

RE Curriculum Overview

YEAR GROUP	Enquiry 1	Enquiry 2	Enquiry 3	Enquiry 4	Enquiry 5
Foundation Stage Christianity plus other significant festivals	F1 Where do we live? Who lives there?	F2 How do Christians celebrate Christmas?	F3 What makes a good helper?	F4 What can we see in our wonderful world?	F5 Who and what are special to us?
Year 1 Christianity/Islam /non-religious world view	Which are some books and stories special?	How do we celebrate special events?	1.2 What does it mean to belong to a church or a mosque?	1.3 How and why do we care for others?	Who brought messages about God and what did they say?
Year 2 Christianity/Islam /non-religious world view	How is new life welcomed?	2.3 How can we make good choices?	2.1 How and why do people pray?	2.4 How can we look after the planet?	What did Jesus teach and how did he live?

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Year 3 Christianity/Islam/ Judaism/Sikhism /non-religious world view	How do Jews remember God's covenant with Abraham and Moses?	What is spirituality and how do people experience this?	What do Christians believe about a good life?	What do the creation stories tell us?	Additional Unit: Who can inspire us?
Year 4 Christianity/Islam/ Judaism/Sikhism /non-religious world view	How are important events remembered?	What faiths are shared in our country?	How do the Five Pillars guide Muslims?	Why are Guru's at the heart of Sikh belief and practice?	
Year 5 Christianity/Islam/ Judaism/Sikhism /non-religious world view	Why are some journeys and places special?	What values are shown in codes for living?	Should we forgive others?	What do Christians believe about the old and new covenants?	
Year 6 Christianity/Islam/ Judaism/Sikhism /non-religious	How do Sikhs show commitment?	What do Christians believe about Jesus' death and resurrection?	How does growing up bring responsibilities?	How do Jews remember the Kings and Prophets in worship and life?	

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Suggested Festivals

All: Christmas and Easter

KS1: (Y1) Hannukah (Judaism); (Y1) Eid Al-Fitr (Islam); Eid Al-Adha (Islam); Diwali (Hinduism)

KS2: Rosh Hashanah/Yom Kippur (Judaism); Vesak or Visakah Puja ("Buddha Day"); Eid Al-Adha (Islam); Diwali (Hinduism); Eid Al-Fitr (Islam); Vaisakhi (Sikhism); Hannukah (Judaism)

If you would like to look at any other festivals either as a discrete lesson or within the context of a specific unit this would enrich the children's knowledge e.g. Holi, Rosh Hashanah, Passover (Pesach) etc.