

RE Curriculum Mapping Whole school Overview

What religions are to be taught?

Religious traditions are to be studied in depth as follows:

	Schools should consider the pupils they serve in deciding whether to go beyond the minimum								
entitlements to lea	entitlements to learning about religions, which are that pupils should learn from:								
4–5s Children will encounter Christianity and other faiths, as part of their growing									
Reception	Reception sense of self, their own community and their place within it.								
5-7s	Christians and Muslims or Jewish people								
Key Stage 1	christians and Muslims of Jewish people								
7–11s	7-11s Christians Muslims Window and Invite angula								
Key Stage 2	Christians, Muslims, Hindus and Jewish people								

Time for RE

Schools have a statutory responsibility to deliver Religious Education to all pupils, except those withdrawn by parents (see p.11).

Schools must ensure that sufficient time is given in order to enable pupils to meet the expectations set out in this agreed syllabus, ensuring that the curriculum is coherent and shows progression, particularly across transitions between key stages.

There is no single correct way of making appropriate provision for RE as long as the outcomes are met.

In order to deliver the aims and expected standards of the syllabus effectively, the expectation is that there is a minimum allocation of 5 per cent of curriculum time for RE. This is set out in the table below, and based on the most recent national guidance.

4–5s	36 hours of RE, e.g. 50 minutes a week or some short sessions implemented through continuous
	provision
5-7s:	36 hours of tuition per year
	(e.g. an hour a week, or less than an hour a week plus a series of RE days)
7–11s:	45 hours of tuition per year
	(e.g. an hour a week, or a series of RE days or weeks amounting to 45+ hours of RE)

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	Cycle A Autumn Terr	m	Cycle Spring ⊺			e le A er Term		n Term		le B g Term	Cyc Summer Ter	
EYFS KS1 Year 1 & Year 2	1.8 How should care for othe and the world, why does in matter?	rs and	1.1 Who is a Christian and what do they believe?	celebrate sp ecial and sa cred times		nakes some sacred?	belong t	es it mean to to a faith nunity?	1.4 How can we learn from sacred books?	1.6 How & why do we celebrate sp ecial and sa cred times		s a Muslim hat do they elieve?
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LKS2 Year 3 & Year 4	L2.7 What does it m a Christian in Britai		L2.1 What do different people believe about God?	L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communitie s?	L2.4 Why do people pray?	L2.2 Why is the Bible so important for Christians today?		bes it mean to Britain today?	L2.4 Why are festivals important to religious communitie s (Eid)	L2.6 Why do some people think that life is like a journey?	L2. 9 What can we learn from religion about deciding what is right and what is wrong?	L2. 3 Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?
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UKS2 Year 5 & Year 6	U2.1 Why do some people believe God exists?	U2.4 If God is everywh ere, why go to a place of worship ?	U2.2 What woul (21 st century		U2.6 What of to be a Mus	does it mean lim in Britain ay?	U2.5 Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?	U2.8 What difference does belief in Ahimsa, Ummah, or Grace make?	U2.7 What m Christians an	atters most to d Humanists?	U2.3 What say to us wh hat	nen life gets
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KS1	Cycle A	Сус	le A	Cycle A	Cycle B	Су	cle B	Cycle B
	Autumn Term	Spring	g Term	Summer Term	Autumn Term	Sprir	ng Term	Summer Term
Unit	1.8	1.1	1 .6 (split unit over 2 yr)	1.5	1.7	1.4	1 .6 (split unit over 2 yr)	1.2
Key Question	How should we care for others and the world, an d why does it matter?	Who is a Christian and what do they believe?	How & why do we celebrate special a nd sacred times	What makes some places sacred?	What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	How can we learn from sacred books?	How & why do we celebrate special and sacred times	Who is a Muslim and what do they believe?
Book Link		Lost sOn story	EASTER STORY			THE LOST MEEP	PASSOVER STORY	Night of the Moon
						The Coold Streak Report		
RE strand	Living	Believing	Expressing	Expressing	Living	Believing	Expressing	Believing
	(Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	(Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	(Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	(Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	(Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	(Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	(Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	(Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)
Religions and worldviews	Christians and Jewish People	Christians	Christians, Jewish people and/or Musli ms	Christians, Muslims and/or Jewish people	Christians, Muslims and Jews	Christians, Muslims, Jewish people	Christians, Jewish peo ple and/or Muslims	Muslims
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Questions	F6. What is special about tour world?	1.2 Who is a Muslim and what	F4 Which times are special and why?	F3 Which places are special and why?	F5: Where do we belong?	F1 Which stories are special and why?	F4 Which times are sp ecial and why?	1.1 Who is a Christian and what
in	L2.9 What can we learn	do they believe?	L2.5	L2.4 Why do people	1.7 What does it	L2.2 Why is the	L2.5	do they believe?
this thread:	from religions about deci ding what is right and wr ong? U2.7 What matters most to Christians and Huma nists? U2.8 What difference do es it make to believe in ? 3.10 Does religion help peopl e to be good? 3.11 What difference do es it make to believe in ? 3.12 Is religion a power f or peace or a cause of c onflict in the world today ?	1.3 Who is Jewish and what do they believe? L2.1 What do different people believe about God? U2.1 Why do some people believe God exists? 3.1 Do we need to prove God's existence?	Why are festivals i mportant to religiou s communities? U2.5 Is it better to e xpress your beliefs i n arts and architect ure or in charity and generosity? 3.7 How can people express the spiritu al through the arts?	pray? U2.4 If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? 3.6 Should religious buildings be sold to feed the starving?	mean to belong to a faith community? L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today? U2.6 What does it meant to be a Muslim in Britain today? 3.8 What is good and what is challenging about being a teenage Buddhist, Sikh or Muslim in Britain today?	Bible so important for Christians today? 3.2 Does living biblically mean obeying the whole bible?	Why are festivals imp ortant to religious com munities? U2.5 Is it better to expr ess your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? 3.7 How can people ex press the spiritual thro ugh the arts?	 1.3 Who is Jewish and what do they believe? L2.1 What do different people believe about God? U2.1 Why do some people believe God exists? 3.1 Do we need to prove God's existence

