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Year group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Why am I precious?	What and why do people celebrate?	Why is God important to Christians?	Why is Easter special to Christians?	Where is special to me?	Which stories are special and why?
Year 1	CARING FOR OTHERS	GIFTS AND GIVING	FRIENDSHIPS	EASTER AND SURPRISES	RELIGIONS AND RITUALS	PLACES OF WORSHIP
Big questions to think about	How should we care for others and the world and why does it matter?	What makes some people give everything for other people?	How many friends do I need?	Do we need holidays and holy days?	Why are rituals important?	What makes a place special?
Religions covered	HINDUISM CHRISTIANITY SIKHISM ISLAM	HINDUISM CHRISTIANITY ISLAM	BUDDHISM HINDUISM CHRISTIANITY	CHRISTIANITY	ISLAM HINDUISM CHRISTIANITY	JUDIASM HINDUISM CHRISTIANITY
	BUDDHISM Assessment statements I can explain how	Assessment statements	Assessment statements I can describe what	Assessment statements I can explain who	Assessment statements I can explain what a	Assessment statements
	people can look after each other.	I can explain what Christmas is.	I do with my friends.	Jesus' disciples were.	ritual is. I can explain why Salat is important to	I know what a place of worship is.
	I can explain what the festival of	I can explain how many Christians	I can explain how to be a good friend.	I can explain why Palm Sunday is	Muslims	I can explain key parts of a Jewish synagogue

	Raksha Bandhan represents. I can explain the message in the story The Good Samaritan.	celebrate Christmas. I can explain what Ramadan is. I can explain what	I can explain how a disagreement can be resolved. I can explain which qualities make a good friend.	important to Christians. I can explain what happened on Maundy Thursday.	I can understand the ritual of Puja. I can explain what happens during Holy Communion.	I can explain key parts of a Hindu mandir. I can explain key parts of a Christian
	I can explain what a langar meal is. I can explain the message in the	Eid al-Fitr is. I can explain how Eid al-Fitr might be celebrated.	I can think about the consequences of different actions.	I can explain why the cross is an important symbol to Christians. I can explain what a	I can compare different rituals from different religions.	church. I can discuss why places of worship are important in religions.
	story Be My Guest. I can understand different points of view.	I can explain what Zakat is.		surprise is. I can explain how the disciples felts on Easter Sunday. I can explain how Christians celebrate Easter.		I can use and apply the key parts of a place of worship to a new design.
Year 2	NATURE AND GOD	LIGHT AND DARK	RULES AND ROUTINE	BEGINNINGS AND ENDINGS	CEREMONIES	PLACES OF WORSHIP
Big questions to think about	Who made the world and everything in it?	What does the word light mean to you?	Do we need rules?	Can endings also be beginnings?	Why do people mark the significant events of life?	What makes some places sacred to
Religions covered	CHRISTIANITY JUDIASM BUDDHISM	HINDUISM CHRISTIANITY JUDIASM	JUDIASM ISLAM SIKHISM HUMANISM	SIKHISM CHRISTIANITY	ISLAM JUDIASM SIKHISM	believers? ISLAM SIKHISM

			Assessment	HINDUISM	BUDDHISM
Assessment	Assessment	Assessment	statements	Assessment	
statements	statements	statements	I can discuss how	statements	Assessment
I can recall the	I can explain what	I can explain why it	and why	I can apply what I	statements
Christian Creation	Advent is.	is important to	beginnings and	have learnt about	I can consider what
Story.		have	endings can be	religious beliefs to	makes a place
	I can explain why	rules.	marked in different	my own beginning	special to people.
I can explain why	light can be		ways.	or ending	
the Creation Story	important at	I can order the Ten		ceremony.	I can explore what
is important to	Christmas.	Commandments.	I can explore how		it is like to visit a
Christians.			Sikhs celebrate	I can describe what	mosque.
	I can explain why	I can explain why	New Year.	a ceremony is.	
I can explain why	the story of Rama	Shabbat is			I can explore what
harvest is important	and Sita can be	important to some	I can discuss how	I can explore what	it is like to visit a
to some Christians.	important to	Jews.	names are used	happens at an	gurdwara.
	Hindus.		and given in	Aqiqah.	
I can explain why		I can describe the	Sikhism.		I can discuss the
Sukkot is important	I can explain why	Five Pillars of Islam.		I can explore what	shape of Buddhist
to some Jews.	light can be		I can discuss how	happens at a Bar	temples.
	important at Diwali.	I can explain what	names are used	Mitzvah and Bat	
I can explain the		the Five Ks are.	and given in	Mitzvah ceremony.	I can compare
message in the	I can explain why		Sikhism.		different places of
story Prince	the story of	I can make		I can explain what	worship.
Siddhartha and the	Hanukkah can be	decisions based on	I can discuss how	happens at a Dastar	
Swan.	important to Jews.	humanist values.	Christians mark the	Bandi.	I can apply what I
			beginning of their		know about places
	I can explain why		journey of faith.	I can explain what	of worship to my
I can explain the	light can be			happens at a Hindu	own design.
message in the	important at		I can explore the	wedding.	
story The Boy who	Hanukkah.		links between new		
Threw Stones at			life and the	I can use what I	
Trees.			Christian story of	have learnt to help	
			Easter.		

