

RE Curriculum Overview



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Which people are special and why?	Which times are special and why?	What is special about our world?	Why is Easter important for Christians? Why do Muslims celebrate Eid-ul-Fitr	Which stories are special and why?	Which places are special and why?
Year 1	Who is a Christian? What do Christians believe God is like?	Why does Christmas matter to Christians? (Incarnation)	Beginning to learn Islam: What do Muslims believe and how do they live?	Islamic festivals and family life: what can we learn from stories of the Prophet?	What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	What can we learn from sacred books and stories?
Year 2	What would Jesus do? What do stories of Jesus tell Christians about how to live?	Who celebrates what? How and where? Celebrations that matter to Christians and Muslims.	Who is an inspiring person? What stories inspire Christians and Muslims?	Why does Easter matter to Christians? (Salvation)	What makes some places sacred? Mosques and Makkah in Islam.	How should we care about others and the world?
Year 3	What do Jewish people believe and how do they live?	What do different people believe about worshipping God?	Why do people pray?	What kind of world did Jesus want? Why?	How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people?	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?
Year 4	What does it mean to live in a Hindu community today?	Why do some people think Jesus is inspirational? (Salvation, sacrifice, inspiration)	What are the deeper meaning of festivals?	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	What can we learn from religions about temptation, right and wrong?	What helps Hindu people as they try to be good?
Year 5	Values: What matters most to Humanists?	How do Christians celebrate Christmas around the world?	What are the different ways to worship? What are the differences and similarities between religions?	Keeping the 5 pillars of Islam: How do Muslim beliefs make a difference to their way of living?	Christian Aid, Islamic relief and non-religious charities: - Can charity change the world? - Why does faith make a difference?	What is a pilgrim? Does a pilgrimage have to be a place of worship?
Year 6	How and why do some people inspire others?	Christmas in the Gospels: Why do Christians believe that Jesus is the Messiah? (Incarnation).	How does faith enable resilience?	Is it better to express your religion in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?	What does religion look like in Oldham? What will make our community a more respectful place?	If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?

