



RE Themes Curriculum Overview

	Religious Focus	Autumn Term 1/2	Spring Term 3/4	Summer Term 5/6
Year R	Year R will cover a range of religions through stories and links to their own lives	<i>Special People</i> The Good Samaritan <i>Christmas</i> The Birth of Jesus (Matthew 1)	<i>Celebrations</i> Special books <i>Easter</i>	<i>Story time</i> The world around us The way the truth the Life. <i>Special Places</i>
Year 1	Christianity Judaism	<i>Does God want Christians to look after the world?</i> The Creation Story <i>What gift would I have given to Jesus if He had been born in my town?</i> The Christmas Story Harvest	<i>Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?</i> Stilling the Storm <i>Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday? (Easter)</i> Palm Sunday - Easter	<i>Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?</i> <i>The Story of Moses</i> <i>Does celebrating Chanukuh make Jewish children feel closer to God?</i> The Budding Fig Tree Pentecost
Year 2	Christianity Islam Judaism	<i>Is it possible to be kind to everyone all the time?</i> The paralysed man <i>Why did God give Jesus to the world?</i> The Christmas Story Harvest	<i>Does praying at regular intervals everyday help a Muslim in his/her everyday life?</i> Jesus Feeds the 5000 <i>Is it true that Jesus came back to life again? (Easter)</i> Jesus walks on water	<i>Does going to the Mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?</i> TRIP TO A MOSQUE Jesus calms the storm <i>What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?</i> Daniel in the Lion's Den Pentecost
Year 3	Christianity Sikhism Hinduism	<i>Does joining the Khalsa make a person a better Sikh?</i> David & Goliath TRIP TO SIKH TEMPLE <i>Has Christmas lost its true meaning?</i> The Birth of Jesus	<i>Could Jesus really heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation?</i> Jonah & the Whale <i>What is 'good' about Good Friday?</i> Resurrection of Jesus	<i>Do Sikhs think it is important to share?</i> The Lost Sheep <i>Would visiting the River Ganges feel special to a non-hindu?</i> Hidden treasure



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Year 4	Christianity Judaism	<i>How special is the relationship Jews have with God?</i> The Saver & the Seeds <i>What is the most significant part of the Nativity story for Christians today?</i>	<i>How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do?</i> TRIP TO SYNAGOGUE The Net <i>Is forgiveness always possible?</i> Resurrection of Jesus	<i>What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?</i> Noah's Ark <i>Do people need to go to Church to show they are Christians?</i>
Year 5	Christianity Hinduism Sikhism	<i>What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God?</i> <i>Is the Christmas Story true?</i>	<i>How can Braham be everywhere and in everything?</i> TRIP TO HINDU TEMPLE <i>Did God intend Jesus to be crucified and if so was Jesus aware of this?</i> The temptation & fall of man (Genesis 6)	<i>What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God?</i> God's promise to Abraham (Genesis 11-21) <i>What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?</i>
Year 6	Christianity Islam	<i>What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?</i> <i>How significant is it that Mary was Jesus' mother?</i>	<i>Is anything ever eternal?</i> The Song of Moses (10 commandments - Exodus 15) <i>Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?</i>	<i>Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?</i> Creation (Genesis 1-2) TRIP TO WELLS CATHEDRAL