









## **Overview of RE Planning**

## Three Big Ideas:

**Faith**: Children explore and describe their own and others' beliefs

**Understanding:** Children learn key concepts underpinning different religions and religious practices. They explore religious stories and recognise their meaning. They appreciate how individuals and cultures are shaped and influenced by religion.

**Acceptance:** Children understand and respect the views and beliefs of others.

## Overview of RE Planning - Cycle 1 (2022-23)

(Cycle 1)	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Big question: What does the word 'God' mean?	Big question: Why are some people revered?	Big question: Is it always easy to help someone?	Big question: Does everyone need some help?	Big question: Is every one of us special?	Big question: What is really important to do?
	Creation 1 Why is the word of God important to Christians?	Incarnation 1 Why Christians perform nativity plays?	Salvation 2 How can we help others when they need it?	Salvation 1 Why do Christian put a cross in the Easter garden?	Incarnation 2 What makes every person unique?	Creation 2 How can we care for our wonderful world?
	An encounter with A Muslim whispering Allah in a baby's ear	An encounter with A Muslim story: Muhammad and the Ants	An encounter with A Sikh story: Har Gobind and the 52 Princes	An encounter with A Buddhist story: The Monkey King	An encounter with Hindus celebrating at Raksha Bandhan	An encounter with Tu be Shevat: the Jewish 'Birthday of Trees'
Year 1/2	Big question: Big Question 1: Is it important to belong?  Why do people celeb		orate?	<b>Big question:</b> Should everyone lear	ig question: hould everyone learn to pray?	
	Christianity - Church  Why is belonging to God and the church family important to Christians?	Judaism- Mitzvot  Why is learning to do good deeds so important to Jewish people?	Christianity - resurrection  What are the best symbols of Jesus' death and resurrection at Easter?	Hinduism - devotion  How does a Hindu celebrate devotion to a deity at the festival of Holi?	Judaism - tefillah  Why do Jewish families say so many prayers and blessings?	Christianity - worship  Why do Christians pray to God and worship him?
Year 3/4	Big question: Do beliefs make any difference to someone's life?			<b>Big question:</b> What beliefs drive people to make a difference in the world?		

	Christianity	Hinduism	Islam	Christianity	Humanism	Sikhism
	<b>Reconciliation,</b> Stewardship, or Forgiveness	Karma or Samsara	Submission or Salah	Kingdom of God, Sacrifice, or Creation	Why do Humanists use the golden rule as a basis for morality?	<b>Guru</b> or Waheguru
		lo people look for answer	s to life and living?	Big question: Are some things more sacred than others?		
Year 5/6	Christianity	Hinduism	Islam	Christianity	Buddhism	Judaism
	<b>Gospel</b> , Wisdom, or Parable	<b>Moksha</b> or Artha	<b>Revelation</b> or Sunnah	<b>Eucharist,</b> Pilgrim, or Icon	<b>Enlightenment</b> or Buddharupa	<b>Kedusha (Holiness</b> ) or Kotel

## Overview of RE Planning - Cycle 2 (2023-24)

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2		
				Summer 1	Summer 2

Reception  (repeat of cycle 1)  Year 1/2	Big question: What does the word 'God' mean?  Creation 1 Why is the word of God important to Christians?  An encounter with A Muslim whispering Allah in a baby's ear	Big question: Why are some people revered? Incarnation 1 Why Christians perform nativity plays? An encounter with A Muslim story: Muhammad and the Ants	Big question: Is it always easy to help someone?  Salvation 2 How can we help others when they need it?  An encounter with A Sikh story: Har Gobind and the 52 Princes	Big question: Does everyone need some help?  Salvation 1 Why do Christian put a cross in the Easter garden?  An encounter with A Buddhist story: The Monkey King	Big question: Is every one of us special?  Incarnation 2 What makes every person unique?  An encounter with Hindus celebrating at Raksha Bandhan	Big question: What is really important to do?  Creation 2 How can we care for our wonderful world?  An encounter with Tu be Shevat: the Jewish 'Birthday of Trees'
	Big question: What do people believe is important?		Big question: Who is it right to follow?		<b>Big question:</b> Can books and stories be good teachers?	
	Judaism - Teshuvah / Forgiveness  How does the story of Jonah help Jewish people think about new starts?	Christianity - Saviour / Jesus Why was Jesus given the name saviour?	Islam - compassion  How do some Muslims show Allah is compassionate and merciful?	Christianity - Trust  Why do Christians trust Jesus and follow him?	Judaism Torah / Rabbi  Why do Jewish people celebrate the laws God gave them through Moses?	Christianity - parable  What did Jesus teach about God in his parables?
Year 3/4	Big question: What rothers? Christianity	Hinduism	inspiration to	Big question: What Christianity	Sikhism	Judaism

	Salvation, Conversion, or Miracle	<b>Dharma</b> or Ahimsa	<b>Prophet</b> or Messenger	Unity, Body of Christ, or <b>Mission</b>	<b>Equality</b> or Sewa	Covenant or Shabbat
Year 5/6	Big question: Why are there so many different ideas about God?			<b>Big question:</b> What are the best ways to think about living and dying?		
	Christianity -	Hinduism -	Islam -	Christianity -	Buddhism -	Humanism -
	Incarnation, Trinity, or Creed	Trimurti or Atman / Brahman	<b>Tawheed</b> or Allah	<b>Resurrection</b> , Faith, or Heaven	<b>Refuge</b> or Impermanence	<b>Happiness</b> or Morality