



# School Standards and Framework Act 1998

## 1998 CHAPTER 31

### PART II

#### NEW FRAMEWORK FOR MAINTAINED SCHOOLS

#### CHAPTER VI

#### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND WORSHIP

#### *Religious worship*

#### **70 Requirements relating to collective worship**

- (1) Subject to section 71, each pupil in attendance at a community, foundation or voluntary school shall on each school day take part in an act of collective worship.
- (2) Subject to section 71, in relation to any community, foundation or voluntary school—
  - (a) the local education authority and the governing body shall exercise their functions with a view to securing, and
  - (b) the head teacher shall secure,that subsection (1) is complied with.
- (3) Schedule 20 makes further provision with respect to the collective worship required by this section, including provision relating to—
  - (a) the arrangements which are to be made in connection with such worship, and
  - (b) the nature of such worship.