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The NSS has welcomed the Liberal Democrats' pledge to tackle unregistered schools. [Read More »](#)

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The National Secular Society has welcomed news that the Liberal Democrats' spring conference will consider the party's policy on taxpayer-funded faith school in England. [Read More »](#)

Last chance to speak out against the Government's faith school expansion plans

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The Government's consultation on plans to open more faith schools and allow them to select up to 100% of their pupils on religious grounds is coming to a close very soon. [Read More »](#)

Conservative MP criticises division caused by faith schools

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A debate in the House of Commons on the role of faith and grammar schools saw MPs quiz the Government over its plans to remove the 50% cap on faith-based selection to new faith-based free schools. [Read More »](#)

NSS: Andy Burnham's claim that Muslims can't trust the police is deeply divisive

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The National Secular Society has criticised Shadow Home Secretary Andy Burnham for suggesting that British Muslims couldn't trust the police when they report hate crimes. [Read More »](#)

Risk of religious and spiritual intimidation of voters "may be increasing"

Posted: Mon, 15 Aug 2016

Sir Eric Pickles, the former Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government, has warned of the danger of religious leaders to "abuse their influence" over voters in a report on electoral fraud. [Read More »](#)

Government sharia investigation 'more suited to theology debate than protecting women's rights'

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Campaign groups and human rights activists have signed an open letter to Theresa May warning

that the Home Secretary's sharia review will "do nothing" to address sharia councils' discrimination against women. [Read More »](#)

Theresa May launches review of Sharia law in England and Wales

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The Government has announced the launch of its long-awaited independent review into Sharia law in England and Wales, to be chaired by Professor Mona Siddiqui. [Read More »](#)

Parliamentary RE group 'turning into a religious sect'

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The founding chairman of the All Party Parliamentary Group on religious education has warned that the group has been taken-over by religious "fundamentalists". [Read More »](#)

More than half of Americans still “less likely” to support a non-religious presidential candidate

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A Pew survey conducted in January 2016 has found that most Americans are still put-off by an atheist presidential candidate, with 51% saying they would be less likely to support a non-religious aspirant. [Read More »](#)

Former UKIP leader calls for “national debate” on Islam

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Lord Lamont, the former Tory chancellor, has rejected calls from former UKIP leader Lord Pearson for a "national debate" on Islam – arguing that it was not the place of Government to interfere with theological questions. [Read More »](#)

NSS: Vague ‘Extremism Disruption Orders’ will chill free speech

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The National Secular Society and the Christian Institute have joined together to launch a new campaign, Defend Free Speech, in opposition to proposed 'Extremism Disruption Orders'. [Read More »](#)

[Holyrood 'religious freedom' group backed by organisation which 'heals the wounds of atheism'](#)

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Plans to set up a "religious pressure group" featuring creationist MSPs in the Scottish Parliament have come under fire from non-believers and minority faith groups. [Read More »](#)

[Alex Salmond: "I prefer people of faith to people of no faith"](#)

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The National Secular Society has criticised the former First Minister of Scotland Alex Salmond for his "divisive rhetoric" after he stated that he prefers religious people to atheists or apostates. [Read More »](#)

[Minister for Faith role officially abolished](#)

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Premier Christian Radio has revealed that the Minister for Faith role has officially been scrapped, and the duties transferred to a junior ministerial post at the DCLG. [Read More »](#)

[Prime Minister 'blinkered to ignore role faith schools play in segregating communities'](#)

Posted: Mon, 20 Jul 2015

Despite criticising "segregated" education, Prime Minister David Cameron has defended the continuation of faith schools in a speech on counter extremism. [Read More »](#)

[Tristram Hunt criticises "absurdities" caused by having faith schools in the education system](#)

Posted: Mon, 08 Jun 2015

Labour's Shadow Education Secretary Tristram Hunt has warned that faith schools leave little hope for an integrated education system in the UK. [Read More »](#)

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