

Long term plan Key Stage 1

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
R	<p>Identify and ask questions about customs associated with particular religious communities 1.4b</p> <p>Special Places and Festivals</p>	<p>Explore stories about the lives and teachings of key religious figures 1.1b</p> <p>The birth of Jesus</p>	<p>Identify symbolic actions, gestures and rituals and talk about how they are used as part of worship and ceremonies 1.3b</p> <p>Relationships, promises and church wedding celebrations.</p>	<p>Find out about ways in which sacred texts are regarded, read and handled by believers 1.1c</p> <p>Easter celebrations</p>	<p>Ask and respond imaginatively to questions about things that are interesting or puzzling in the world 1.5a</p> <p>Caring for creation</p>	<p>Hear and respond to stories about belonging and relating to religious communities 1.4a</p> <p>Helping others</p>
Year 1	<p>Listen to examples of care and concern shown by believers and religious communities and explore the reasons for these actions 1.6b</p> <p>Caring</p>	<p>Find out about ceremonies in which special moments in the life cycle are marked 1.4c</p> <p>Belonging</p>	<p>Explore the preparations for and find out about the celebration of festivals 1.2b</p> <p>Celebrations</p>	<p>Listen to and ask questions about stories of individuals and their relationship with God 1.5b</p> <p>Families</p>	<p>Engage with stories and extracts from religious literature and talk about their meanings 1.1a</p> <p>Answers</p>	<p>Find out about how and when people worship and ask questions about why this is important to believers 1.2a</p> <p>Worship</p>

Year 2	<p>Explore stories from religious traditions and find out about attitudes to the natural world 1.6c</p> <p>Caring for the natural world</p>	<p>Engage with religious beliefs and ideas expressed through story, symbol and other visual forms of expression 1.3c</p> <p>Valuing new life</p>	<p>Identify symbolic actions, gestures and rituals and talk about how they are used as part of worship and ceremonies 1.3b</p> <p>Worship and ceremonies</p>	<p>Identify the importance for some people of belonging to a religion and recognise the difference this makes to their lives 1.2c</p> <p>Belonging to a group</p>	<p>Explore a range of stories and extracts from sacred writings and talk about meaning they have for believers 1.5c</p> <p>Storytelling through sacred writings</p>	<p>Listen and respond to stories highlighting the morals and values of believers in practice 1.6a</p> <p>Showing kindness and goodness</p>
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Long term plan Key Stage 2

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Year 3	<p>Explore rules for living found in sacred writings and teachings and ask questions about their impact on the lives of believers 2.6a</p> <p>Exploring living by rules</p>	<p>Compare and contrast the practice of religion in the home in different religious communities 2.2a</p> <p>Religion in the home</p>	<p>Compare and contrast the use of symbols, actions and gestures used in worship by different communities 2.3c</p> <p>Symbols of worship</p>	<p>Investigate some features of key religious festivals and celebrations and identify similarities and differences 2.2c</p> <p>Sharing special food</p>	<p>Explore the meaning of a wide range of stories about the beginnings of the world and reflect upon their importance for believers 2.1d</p> <p>The beginning of the World</p>	<p>Explore into the life of key religious figures and make links with teachings and practices of special significance to followers 2.1c</p> <p>Religious Leaders</p>
Year 4	<p>Explore religious stories and teachings about the environment and identify and reflect their impact on behaviour 2.6d</p> <p>Environment: Harvest</p>	<p>Investigate the importance for believers of ceremonies in which special moments in the life cycle are marked 2.4d</p> <p>Landmarks in life</p>	<p>Engage with a variety of people about their beliefs and values and ask questions about the way commitment affects their lives 2.6c</p> <p>Commitment: Lent</p>	<p>Research some key events in the development of a religious tradition and explain the impact on believers today 2.4c</p> <p>Study of a chosen religion</p>	<p>Identify some of the ways in which religions name and describe attributes of God and make links with belief and practice 2.3d</p> <p>Thinking about God</p>	<p>Identify the main features and patterns of an act of worship and talk about the importance of worship for believers 2.2b</p> <p>Features and patterns of worship</p>

Year 5	<p>Explore a variety of forms of literature found in sacred books and investigate a range of religious teachings 2.1b</p> <p>Sacred writings: Hinduism</p>	<p>Explore the symbolic use of a wide range of objects, sounds, visual images, actions and gestures and make suggestions as to the intended meaning they might have for believers 2.3a</p> <p>Peace</p>	<p>Explore the diversity of a range of religious traditions and identify and reflect on similarities and differences 2.4a</p> <p>Religious diversity: happiness</p>	<p>Investigate and reflect upon a range of religious responses to suffering, hardship and death 2.5b</p> <p>Easter: suffering and hardship</p>	<p>Explore the origins of sacred writings and consider their importance for believers today 2.1a</p> <p>Wise words</p>	<p>Investigate the life of a person who has been inspired by their faith and make links between belief and action 2.2d</p> <p>Values and beliefs</p>
Year 6	<p>Investigate ceremonies associated with joining or belonging to a faith community and talk about the meaning of commitment 2.6b</p> <p>Commitment</p>	<p>Explore on the meaning of stories drawn from religious sources and reflect upon the significance of key words, phrases or expressions 2.3b</p> <p>Words of wisdom</p>	<p>Find out about the activities of a local religious community and make links with key religious teachings 2.4b</p> <p>Taking part</p>	<p>Make links between beliefs and action and reflect how this might have local, national and international impact 2.5d</p> <p>Belief in action</p>	<p>Raise questions about issues which cause people to wonder and investigate some answers to be found in religious writings and teachings 2.5a</p> <p>The importance of hope</p>	<p>Investigate stories about God's relationship with people and suggest how, for some people, this helps them to make sense of life 2.5c</p> <p>Justice: rich and poor</p>