

Religious Education Overview



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS Nursery	Harvest Being Kind	Why do we have celebrations? (Birthdays and Christmas focus)	God's creation	Celebrations and Festivals Easter Easter Pause Day	Who made the animals? Bible stories (animal focus)	Being Thankful
EYFS Reception	What is a church school?	Why do we have celebrations?	Who did Jesus spend time with?	Why is Easter important to Christians? Easter Pause Day	Who made the animals?	Who was a friend of God?
Year 1	Who is God?	What is the Bible about? Why do people give presents at Christmas? (The nativity)	Who is Jesus?	Is Easter happy or sad? Easter Pause Day	Why do Christians pray? What is church?	Judaism – why do Jewish families celebrate Shabbat? What is the Torah?
Year 2	Why is the Bible an important book?	What is a Christian? Why did the angels announce Jesus birth?	Why did Jesus tell parables?	What is Easter really about? Easter Pause Day	Islam - What is important for Muslim families?	Christian Celebrations in a church.
Year 3	What do Christians believe God is like? How does the Bible reveal God's plan	What might Jesus think of Christmas today?	How did Jesus change lives?	Judaism – What are important times for Jews? What happened during Holy Week? Easter Pause Day	How did the church begin?	Is Christian worship the same all around the world?
Year 4	Why do Christians worship Jesus?	Why do Christians still pray the Lord's Prayer?	Judaism – How can a Synagogue help us to understand the Jewish faith?	What is wisdom? How does Lent help us prepare for Easter? Easter Pause Day	Sikhism – What does it mean to be a Sikh?	How have Christians changed the world?
Year 5	How did Jesus' teachings challenge people?	Why is light an important symbol at Christmas?	Islam – What is Islam? What does it mean to be a Muslim?	Islam – How can a mosque help us to understand the Muslim faith? How do we know what happened at Easter? Easter Pause Day	What is a creed? How do churches help us to understand Christian beliefs?	How do the beliefs of Christians influence their actions?
Year 6	The Holy Trinity – How is God 3 and 1?	Hinduism – Hindu life. What do the Gospels say about the birth of Jesus?	Buddhism – What is the Buddhist way of life?	Who did Jesus say 'I am?' Adam, Eve, Christmas and Easter. What are the connections? Easter Pause Day	What does the Bible say about friendships and relationships?	What does the Bible say about moving on What can we learn about Christianity from the Chronicles of Narnia?