

RE - Religious Education (Protestant)

Syllabus Grades 5-12

General information

RE is a compulsory subject for all protestant LISA-students. The groups are usually small. If there are less than 10 pupils per group, just one lesson per week will be taught.

Grades 9-12 are often held in German.

Year 1

Who am I?

The Bible

The Creation

Ways: My schoolway

Abraham

Moses

Festivals: Christmas, Easter and Passover

The 10 Commandments

The Lord's Prayer

Strengths and Weaknesses (King David)

Year 2

The New Testament

Life of Jesus

Parables (The Good Samaritan, the Lost Son, et al)

Friendship

The Church Year

Thinking globally (the Apostle Paul)



Year 3

World Religions

Martin Luther

Violence and non-violent actions

The Apostles' Creed

Protestants in Upper Austria

How to become a responsible consumer

Year 4

Churches and Cults in Austria

National Socialism and Christianity (Dietrich Bonhoeffer)

My Hopes and Dreams

Prophets

Human Rights (Refugees)

Gender roles

Year 5

The Bible

Content, Tradition, Apocalyptic

World Religions

Founders, Traditions, Holidays

Creation

Creationism/Evolution, Biblical Image of Man, Integrity of Creation

Year 6

Jesus

Historical, Modern Images of Christ, Death and Resurrection

Responsible Life

Wealth and Poverty, Social Service (Diakonie), Guilt and Punishment

Ecumenism

Year 7

Happiness and Meaning

Love and Partnership, Creeds, Violence and Nonviolence

Longing for Redemption

Succeeding Life, Religious Communities, Funeral Rituals

Being Protestant

Martin Luther, Justification, Austrian Church History

Year 8

Suffering

Theodicy, Overcoming Suffering

Value and Dignity

Bioethics, Palliative Care, Living with Disabilities

Changing Christian Images of God

Criticism of Religion, Arts, Modern Theological Approaches