



	Autumn A		Spring A		Summer A	
EYFS	Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians? We will discuss why God is so important to Christians and explore the wonders of the world.	Why is Christmas special for Christians? Children will explore Christmas for Christians and understand the nativity.	Where do we belong? We will share and explore special occasions in children's lives.	Why is Easter special to Christians? Children will be able to retell the Easter story and recognise key Christian symbols.	What places are special and why? We will investigate local places of worship and ask questions as to why these are important.	What times / stories are special and why? Children will retell and create their own religious stories about God.
<u>Year 1</u> and 2	What do Christians believe God is like? We will explore how Christians show their beliefs in God.	Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Children will discover the story of Jesus and how this is celebrated at Christmas.	How should we care for others and the world and why does it matter? Do people in different religions show care in different ways? We will investigate.	What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings? We will tell stories from the Bible about Matthew and understand the instructions that Jesus gave his followers.	Who is a Muslim and how do they live? Children will explore key religious symbols for Muslims and their beliefs.	
<u>Year 3</u> and 4	What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today? Children will describe how Hindus show their faith within their families in Britain today.	What do Hindus believe God is like? Children will explore what God is like to Hindus and identify key terminology.	What do Christians learn from the creation story? Children will make clear links between Genesis 1 and what Christians believe about God and Creation	What is the Trinity and why is it important to Christians? We will explore what is a 'Gospel' and describe what a Trinity is.	How and why do people mark the significant events of life? Children will identify some beliefs about love, commitment and promises in two religious traditions.	What is it like for someone to follow God? We will discover the story of Noah and make links to celebrations including weddings.
<u>Year 5</u> and 6	How does faith help when life gets hard? We will describe ways in which religions guide people in how to respond to good and hard times in life.	Why do Christians believe Jesus was the Messiah? Children will make connections between biblical texts and explore the place of incarnation and the Messiah.	Why do Hindus want to be good? Children will identify Hindi beliefs and make connections between how Hindus live and other religions.	Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people? We will make clear connections between Jewish beliefs about the Torah and how they use and treat it.	Creation and science: conflicting or complementary? Children will discuss the story of creation and if this is the only view of how the world was created.	For Christians what kind of King is Jesus? We will discover Christians put their beliefs into practice in different ways.