5.30pm to 7.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide governors with key information to enable them to fulfill their responsibilities in relation to RSE

Course Content:

- To provide the opportunity to explore key documentation relating to RSE within a Catholic school.
- To provide the opportunity to explore CSI and diocesan expectations in relation to RSE.
- To provide the opportunity to discuss emerging issues relating to RSE and available support and guidance.

Target Audience: Governors (Particularly those with responsibility for RSE).

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/rse-updates-for-link-governors-online-course/>

FRIDAY 10TH NOVEMBER

REC Conference

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this conference is to provide an opportunity for RECs to network with colleagues, receive Diocesan and National updates.

Course Content:

- To provide subject knowledge input for RECs on Branch 2 (Prophecy & Promise) of the RED to enable them to support teachers in school.
- To provide prayer & Liturgy speaker and resources.
- To provide Diocesan and National updates.

Target Audience: RECs

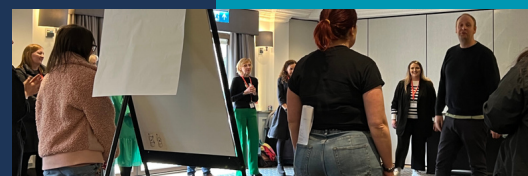
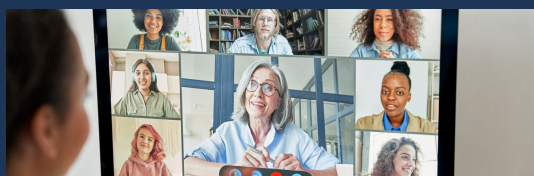
Venue: Cathedral Hall, Ambrosden Avenue, London, SW1P 1QJ.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/primary-rec-conference/>

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SECONDARY ONLINE COURSE

TUESDAY 21ST NOVEMBER

2nd in Charge of RE Updates and Sharing Online Forum

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to explain to teachers who are 2nd in charge of RE diocesan and national updates and give them an opportunity to share good practice and network

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful updates regarding RE.
- To provide an opportunity for advisors to address any question or concerns regarding RE.
- To provide time to share good practice and network with other 2nd in charge of RE.

Target Audience: 2nd in Charge of RE.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-2nd-in-charge-of-re-updates-and-sharing-online-forum/>

WEDNESDAY 22ND NOVEMBER

RJED Updates and Sharing Online Forum – Getting Others Involved

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide diocese RJED updates and signpost to relevant resources and training and share good practice in regards to the diocesan Headteachers RJED pledges focusing on 'Getting Others Involved.'

Course Content:

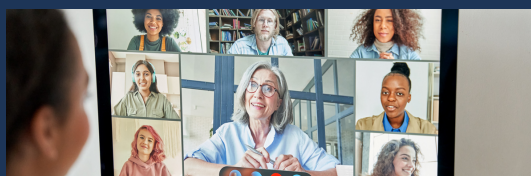
- To provide diocese RJED updates and signpost to relevant resources and training.
- To provide an opportunity for advisors to address any question or concerns regarding RJED.
- To provide time to share good practice in regards to 'Getting Others.'

Target Audience: RJED Coordinators.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/rjed-updates-and-sharing-online-forum-getting-others-involved/>

CROSS PHASE ONLINE COURSE



THURSDAY 23RD NOVEMBER

Heads of RE Day Conference

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide Heads of RE with relevant and useful training, and practical ideas so they can excel in their roles and have an opportunity support one another and network.

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful training from experts that will support Heads of RE in leading their RE Department.
- To provide practical suggestions to develop teaching and learning in RE.
- To provide opportunities to share good practice and network.

Target Audience: Secondary Heads of RE.

