

Exploring Worldviews

The Agored Cymru Exploring Worldviews qualification supports learners to increase their skills, knowledge and experiences in order to improve their understanding of religious and non-religious worldviews. This ensures that young people become equipped and confident individuals who can live, empathetically and successfully, in a fast changing and diverse society, as responsible and informed citizens.

The qualification supports both current and new, key educational policy areas of the Welsh Government relating to Religious Education (RE) and Religion, Values and Ethics (RVE). This includes the National Exemplar Framework for Religious Education 3 to 19-year-olds in Wales and the statutory guidance, which makes up the Curriculum for Wales Framework.

The Exploring Worldviews qualification supports the Welsh Government's Curriculum for Wales' four purposes, enabling learners to become:

- Ambitious, capable learners, ready to learn throughout their lives
- Enterprising, creative contributors, ready to play a full part in life and work
- Ethical, informed citizen of Wales and the world
- Healthy, confident individuals, ready to lead fulfilling lives as valued members of society

The qualification meets the three core skills set out in the National exemplar framework for religious education for 3 to 19-year-olds in Wales...

- Engaging with fundamental questions
- Exploring religious beliefs, teachings and practice(s)
- Expressing personal responses



The qualification provides opportunities for exploring the concepts for RVE through the statements of what matters in the Humanities Area of Learning and Experience and responds to the following statements of what matters...

- Enquiry, exploration and investigation inspire curiosity about the world, its past, present and future
- Events and human experiences are complex, and are perceived, interpreted and represented in different ways
- Our natural world is diverse and dynamic, influenced by processes and human actions
- Human societies are complex and diverse, and shaped by human actions and beliefs.
- Informed, self-aware citizens engage with the challenges and opportunities that face humanity, and are able to take considered and ethical action

What are the qualification subjects?

- Understanding Worldview
- Exploring my Worldview
- Ultimate Questions
- Medical Ethics
- Ethics of Sport and Leisure
- Worldviews in my Community

Qualification Structure:

Exploring Worldviews	Award	Extended Award	Certificate
Credits per qualification (minimum credits at the level of qualification)			
Level 1	3	8	14
Level 2	3	8 (5)	14 (9)

NEW! Level 1 and 2
Certificate – 1 GCSE
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