				I can apply what I have learnt about religious beliefs to my own beginning or ending ceremony.	me plan a ceremony.	
Year 3	HINDUISM	THE NATIVITY STORY	ISLAM	GOOD FRIDAY	SIKHISM	JUDAISM
Big question to think about	What does being a Hindu mean?	What is the most significant part of the story for Christians today?	What does being a Muslim mean?	What is good about Good Friday?	What does being a Sikh mean?	What does being a Jew mean?
Religions covered	Hinduism Assessment	CHRISTIANITY	ISLAM	CHRISTIANITY	SIKHISM Assessment	JUDIASM Assessment
	statements	Assessment	Assessment	Assessment	statements	statements
	I can explain who	statements	statements	statements	I can explain who	I can explain who
	founded Hinduism	I can explain where	I can explain where	I can recall the	founded Sikhism	founded Judaism
	and where.	Nazareth is and who Mary and	Islam was founded and who founded	Easter Story	and where.	and where.
	I can explain the main beliefs in	Joseph were.	the Muslim faith.	I can explain the importance of	I can explain the main beliefs of	I can explain the main beliefs in
	Hinduism.	I can explain the journey Mary and	I can explain the key beliefs held by	Jesus' words at the Last Supper.	Sikhism.	Judaism.
	I can explain which	Joseph went on to	Muslims.		I can explain what	I can explain which
	places are special to	Bethlehem.		I can explain how	makes the	places are special to
	Hindus.			prayer is related to	Gurdwara a special	Jews.
		I can explain where	I can explain the	Good Friday.	place for Sikhs.	
	I can name and	Jesus was born and	key features in a			I can name the
	describe some	why he was born	Muslim's place of	I can relate Jesus'	I can name and	special Jewish
	special Hindu	there.	worship.	example of self-	describe some	festivals.
	festivals.			giving love to an	special Sikh festivals	

	I can explain that Hindus have multiple holy books. I can name and explain the meanings of Hindu symbols.	I can explain how the shepherds heard about Jesus' birth and the message they told Mary and Joseph. I can retell the story of the wise men. I can explain why King Herod wanted to find Jesus and how Jesus managed to stay safe.	I can name and explain the key Muslim festivals. I can explain what the Muslim holy book is and how it is used. I can recognise the main symbol associated with Islam.	example from World War Two I can explain the importance, in Christianity, of the cross and the resurrection going together I can explain why Easter Eggs are given at Easter.	I can explain what the Sikh holy book is and how it is used. I can name and explain the meanings of Sikh symbols.	I can explain what the Jewish Holy Book is and how it is used. I can name and explain the meanings of Jewish symbols.
Year 4 Big question to think about	FAITH TODAY	BUDDHISM	CHRISTIANITY	FOOD AND FASTING	PILGRIMAGE	. PEOPLE OF FAITH
tillik about	What does it mean to belong to a religion?	What does being a Buddhist mean?	How is the image of Jesus representative of	Is self-discipline important in life?	Where is special to me?	Why do some people do extraordinary
Religions covered	Taoism Christianity Islam Sikhi	BUDDHISM Assessment statements	the historical and geographical knowledge we have? Assessment	JUDIASM CHRISTIANITY ISLAM HINDUISM	Assessment statements I can explain the role of pilgrimage in	things? ISLAM BUDDHISM JUDIASM
	Humanism Buddhism Assessment	I can explain who and where Buddhism was	statements I can explain who	Assessment statements I can discuss the	Buddhism I can explain the role of pilgrimage in	SIKHISM CHRISTIANITY Assessment statements
	statements	founded.	founded Christianity and	different ways food is thought about	Christianity.	Statements

