

Religious Teachings, World views, Values and Festivals Learning Sequence

Curriculum intent statement- Religious Education and World Views

Pupils and their families can expect a high-quality religious education and World Views (RE) curriculum that is rich and varied, enabling learners to acquire a thorough knowledge and understanding of a range of faiths and worldviews. RE has a very high profile within the curriculum and makes a significant contribution to preparing our pupils for life in modern Britain and beyond. Christianity is taught as a living and diverse faith, focused on the teachings of Jesus and the Church, alongside a range of other religions and worldviews. We encourage pupils to learn from different religions, beliefs, values and traditions while creating a safe space for them to explore their own beliefs and questions of meaning. We aim for pupils to be inspired by the subject and, that through their learning in RE, they will develop a wide range of skills such as enquiry, analysis, interpretation, evaluation and reflection, to deepen their understanding of the impact of religion on the world.

Long Term Plan for Nursery

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
What is the Harvest celebration all about?	What is the Christmas story?		What do some Christians do to celebrate Easter?		
Harvest	Christmas		Easter		
<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>
	<i>... Divali, Festival of Light</i>	<i>... Lunar New year</i>			<i>... a place of worship and/ or a member of clergy</i>

Long Term Plan for Reception

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?	Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas?	How can we help others when they need it?	Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?	What makes every single person unique and precious?	How can we care for our wonderful world?
Harvest	Christmas		Easter		
<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>	<i>Including an encounter with ...</i>
<i>A Muslim whispering Allah in a baby's ear</i>	<i>A Muslim story: Muhammad and the Ants</i>	<i>A Sikhi story: Har Gobind and the 52 Princes</i>	<i>A Buddhist story: The Monkey King</i>	<i>Sanatana Dharmas celebrating at Raksha Bandhan</i>	<i>Tu be Shevat: the Jewish 'Birthday of Trees'</i>

Long Term Plan for Key Stage One

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Christianity Baptism / church Why is belonging to God and the church family important to Christians?	Christianity Parables / gospel What did Jesus teach about God in his parables?	Christianity Prayer / worship Why do Christians pray to God and worship him?	Christianity Emmanuel / Holy Spirit How does celebrating Pentecost remind Christians that God is with them always?	Judaism Mitzvot / tzedakah Why is learning to do good deeds so important to Jewish people?	Judaism Tefillah/ blessings Why do Jewish families say so many prayers and blessings?	Year 1 or Year A
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Judaism Teshuvah / G-D Why do Jewish families talk about repentance at New Year?	Christianity Saviour / Jesus Why was Jesus given the name 'saviour'?	Christianity Disciple / faith Why do Christians trust Jesus and follow him?	Christianity Resurrection / joy What are the best symbols of Jesus' death & resurrection at Easter?	Islam Allah / mercy How do some Muslims show Allah is compassionate and merciful?	Judaism Torah / rabbi Why is the Torah such a joy for the Jewish community?	Year 2 or Year B
Harvest	Christmas		Easter			Every Year

Long Term Plan for Lower Key Stage Two

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Christianity How do Christians show that <u>reconciliation</u> with God and others is important?	Christianity Why is good stewardship and generous giving important for every Christian?	Sikhi How does the teaching of the <u>gurus</u> move Sikhs from dark to light?	Christianity Is the cross a symbol of love, <u>sacrifice</u> or commitment for Christians?	Islam How does a Muslim show their <u>submission</u> and <u>obedience</u> to Allah?	Islam Why do Muslims call Muhammad the 'seal of the <u>prophets</u> '?	Year 3 or Year A
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Christianity How does believing Jesus is their <u>saviour</u> inspire Christians to save and serve others?	Christianity Why do Christians believe they are people on a <u>mission</u> ?	Sanatana Dharma Why do Santanis want to collect good <u>karma</u> ?	Sanatana Dharma How does the story of Rama and Sita inspire Sanatanis to follow their <u>dharma</u> ?	Buddhism How does the <u>Triple Refuge</u> help Buddhists in their journey through life?	Christianity What do Christians mean when they talk about the <u>Kingdom of God</u> ?	Year 4 or Year B
Harvest	Christmas		Easter			Every Year

Long Term Plan for Upper Key Stage Two

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Christianity Why is the <u>gospel</u> such good news for Christians?	Christianity How do Christians show their belief that Jesus is God_ <u>incarnate</u> ?	Islam What does the Qur'an <u>reveal</u> about Allah and his guidance?	Islam How does <u>tawhid</u> create a sense of belonging to the Muslim community?	Christianity What is the great significance of the <u>Eucharist</u> for Christians?	Judaism What is <u>holiness</u> for Jewish people: a place, a time, an object or something else?	Year 5 or Year A
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Sanatana Dharma What spiritual pathways to <u>Moksha</u> are written about in Sanatani scriptures?	Sanatana Dharma How do questions about <u>Brahman</u> and <u>Atman</u> influence the way a Sanatani lives?	Christianity How do Christians try to capture the mystery of God as Trinity?	Christianity Should believing in the <u>resurrection</u> change how Christians view life and death?	Christianity How do 'Heroes of Faith' encourage Christians today?	Humanism Why do Humanists say <u>happiness</u> is the goal of life?	Year 6 or Year B
Harvest	Christmas		Easter			Every Year