Venue: Diocese of Westminster, Vaughan House, SW1P 1QN.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-heads-of-re-day-conference/>

TUESDAY 28TH NOVEMBER

Chaplains Updates and Sharing Online Forum

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to explain to Chaplains diocesan and national updates and give them an opportunity to ask questions, share good practice and network

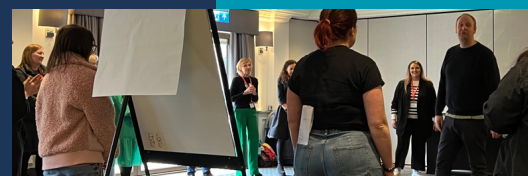
Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful updates regarding chaplaincy.
- To provide an opportunity for advisors to address any question or concerns regarding chaplaincy.
- To provide time to share good practice and network with other chaplains.

Target Audience: Chaplains and Liturgy Coordinators.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-chaplains-updates-and-sharing-online-forum-2/>



CROSS PHASE IN PERSON

FRIDAY 1ST DECEMBER

RSE Conference

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide RSE leads with relevant and useful training, and practical ideas so they can excel in their roles and have an opportunity support one another and network.

Course Content:

- To provide Diocesan updates, share expectations and outline support, documents and resources available.
- To provide relevant and useful training that will support RSE leads in leading RSE in a Catholic school context.
- To provide opportunities to share good practice and network.

Target Audience: RSE leads in primary and secondary schools.

Venue: Cathedral Hall, Ambrosden Avenue, London, SW1P 1QJ.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/cross-phase-rse-conference/>

MONDAY 4TH DECEMBER

Prayer and Liturgy Online Day Conference

Time: 9.30am to 3.30pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to provide schools with relevant and useful training in regards to Prayer and Liturgy and give participants the opportunity to share good practice and network.

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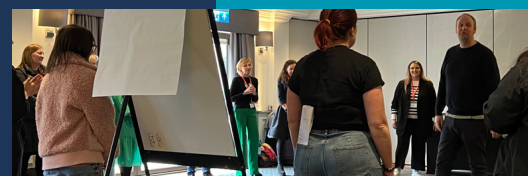
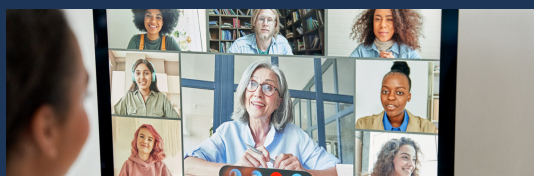
- To provide relevant and useful training from experts that will help support Prayer and Liturgy within school community.
- To provide practical suggestions to develop Prayer and Liturgy.
- To provide opportunities to share good practice and network.

Target Audience: Headteachers, RECs, Primary and Liturgy Coordinator, Chaplains, Senior Teachers in Catholic Life and Mission.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/cross-phase-prayer-and-liturgy-online-day-conference/>

CROSS PHASE ONLINE COURSE



MONDAY 11TH DECEMBER

RJED Online Session 2: What can CEOs and Headteachers do?

Time: 1.30pm to 3.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure CEOs and Headteachers are informed about issues concerning RJED and know how to champion and support RJED within their schools

Course Content:

- To provide relevant and useful CEOs/Headteacher training from an RJED expert.
- To provide practical suggestions about how to monitor, support and develop RJED.
- To provide an opportunity to ask questions to gain a great insight into the role of CEOs/Headteachers in RJED.

Target Audience: CEO's and Headteachers.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/rjed-online-session-2-what-can-ceos-and-headteachers-do/>

TUESDAY 12TH DECEMBER

Understanding the Theology – Year 7 across Branch 3

Session 3: Understanding the Theology – Year 7 Branch 2

Time: 3.45pm to 5.00pm

Course Aim: The aim of this course is to ensure non-specialist RE teachers understand the theology in Year 7 in Branch 3

Course Content:

- To provide an engaging explanation of the theology in Year 7 across Branch 3.
- To provide Opportunities to ask questions to develop understanding of the Catholic beliefs and practices in Year 7 across Branch 3.
- To provide practical suggestions for teaching Year 7 across Branch 3.

Target Audience: Secondary non-specialist RE teachers.

Click here to book your place:

<https://courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/secondary-understanding-the-theology-year-7-across-branch-3/>



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