LKS2	Cycle A	Cycl	e A	Су	cle A	Cycle B	Cycl	e B	Cy	cle B
	Autumn Term	Spring	Term	Sumn	ner Term	Autumn Term	Spring	Term	Sumn	ner Term
Unit	L2.7	L2.1	L2.5	L2.4	L2.2	L2.8	L2.4	L2.6	L2. 9	L2. 3
Key Question	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?	What do different people believe about God?	Why are festivals important to religious communities?	Why do people pray?	Why is the Bible so important for Christians today?	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	Why are festivals important to religious communities (Eid)	Why do some people think that life is like a journey?	What can we learn from religion about deciding what is right and what is wrong?	Why does Jesus inspiring some people?
Book link										
RE strand	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitment s)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)
Religions and worldvie w	Christians	Christians, Hindus or Muslims	Christians plus Hindus and/or Jewish people and/or Muslims	Hindus, Christians and Muslims	Christians	Hindus		Christians, Hindus and/or Jewish people	Christians, Je wish people, non- religious peo ple (eg Huma nist)	Christians
Question s in	F5 Where do we belong? 1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	1.1-3 Who is Christian / Muslim / Jewish and what do they believe?	F4 Which times are special and why? 1.6 How and why do we celebrate	F3 Which places are special and why?	F1 Which stories are special and why?	F5: Where do we belong? 1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith community? L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?		FS: Which times are special and why? 1.6 How and why do we	1.8 How shou Id we care for others and th e world, and	F2 Which people are special and w hy? U2.2 What woul d Jesus do? Can

this threa	L2.8 What does it mean to	U2.1 Why do some	special and sacred	1.5 What	1.4 What can we	U2.6 What does it meant to	celebrate	why does it m	we live by the val
d:	be a Hindu in Britain	people believe God	times?	makes some	learn from	be a Muslim in Britain today?	special and	atter?	ues of Jesus in th
	today?	exists?	U2.5 Is it better to	places	sacred books?	3.8 What is good and what is	sacred times?	U2.7 What m	e twenty-first
	U2.6 What does it meant	3.2 Do we need to	express your	sacred?	3.2 Does living	challenging about being a		atters most t	century?
	to be a Muslim in Britain	prove God's	beliefs in arts and	U2.4 If God is	biblically mean	teenage Buddhist, Sikh or		o Christians a	3.3 What is so ra
	today?	existence?	architecture or in	everywhere,	obeying the	Muslim in		nd Humanists	dical about Jesus
	3.8 What is good and what		charity and	why go to a	whole Bible?	Britain today?		?	?
	is challenging about being		generosity?	place of				3.10 Does reli	
	a teenage Buddhist, Sikh or		3.7 How can	worship?				gion help peo	
	Muslim in Britain today?		people express	3.6 Should				ple to be goo	
			the spiritual	religious				d?	
			through the arts?	buildings be					
				sold to feed					
				the starving?					

