## **Spelling list: GCSE Religious Studies: Moral Issues and Themes 1**

Key words for GCSE Religious Studies.

abortion An **abortion** is when you deliberately terminate a pregnancy.

**Adultery** describes an affair between a married person and someone who is

adultery not their spouse.

capital The death penalty is called **capital** punishment.

punishment The death penalty is called capital **punishment** .

celibacy is the choice to abstain from sex or marriage.

civil A **civil** partnership is a legal union between two people.

partnership A civil **partnership** is a legal union between two people.

war A civil **war** is a **war** between groups within the same country.

conception The word **conception** describes the moment an egg is fertilised by a sperm.

conflict A **conflict** is an open clash between two opposing groups or individuals.

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