



Birds Bush Primary School

RE Curriculum Map



		Autumn A	Autumn B	Spring A	Spring B	Summer A	Summer B	
EYFS	Reception	Children in EYFS explore each other's religions and beliefs throughout the year. We do this by taking the rich and diverse opportunities offered by their respective religion's festivals and celebrations. This provides them with the understanding and respect for each of their faiths and those of others. Some of these opportunities include learning about the importance of the Hindu festival of Diwali, how Christians celebrate Christmas as the birth of Jesus Christ and the different ways that cultures and people around the world celebrate in different ways.						
KSI	Year 1	Big Question	How did the world begin?	What do some people believe God looks like?	What is God's job?	Why should we care for the world?	How do we know that new babies are special?	Why should we care for others?
		Religion Studied	Christian, Jewish, Hindu	Christian, Hindu, Muslim	Jewish, Zoroastrianist, Muslim, Hindu, Christian	Jewish, Muslim, Hindu, Jain, Humanist	Muslim, Hindu, Christian, Humanist	Sikh, Christian, Jewish, Muslim, Humanist
	Year 2	Big Question	Why do we need to give thanks?	What do candles mean to people?	How do we know some people have a special connection to God?	What is a prophet?	How do some people talk to God?	Where do some people talk to God?
		Religion Studied	Hindu, Christian, Humanist	Christian, Hindu, Jewish	Sikh, Muslim, Christian, Jewish, Hindu	Christian, Muslim, Jewish, Sikh	Muslim, Jewish, Hindu	Hindu, Alevi, Muslim, Sikh



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Lower Key Stage 2	Year 3	Big Question	What makes us human?	Where do our morals come from?	Is scripture central to religion?	What happens if we do wrong?	Why is water symbolic?	Why is fire used ceremonially?
		Religion Studied	Hindu, Christian, Buddhist, Humanist	Christian/Jewish, Buddhist, Muslim, Hindu, Humanist	Jewish, Muslim, Christian,	Hindu, Muslim, Humanist, Christian, Jewish	Christian, Sikh, Muslim, Shinto	Hindu/Sikh, Zoroastrianist
	Year 4	Big Question	Are all religions equal?	What makes some texts sacred?	Just how important are our beliefs?	Who was Jesus really?	Why is the Bible the best-selling book of all time?	Does the language of scripture matter?
		Religion Studied	Bahá'í, Sikh, Hindu	Sikh, Hindu, Buddhist	Sikh, Muslim, Jewish, Hindu, Christian	Christian, Jewish, Muslim	Christian	Christian, Muslim, Jewish



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Upper Key Stage 2	Year 5	Big Question	Why do people have to stand up for what they believe in?	Why doesn't Christianity always look the same?	What happens when we die? (Part 1)	What happens when we die? (Part 2)	Who should get to be in charge?	Why are some places in the world significant to believers?
		Religion Studied	Christian, Muslim, Sikh	Christian	Jewish, Christian, Muslim Humanist	Hindu, Buddhist, Sikh	Muslim, Sikh, Christian	Christian, Jewish, Buddhist, Muslim, Sikh and Hindu
	Year 6	Big Question	Why does religion look different around the world? (Part 1)	Why does religion look different around the world? (Part 2)	Why is it better to be there in person?	Why is there suffering? (Part 1)	Why is there suffering? (Part 2)	What place does religion have in our world today?
		Religion Studied	Jewish, Muslim, Christian	Hindu, Sikh, Buddhist, Jain	Muslim, Jewish, Christian, Humanist	Jewish, Christian, Zoroastrianist, Buddhist	Shinto, Buddhist, Sikh Humanist	Multiple worldviews