

Religious Education Progression Map

Respect

Compassion

Perseverance

Creation

Service

Progression in Christianity							
EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
 Develop curiosity as to why Christians do nativity plays at Christmas. Explain why Christians give and receive presents at Christmas. Explain why Christians say Jesus is special. Wonder why a minister pours water on babies in a baptism. Talk about some things Christians might do in church. Recall key important aspects of the Easter story and begin to explain why Christians think the resurrection is important. 	 Identify key aspects of the Christmas story and explain why Jesus was good news for Christians. Recall key teachings Christians believe about God found in the parable of the good Samaritan and other parables studied. Explain how Christians view the creation of the world and try to take care for it. Evaluate what it means to Christians to belong to a church. Describe key important things Christians believe about Jesus and refer to the Easter story, life and teachings of Jesus. 	 Recall key teachings Christians believe about God found in the 'lost' parables, the parable of the good Samaritan and other parables studied. Explain why Christians might choose to follow Jesus. Evaluate key teachings studied from the Bible and explain why they may be important to Christians. Talk about how Christians might use symbols in a church building and begin to suggest reasons why. 	 Explain how Christians see God as 'Three in One' through symbols. Analyse what Christians can learn about Jesus from nativity stories. Identify how Christians live their lives as disciples. 	 Explain how Christians see God as 'Three in One' through art. Describe and suggest reasons why Christians call Jesus, Saviour. Explain the concept of salvation. Describe how Christians live their lives as disciples. 	 Describe how references to Jesus' death and resurrection found in the Church (artefacts, ritual or text) reinforce the Christian idea of forgiveness. Explain how Christians seek to live to advance the Kingdom of God on Earth. 	 Describe how celebrating Easter shows a Christian understanding of Sacrifice and Reconciliation. Outline how Christians around the world read the Bible to maintain their relationship with God. Make connections between Christianity, Judaism and Islam. 	
	Recount the main	-	ogression in Judais	• Recount the Exodus			
	 Recount the main details of the Joseph story and explain what it teaches about people who follow G-d. Explain how Shabbat is a very special Jewish meal and describe the main things that take place. Describe how this 	 Explain why is the Torah important for Jews. Identify important aspects of a synagogue. Describe how Jews worship in a synagogue. 		story and explain why it is important and what it teaches Jews about G-d			
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	 helps Jews keep their promise to G-d every week. Recount the creation story and explain what it teaches about Jews about Shabbat. 					
		P	Progression in Islam			
 Describe why is the Qur'an a special book for a Muslim. Recount stories Muhammad told to teach people how to be the best they can be. Describe how Muslims help other people. 	 Describe how a baby is welcomed into a Muslim family. Describe happens at a Muslim wedding. 	 Understand who Allah is. Recount how Muslims describe Allah. Recall some of the 99 names. Describe who Muhammad (pbuh) was. 		 Recall all the key facts about the prophet Muhammad (pbuh) and explain why he is important to Muslims. Raise and suggest answers to relevant questions about the 'Night of Power'. 	 Explain how a mosque shows that the idea of 'one' community is important to Muslims. Link the idea of belief in Allah as 'one' (tawhid) with the idea of the oneness in the Muslim community (Umma). Explain why the five pillars of Islam support and challenge a Muslim to live as part of a bigger Islamic community, (the Umma) and contribute 	
		Pro	gression in Hinduis	m	to the wider society.	
			 Recall key facts about Rama and Sita and explain why they are important to Hindus. Raise questions and suggest relevant answers about the celebration of Diwali. Explain the Hindu belief of good over evil seen in the story and link this with the celebration of Diwali. 			
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			Explain why the			
			Hindu ideas of			
			reincarnation, karma			
			and moksha are			
			important to Hindus.			
			 Give examples how 			
			these beliefs might			
			affect the way a			
			Hindu lives life.			
			Describe what some			
			Hindus believe about			
			God.			
			Make a link between			
			my own ideas about			
			God and those of			
			others.			
			Suggest some roles			
			that Hindu gods and			
			goddesses have.			
			Explain how Hindus			
			believe God to be in			
			everything and give			
			examples.			
			Describe what some			
			Hindu families believe			
			about God.			
			Recall how Hindus			
			believe God to be in			
			everything and give			
			examples.			I
		Pr	ogression in Sikhisn	n		
						 Know how the
						Gurdwara is
						important to the
						community?
						Understand what
						the Khanda is.
						Describe how
						Sikhs worship in the
						Gurdwara.
						 Understand why
						Sikhs have a
						Langar.
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						Describe how
						Gurdwaras look
						different or similar
						around the world
						and what the
						Golden Temple is
						like.
						 Explain how Sikhs
						celebrate with their
						local communities.
						 Explain what
						Sikhs believe.
						•Explain who Guru
						Nanak is and how
						he became a
						teacher and leader.
						Understand what
						the Guru Granth
						Sahib is
						Recount the
						symbolism of the
						5Ks and why is the
						community
						important for Sikhs.
						 Explain how Sikhs
						lead their lives to
						the best of their
						ability – values.
						Explain how Sikhs
						remember the
						birthday of Guru
						Nanak.
		Progression in	cross-religious and	d theme units	1	
General			Cross Religious			Humanism
What is prayer?			 How do people 			What is
Who do I think God			worship in a church,			Humanism?
is?			Mosque,			What does it
How do our families			Synagogue, mandir			mean to be a
celebrate special			and why Humanism			Humanist?
events?			doesn't worship.			What role does
Where is my special						Humanism play in
place?						our modern
• What is love?						society?
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Festivals & Events Holi, Eid Shrove Tuesday			 Free Choice • What does it mean to live in a
Mother's Day Baptism Storytime theme			religiously diverse world?
 Why are some books special? Why are some stories special? 			

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