

TEACHERS NOTES FOR SKILLS BASED RESOURCE

These resources are designed to develop the assessment objectives skills (AO1 and AO2) by providing activities to be used online and offline independently and in the classroom.

A different aspect of the AO1 skill is always linked to a relevant AO2 skill and both are used with the same topic from the A level specification. There are 5 twinned skills covering 5 A level topic areas. However, teachers could use the framework of the activities but base it on a different topic area. For instance, all the activities could be based on miracles.

	FOCUS OF SKILL	ACTIVITY	AREA USED TO ILLUSTRATE
1	AO1 - Summary from various sources	Combining 3 summaries into 1 summary for forming your notes	Theme 2C -Miracles
2	AO2 - Different styles of evaluation	Examining examples of good and poor styles of evaluation	Theme 2B -Miracles
3	AO1 - Use of quotations and examples	Using quotations and examples to enhance and support explanations.	Theme 2F - Atheism
4	AO2 – Use of quotations and examples	Using quotations and examples in evaluation	Theme 1C - Atheism
5	AO1 – Use of concise summaries to bring explanations together	Writing a concise summary to bring together evidence and explanations	Theme 1C– Religious Language
6	AO2 – Developing conclusions	Developing conclusions in evaluation	Theme 3B – Religious Language
7	AO1 – constructing an explanatory answer	Animation to illustrate different aspects that contribute to an effective A01 answer	Theme 3C – Religious Language
8	AO2 –constructing an evaluative answer	Animation to illustrate different aspects that contribute to an effective A02 answer	Theme 4A – Religious Language
9	AO1 – Creating an end product	Putting the various skills together	Theme 1A – Freud
10	AO2 – Creating an end product	Putting the various skills together	Theme 1A – Freud