

NSW schools offer special religious education and special education in ethics. Approved providers deliver these, where available.

Write to the school if you wish to withdraw your child from special religious education, sometimes known as scripture. Special education in ethics is an option for your primary-age child if you withdraw them from special religious education. For more information, visit [**Religion and ethics**](https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-across-the-curriculum/religion-and-ethics).

At Chullora Public School, Special Religious Education (SRE) is delivered on Tuesdays from 2.00pm- 3.00pm K-2 2:00pm till 2:30pm and 3-6 2:30pm till 3:00pm.

On enrolment parents/carers will be given the SRE participation letter to complete and return. After the initial enrolment, notification of changes to a child's enrolment in SRE should be given to the office, in writing.

The following SRE classes are offered at Chullora Public School:

**ISLAMIC SRE**

The Islamic Charity Projects Association offers students in public schools the opportunity to learn about Islam within school time.

Chullora Public School provides Islamic SRE classes to cater for children of all Islamic backgrounds, teaching them the basic foundations common to all Muslims.

The Islamic Scripture Curriculum is based around:

* Islamic events
* Good manners
* Islamic practices common to all Muslims
* Living Harmoniously within society while practising Islam in Australia

 For more information on the curriculum please visit: [**Islamic Scripture Classes**](http://www.icpa.org.au/services/150-scripture)

**CATHOLIC SRE**

Catholic SRE is provided by theCatholic Diocese of Sydney. Catholic SRE teachers (also known as Catechists) are authorised by the local parish and trained by the Diocese of the Catholic Church.

The Catholic SRE curriculum is approved by the Bishop of the Diocese in liaison with religious education experts.  Lessons include activities that are fun and inclusive for students, whilst also providing them the opportunity to critically explore in depth their faith and to pray and reflect.

Catholic SRE teachers engage young people in hearing the Good News about Jesus Christ.

For more information, please visit: [**Catholic Curriculum Resources**](http://www.ccdsydney.catholic.edu.au/currRes.html)

**PROTESTANT SRE**

A Protestant Scripture class is provided at Chullora Public School. During class, children are given opportunities to explore stories from the Bible and discuss how to live their lives.

For more information about the curriculum taught, visit [**SRE Curriculum**](http://whysre.com.au/sre-curriculum/cep-curriculum-overview/)

**NON-SCRIPTURE**

During the time that SRE classes are being held, students not attending will be located in a separate space and will participate in meaningful activities.