

Religious Education curriculum overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1	What does it mean to belong to Christianity? <i>Christianity</i>	How do Christians celebrate Christmas? <i>Christianity</i>	What does it mean to belong to Islam? <i>Islam</i>	What does it mean to belong to Hinduism? <i>Hinduism</i>	What does it mean to belong to family and friends? <i>Humanism</i>	How do we express meaning through cards, candles and actions? <i>Hinduism Christianity</i>
Year 2	Why are different books special for different people? <i>Islam</i>	Why did Jesus tell stories? <i>Christianity</i>	Why do some people eat special foods? <i>Hinduism Judaism</i>	How do we know Easter is coming? <i>Christianity</i>	What is fasting and why do people do it? <i>Judaism, Islam</i>	Where does the world come from? <i>Christianity, Judaism Humanism</i>
Year 3	How do Jews celebrate their beliefs at home and in the synagogue? <i>Judaism</i>	What is the significance of light in religions? <i>Judaism Hinduism</i>	How and why do Hindus celebrate Holi? <i>Hinduism</i>	What does art, signs and symbols tell us about Christian belief? (Easter link) <i>Christianity</i>	What can we learn about special symbols used in religions? <i>Islam</i>	How did Jesus and Buddha make people think? <i>Christianity, Buddhism</i>
Year 4	Which religions are represented in our neighbourhood? <i>Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism</i>	Why is the Bible special for Christians? <i>Christianity</i>	What happens when someone gets married? <i>Sikhism</i>	Why is Easter important to Christians? <i>Christianity</i>	How and why do Hindus worship in the home and Mandir? <i>Hinduism</i>	What do Humanists believe? <i>Humanism</i>
Year 5	What do religions believe about God? <i>Christianity</i>	How is Christmas celebrated around the world? <i>Christianity</i>	What inner tones affect how we think and behave? <i>Humanism</i>	How do Christians try to follow Jesus' example? <i>Christianity</i>	What do religions believe about the importance of animals? <i>Judaism Hinduism</i>	Why is Muhammed important to Muslims? <i>Islam</i>
Year 6	Which qualities are important to present day religious leaders? <i>Islam Hinduism Christianity</i>	What similarities and differences do religions share? <i>Islam Hinduism Christianity</i>	How do people express their faith through the arts? <i>Christianity</i>	What happened on the first Easter Sunday? <i>Christianity</i>	What do different religions believe about life after death? <i>Humanism</i>	How do religions celebrate when a child becomes an adult? <i>Judaism Hinduism Christianity</i>