

# Religious Studies



## Jobs where you may need a specialist knowledge of religion or religions

Archivist  
Higher education lecturer  
Journalist  
Librarian  
Museum curator  
Religious leader  
Secondary school teacher  
TV presenter

## Charity and public services

Charity fundraiser  
Civil service manager  
Diplomatic Service officer  
Equalities officer  
Health service manager  
Human rights officer  
Immigration officer  
Intelligence analyst  
Local government officer  
MP  
Police officer  
Policy officer  
Political risk analyst  
Politician's assistant  
Secret service personnel

## Jobs working with and helping people

Aid worker  
Care assistant  
Careers adviser  
Community development worker  
Counsellor  
Family mediator  
Family support worker  
Funeral director  
Immigration adviser  
Interpreter  
Primary school teacher  
Probation officer  
Social work assistant  
Social worker  
Trade union official  
Welfare rights officer  
Youth worker

## Business

Advertising executive  
Communications officer  
Human resources officer  
Marketing executive  
Recruitment consultant  
Social media manager  
Solicitor

Studying religious studies helps develop the skills needed for jobs that involve helping people

In most of these jobs you work Monday to Friday, 9am-5pm, in others you may work evenings and weekends

Understanding different religions is useful for jobs working with people from diverse cultural backgrounds

Being able to deal with difficult situations and having good listening skills are important for many of these jobs

**Remember:** It is important to study a broad and balanced range of subjects. Look at <https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/explore-careers> for more information about different jobs.