	I can talk about	I can explain the	where it was	and used in our	I can explain the	I can retell the story
	what it means to	main beliefs held by	founded	everyday lives.	role of pilgrimage in	of Malala
	have faith	Buddhists.			Hinduism	Yousafzai's life
			I can explain the	I can explore		
	I can recognise the	I can explain what	main beliefs of	religious rules	I can explain the	I can identify Dalai
	beliefs and	the Buddhist holy	Christianity	about food and	role of pilgrimage in	Lama's beliefs
	teachings of	book is and what is		know what 'kosher'	Islam	
	Humanism	in it.	I can identify	is.		I can explore Rabbi
			Christian special		I can explain the	Jonathan Sacks'
	I can recognise the	I can name and	places and explain	I can explore the	role of pilgrimage in	beliefs
	main religious	explain the	why they are	different effects of	Judaism	
	festivals of	meaning of	special.	abstaining from		I can explain how
	Christianity	Buddhist symbols.		something	I can describe a	Fauja Singh's faith
			I can name and		special journey I	helped him.
	I understand the	I can explain which	explain the main	I can explore how	have undertaken	
	importance of some	places are special to	Christian festivals.	and why religious		I can discuss what
	Islamic artefacts	Buddhists.		believers fast.		inspiration means
			I understand how			
	I can talk about	I can explain what	the Bible is	I can understand		I can examine the
	some of the values	happens at the	organised and can	how food is used		roe of beliefs in my
	of Sikhi and how	major Buddhist	navigate my way	for celebration in		life.
	this guides them	festival.	around it	religions		
	through life					
			I can name and	I can apply what I		
	I understand the		explain the key	have learnt about		
	meaning of the		symbols of	the role of food in		
	Taoist creation		Christianity	religions to plan a		
	story			feast event		
Year 5	WORSHIP	THE TRUE	PEACE	FORGIVENESS	INCARNATION	COMMITMENT
		MEANINGS OF				
	How is worth	CELEBRATIONS	What does peace	What does it mean	What is an	Is commitment
Big question to	determined?		look like in	to forgive	important guide in	important?
think about			everyday life?	someone?	my life?	

		What does				CHRISTIANITY
		Christmas mean to	HINDUISM	JUDIASM	Christianity	JUDIASM
Religions covered	CHRISTIANITY	you?	BUDDHISM	BUDDHISM		HUMANISM
	ISLAM		JUDIASM		Assessment	ISLAM
	SIKHISM	HINDUISM	SIKHISM	Assessment	statements	SIKHISM
	HINDUISM	CHRISTIANITY	CHRISTIANITY	statements		HINDUISM
	BUDDHISM	JUDIASM	ISLAM	I can explore the	I can name the	
				concept of	parts of the Holy	Assessment
	Assessment		Assessment	forgiveness	Trinity	statements
	statements	Assessment	statements			I can understand
	I can consider how	statements	I can explain the	I can explore and	I can describe why	what commitment
	worth is	I can list what	meaning of the	discuss what Jews	the shamrock	means and how it
	determined and	Christmas means to	word 'peace'.	believe about	relates to Saint	can be
	what has worth to	me and to		forgiveness	Patrick and	demonstrated in
	me.	Christians.	I can explain how		Christians today	different ways.
			different religions	I can explore the		
	I can reflect upon	I can explain the	view peace.	significance of Yom	I can explain what	I can understand
	how music makes	importance of love		Kippur for Jews	incarnation is	how commitment is
	us feel and why it is	at Christmas time in	I can state the			demonstrated in
	used for religious	Christianity.	similarities and	I can explore what	I can recognise	coming of age
	worship.		differences	Buddhists believe	when incarnation is	rituals.
		I can explain how	between each	about forgiveness.	referred to in the	
	I can discuss why	God took human	religion's views on		Bible	I can understand
	and how religious	form and explain	peace.	I can compare		and explain why
	believers pray.	the importance of		forgiveness in	I can explain why	people make
		this vulnerability in	I can explain how	Buddhism and	incarnation is	sacrifices.
	I can compare	modern situations.	some religions use	Judaism.	important to	
	expressions of		inner peace to find		Christians.	I can summarise the
	worship in Art.	I can compare	peace and can	I can create and		importance of
		Christian and	reflect on this	explain a symbol	I can consider what	fasting in Islam.
	I can investigate	secular Christmas	technique.	for forgiveness.	guides my own life	
	how artefacts are	cards.			and choices	I can identify how
	used as objects of					commitment is

