



RE Curriculum Key Vocabulary YN-Y6

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	Festival, Celebration, Christian, Harvest, Christmas, Jesus, Mary, Joseph, Angel, Shepherds, Wise Men, Lent, Easter, Jewish, Hannukah, Islam, Ramadan, Eid.					
Reception Why are some things special?	Why do we celebrate? Christian, Hindu, Muslim, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, Celebration, Harvest, Christmas, Eid, Diwali, Special, Family, Ramadan, Religion, Fasting, Diya Lamp, Rangoli		Which stories and books are special for different people and why? Christian, Muslim, Christianity, Islam, Sacred, Holy, Bible, Qur'an, God, Allah, Jesus, trust, brave, strong, weak, thankful, shepherd, leper, heal, message/messenger, Muhammed (pbuh), Angel Jibril, prophet		Which places are special for different people and why? Christian, Muslim, Hindu, holy, worship, pray/er, minaret, dome, star, moon, prayer mat, altar, font, pulpit, Bible, pew, candle, bells, spire, steeple, mosque, church, mandir, respect, deity, murti, namaste, aum, puja, prashad	What is special about our world? Christian, Muslim, nature, harm, care for, creation, create, creator, sorry, Bible, Torah, special, nature, natural, beauty, wonder, unique
Year 1 What do people say about God?	Christianity (God) God, Father, Christians, prayer, forgiveness, Church, Rosary beads, candle, relationship, symbol	Christianity (Jesus) Christmas, religious festival, nativity, Jesus, vulnerable, prepare, special, traditions, celebration, beginnings	Islam Planet, world, environment, Muslim, Allah, creation, responsibility, Prophet, role model, caretaker	Judaism Jews, Jewish, promise, trust, commitment, Sukkot, symbol, community, grateful, Noah, Abraham	Hindu dharma Roles, worship, imagery, stories, Shiva, Vishnu and Brahma, Ganesh	Christianity (Church) God, church, family, belonging, community, baptism, ceremony, symbols, font, priest, candles, godparents
Year 2 How do we respond to the things that really matter?	Christianity (God) Resources, creation, behaviour, responsibility, environmental issues, Harvest festival, gratitude, beliefs, ideas, values, awe and wonder, hymns	Christianity (Jesus) Christingle, light of the world, guide, comfort, hope, advent, symbol, Christmas, represent	Hindu dharma Qualities, valued, respect, Brahman, shrine, rituals, puja tray (including items), Shiva, Vishnu, Brahma	Islam Muslim, obey, routines, rules, Shahada, Quran, Prophet Muhammed, mosque, wudu, prayer hall, prayer mat, daily prayer	Christianity (Church) Community, worship, belonging, prayer, Bible, signs, symbols, message, church building, pulpit, lectern, altar, bread and wine	Judaism Jewish Sabbath, Shabbat, Torah, ten commandments, blessing, Challah Bread, holy day, gifts from God, tradition
Year 3 Who should we follow?	Christianity (God) Serve, inspirational, role model, vocation, prophets, sacrifice, guidance, leader, Old Testament	Islam Prophet Muhammad, qualities, wisdom, guidance, Zakat, Pillars of Islam, charity, aspirations, role model	Christianity (Jesus) Disciple, leader, Messiah, values, charisma, qualities, follower, teachings, organisation	Christianity (Church) Holy Spirit, qualities, inspire, Pentecost, apostles, talents and attributes, Christian worship, believe, celebrate, talents	Sikhism Baisakhi, role model, leader, Guru commitment, , dedication, wisdom, commitment, determination, resilience, Guru Nanak, Guru Granth Sahib,	Hindu dharma Duties, roles, Raksha Bandhan, rights, responsibilities, family, dharma, Rama, Sita
Year 4 How should we live our lives?	Hindu dharma Goodness, evil, overcome, Diwali, avatar, Vishnu, diva lamps, rangoli pattern, dharma, moral guidance, Ramayan, Rama, Sita	Christianity (God) Views, moral decisions, authority, conscience, Bible, literature, teachings of God, gospel, parable, interpretations, congregational worship, wisdom, guidance	Sikhism Commitments, values, beliefs, symbolism, worship, Gurdwara, sewa, Langar, serve, equality, Sikh dharam, righteous, identity, justice Five Ks - Kesh, Kangha, Kara, Kachera and Kirpan,	Christianity (Jesus) Sacrifice, Lent, Easter, agape, temptation, self-discipline, expression, sacrifice, sacrificial love	Islam Committed, Ramadhan, Eid al-Fitr, fasting, service, Five Pillars - Shahada, Salah, Saum, Zakah, Hajj, sacrifice, charity, revelation, society	Christianity (Church) Wisdom, moral, agape, values, meaning, messages, parables, guidance, fables, charity, Samaritan.
Year 5 Where can we find guidance about how to live our lives?	Christianity (God) Guidance, Lord's Prayer, sin, temptation, forgive, right and wrong, truth, free will, reconciliation, confession, greed, selfishness, temptation, consequences, disobey	Islam Law, The Night of Power (Laylat Ul-Qadr), divine revelation, advice, Prophet Muhammad, Ultimate Authority, Abrahamic faiths (Judaism, Christianity and Islam), respect, govern, seal of the Prophets	Hindu dharma Krishna, Holi, atman, incarnation, devotion, symbolism of colour, equality, Namaste, loyalty, traditions	Christianity (Jesus) Miracle, pilgrimage, Jesus as God incarnate, divine, resurrection, Holy Land, miraculous events	Christianity (Church) Source of authority, Trinity, shared statement of belief, Taize, Worldwide Christian Church, ultimate authority, united in diversity, different forms of Christian worship (Anglican/Catholic/Salvation Army/Quaker/Pentecostal)	Judaism Organisations, Torah, synagogue, covenant, Rabbi, religious and moral teachings, Bimah

<p>Year 6 Is life like a journey?</p>	<p>Christianity (Church) Purpose, resurrection confession, reconciliation, forgiveness, salvation, eternal life, life after death, repentance, atonement, behaviour,</p>	<p>Hindu dharma Karma, reincarnation, Moksha, atman, purpose, dharma, death and rebirth, sacred, ceremony, duty, rite of passage</p>	<p>Islam Hajj, Ummah, pilgrimage, Mecca, intention, diverse community, guide, Five Pillars, guidance</p>	<p>Christianity (Jesus) Holy week, Good Friday, Easter, suffering, resurrection, courage, hope, comfort, Eucharist, disciple, stations of the cross</p>	<p>Buddhism Happiness, positive, meditate, contentment, virtue, Nirvana, Prince Siddhartha, the Four Noble Truths and the Eightfold Path</p>	<p>Christianity (God) Sacraments, ritual, rite of passage, ceremony, differing views, challenges, responsibility, commitment, symbolism, confirmation</p>
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