

Course Title: Teaching Religious Education to Students in First Year

Descriptor: This course introduces the Junior Certificate Religious Education syllabus and explores both content and suitable teaching approaches to select areas of the course in First Year Religious Education. The course aims to familiarise participants with the structure, principles and main features of the Junior Certificate Religious Education syllabus. The following aspects of teaching RE will form the focus of this workshop:

- Subject planning in Religious Education,
- integration of literacy skills,
- subject inspection in RE – reflections on published subject inspection reports,
- active learning methodologies and
- assessment guidance will form the focus of this workshop.

Certificates of participation will be available to teachers attending this course.

Target Audience: This course targets the needs to teachers who are teaching 1st year Religious Education, perhaps for the first or second time.

Booking: Download the Registration Form for R.E. Courses from the 'Latest Notices' section of the homepage of our website: www.ress.ie or photocopy and use the course registration form available in this booklet. Completed registration forms should be sent by post or fax to Angela Thompson, R.E. Administrator, at least one week in advance of the workshop. Early booking is advisable.

Date	Time	Venue
8 th February 2012	7 – 9pm	Limerick Education Centre
22 nd February 2012	5 – 7pm	Dublin West Education Centre
22 nd February 2012	7 – 9pm	Mayo Education Centre
28 th February 2012	7 – 9pm	Drumcondra Education Centre
29 th February 2012	5 – 7pm	Blackrock Education Centre
6 th March 2012	6 – 8pm	The Education Centre, Tralee
7 th March 2012	7-9pm	Athlone Education Centre
8 th March 2012	7-9pm	Kilkenny Education Centre
8 th March 2012	7-9pm	Monaghan Education Centre