UKS2	Су	cle A	Cycle A	Cycle A	Cycl	e B	Cycle B	Cycle B
	Autur	nn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term	Autumr	Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Unit	U2.1	U2.4	U2.2	U2.6	U2.5	U2.8	U2.7	U2.3
Unit	02.1	02.4		02.0	02.5	02.8	02.7	
Key Questio n	Why do some people believe God exists?	If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?	What would Jesus do? (21 st century values)	What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?	What difference does belief in Ahimsa, Ummah, or Grace make?	What matters most to Christians and Humanists?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?
Book link								
RE strand	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)
Religion s and worldvie ws	Christians, non- religious e.g. Humanist	Christians, Hindus and Jewish people	Christians	Muslims	Christians, Muslim s and non- religious, e.g. Hu manists	Christians, Musli ms and Hindus	Christians and non- religious (in this case, Humanism)	Christians, Hindus and non-religious responses (e.g Humanists).

Questio	1.1-3 Who is	F3: Which places	F2 Which people are special	F5: Where do we belong?	3.7 How can peop	1.8 How should	1.8 How should we care	3.4 Is death the end?
ns	Christian/	are special and	and why?	1.7 What does it mean to	le express the spir	we care for other	for others and the world,	Does it matter?
	Muslim / Jewish	why?	L2.3 Why is Jesus inspiring	belong to a faith	itual through the a	s and the world,	and why does it matter?	3.5 Why is there
in	and what do	1.7: What makes	to some people?	community?	rts?	and why does it	L2.9 What can we learn	suffering? Are there any
	they believe?	some places	3.3 What is so radical about	L2.7 What does it mean to		matter?	from religions about	solutions?
this thre	L2.1 What do	sacred?	Jesus?	be a Christian in Britain		3.11 What differe	deciding right and	
ad:	different people	L2.5: Why do		today?		nce does it make	wrong?	
	believe about	people pray?		L2.8 What does it mean to		to believe in?	3.10 Does religion help	
	God?	3.6: Should		be a Hindu in Britain			people to be good?	
	3.1 Do we need	religious buildings		today?				
	to prove God's	be sold to feed the		3.8 What is good and what				
	existence?	starving?		is challenging about being				
				a teenage Buddhist, Sikh				
				or				
				Muslim in Britain today?				

	Cycle A		Cycle B]	
	Autumn	Spring	Summer	Autumn	Spring	Summer
KS1	1.8	Who is a Christian	What makes	1. What does it	How can we learn	Who is a muslim
	How should we care for others	and what do they	some places	mean to belong to a	from sacred	and what do they
	and the world and why does it	believe?	sacred?	faith community?	books?	believe?
	matter?	How and why do we			How and why do	I can name Religious
	I can ask and respond to	celebrate sacred	l can name	I can ask and	we celebrate	artefacts.
	questions that show what	and special times?	Religious artefacts.	respond to questions	sacred and special	I can ask and
	communities do and and why and	I can recognise some		that show how	times?	respond to
	how they might feel.	Christian symbols.	I can recognise	communities can	I can recognise	questions that show
	, 0	, I can talk about	religious symbols.	make a difference to	religious symbols.	how what
	I can express ideas and opinions	Christian beliefs about	I can say why	a person's life.	I can recall/name	communities do,
	about right and wrong.	Jesus and God.	places of worship	I can recognise some	some beliefs and	and why and how
		I can recall/ respond	are important to	symbols of belonging	practices.	they might feel.
	I can recall/name some beliefs and	sensitively to different	communities.	to a community.	I can recall/ respond	I can recall/name
	practices.	religious practices.	l can notice	I can express ideas and	sensitively to	some beliefs and
		I can express my own	similarities and	opinions about right	different ways of	practices.
	I can retell religious stories.	ideas about belonging.	differences	and wrong.	expressing identity	I can notice
		l can express	between Jewish,	I can recall/name	and belonging.	similarities and
	I can recognise the traditions stories	(creatively) my own	Muslim and	some beliefs and	l can express	differences between
	come from and discuss meanings.	ideas about God.	Christian places of	practices.	(creatively) my own	cultures and religions
		I can suggest			ideas about truth and	
		meanings in stories.			or meaning.	