	worship within	I can analyse the	I can explain how			shown through
	different religions.	meaning of a	religions focus on			marriage
		popular Christmas	community			ceremonies.
	I can explore what	carol.	cohesion to bring			
	religious freedom is		about peace.			I can reflect on how
	and how people use	I can participate in				I show commitment
	it.	a class debate	I can recognise key			in my own life.
		about whether the	peace symbols.			
		true meaning of				
		Christmas is now				
		lost.				
Year 6	CREATION STORIES	CHRISTMAS STORY	ETERNITY	FREE WILL AND		
				DETERMINISM	HUMANISM	JUSTICE AND
Big question to				CRUCIFICATION		FREEDOM
think about	Creation and	Why do Christians	Is death a new	Was Jesus death		
	Science: conflicting	believe that Jesus is	beginning?	part of God's plan?	Why do people do	How do rules bring
	or complementary?	the Messiah?			good and bad	freedom?
					things?	
Religions covered	JUDIASM	CHRISTIANITY	HINDUISM	CHRISTIANITY		
	CHRISTIANITY		BUDDHISM		HUMANISM	HINDUISM
	HINDUISM	Assessment	JUDIASM	Assessment		BUDDHISM
	SIKHISM	statements	SIKHISM	statements	Assessment	JUDIASM
		I can recall the key	CHRISTIANITY	I can remember	statements	SIKHISM
	Assessment	events in The	ISLAM	key events in Holy	I can explore what a	CHRISTIANITY
	statements	Christmas Story.		Week and begin to	worldview is.	ISLAM
	I can retell the		Assessment	question them.		Assessment
	Judeo-Christian	I can explain what	statements		I can identify the	statements
	story of creation.	interpretation	I can analyse the	I understand the	key ideas of	
		means.	definition of	terms 'free will'	influential humanist	I can examine the
	I can compare the		eternity.	and 'determinism'	thinkers.	concept of
	creation stories of	I can investigate		and can relate		freedom.
		similarities and				

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the Abrahamic	differences	I can investigate	these terms to the	I can explore the	I can identify
religions.	between Matthew	popular concepts	crucifixion.	ideas of humanist	human rights
	and Luke's version	of immortality.		thinkers.	related to justice
I can retell the	of the nativity.		I can question if		and freedom.
Hindu creation		I can examine	Jesus' life was part	I can create a	
story.	I can explain the	religious ideas	of a plan and I can	poster explaining	I can describe the
	key truth within	about Heaven.	relate these	humanist beliefs to	influence of
I can explain Sikh	both versions of		thoughts to my	others.	religious beliefs on
beliefs about	The Christmas Story	I can understand	own life.		the non-religious
creation.	in the Gospels.	the concepts of		I can create a	world views on the
	·	reincarnation and	I can analyse	symbol	human right
I can classify	I can explain the	emancipation from	events in Holy	representing a	movement.
creation stories.	meaning of advent	life.	Week to justify a	value.	
	and how Christians		line of argument.		I can describe the
I can compare	prepare.	I can explore		I can consider	influence of
creation stories.		humanist ideas of	I can understand	scenarios and	religious beliefs on
	I can explain how	eternity.	the term	decide how	the non-violent
	Christians in	,.	'atonement' and	humanists might	protest
	different countries	I can compare and	relate it to	respond.	movements.
	celebrate Christmas	contrast ideas	commitments in	respond.	movements.
	differently.	about eternity.	my life.		I can examine the
	differently.	about eternity.	iny ine.		concepts of
			I can relate the		freedom and justice
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			experience of Jesus		and how they might
			and the idea of a		conflict.
			life plan to my own		
			life and choices I		
			make.		