		I know some symbols and actions that show peoples culture & beliefs. I can say how people cooperate with others who are different. I can ask questions about Christian beliefs.	worship and respond sensitively. I can express (creatively) my own ideas about truth and or meaning. I can ask questions respectfully of believers.	I can retell religious stories. I can recognise the traditions stories come from and discuss meanings.	I can suggest meanings in stories. I know some symbols and actions that show peoples culture & beliefs. I can say how people cooperate with others who are different.	and respond sensitively. I can express (creatively) my own ideas about truth and or meaning. I can say how people cooperate with others who are different.
LKS2	 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today? I can describe some examples of what Christians do to show their faith, (entering) and make connections with some Christian beliefs and teachings (developing). I can say the similarities and differences of two Christian churches and their Holy Communion. (secure) I can describe a hymn that shows a Christian belief. (developing) I can suggest at least two reasons why being a Christian is a good thing in Britain today, and two reasons why it might be hard sometimes. I can describe links between the reasons people of different faiths or no faith give for helping others. I can ask questions about holy communion. 	 What do different people believe about God? Why are festivals important to religious communities? I can retell and suggest meanings in the story of God and Moses. I can think of reasons why some people believe in God I can identify that the Quran guides Muslims in their everyday life. I can describe some symbolism in beliefs about Hindu gods and goddesses. I can describe what many Hindus say about God. I can describe the Muslim Shahada or declaration of faith. I can lock for similarities in beliefs about God, the father and the Holy Spirit I can consider questions like 'Does God help to be 	 Why do people pray? Why is the Bible so important for Christians today? I can describe some ways Christians pray including the Lord's Prayer. I can describe how Muslims pray. I can describe how Hindus use the Gayatri Mantra. I can make connections between the ways different people pray. Respond thoughtfully to why prayer is helpful for some people. I can give examples of how Christians use the Bible. 	 What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? I can describe ways Hindus express their faith. I can make connections between Hindu beliefs and responsibilities. Give reasons why being a Hindu is a good thing and why it might be hard. I can describe how the life of Gandhi shows Hindu belief in action I can explain similarities and differences between Hindu belief and belief in another religion. 	1.Why are festivals important to religious communities (Eid) 2. Why do some people think that life is like a journey? I can make connections between stories and beliefs related to what happens in two festivals. I can ask questions and suggest answers to what matters most to Muslims at Eid or to Christians at Easter. I can identify similarities and differences in the way festivals celebrated within	 What can we learn from religion about deciding what is right and what is wrong? Why is Jesus inspiring? I can talk about some rules for living in religious traditions. I can make connections between stories of temptation and why people might find it hard to be good. I can express my own ideas about right and wrong. I can connect the stories of Jesus with Christian belief. I can describe how Christians celebrate the events of Holy Week.

		good?' and 'How can we good without God?' I can make links between beliefs about Jesus and the celebration of Easter. I can make links between the symbols of Seder plate and their meaning. I can make links between Diwali and the story of Lakshmi.	I can make connections between the Bible story of Creation and what people believe about Creation, the Fall and Salvation.	I can ask questions about puja and how it shows faith. Discuss ideas about Dharma for Hindu children and make links with my own experiences.	and between different religions. I can suggest what is worth celebrating in religious communities and in my own life.	Suggest an example of how to treat people connecting it with a story from the life of Jesus.
UPKS2	 1,Why do some people think God exists? 2.If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? I can define the terms theist, atheist and agnostic and give examples of statements that reflect these beliefs. I can give two reasons why a Christian believes in God and one why an atheist does not . I can express thoughtful ideas about the impact of believing or not believing in God on someone's life. I can present different views on why people believe in God or not, including my own ideas. Give examples of support places of worship give believers. 	What would Jesus do? (21 st century values) I can outline how Jesus taught his followers should live. I can offer interpretations of some parables and say how they might teach Christians to live. I can express my own ideas of how Jesus might respond to a moral dilemma today. Explain the impact of Jesus teaching on modern Charity work. I can discuss, argue about and develop a range of answers to moral dilemmas, using the teaching of Jesus to suggest what might be good or bad about different decisions. I can Explain the links between Jesus' death on the cross and Christian belief in love	What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	 Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? What difference does belief in Ahimsa, Ummah, or Grace make? Understand different reasons why some buildings are sacred Can Consider, discuss and weigh up different views about why mosques and Christian sacred buildings are important and why religious art is important. Can Suggest reasons, quoting religious sources, why Muslims consider charity and generosity important I can make connections between belief and 	most to Christians and Humanists? Describe what Christians mean about humans being made in the image of God and being 'fallen', giving examples. Describe some Christian and Humanist values simply . Express their own ideas about some big moral concepts, such as fairness or honesty comparing them with the ideas of	What do religions say to us when life gets hard? Describe the Hindu belief in reincarnation and Karma Explain how believing in reincarnation might affect the way someone lives their life Describe the impact for a Christian and or a Muslim, of a belief in Judgement, in a series of areas of their life. Give reasons why non- religious people and Christians might choose to live their life in similar or different ways because of their beliefs Describe and explain their own ideas about life after death reflecting on ideas

	and forgiveness, giving reasons why Christians want to follow Jesus.		behaviour in different religions. I can make connections between belief in Ahisma (harmlessness) Grace (generosity of God) and Ummah (community).	Suggest reasons why it might be helpful to follow a moral code and why it might be difficult, offering different points of view.	from at least two religions studied. Interpret artistic and poetic expressions of what happens when we die
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