RE Curriculum Mapping Whole school Overview

What religions are to be taught?

Religious traditions are to be studied in depth as follows:

1	Schools should consider the pupils they serve in deciding whether to go beyond the minimum entitlements to learning about religions, which are that pupils should learn from:								
4-5s	Children will encounter Christianity and other faiths, as part of their growing								
Reception	sense of self, their own community and their place within it.								
5-7s	Christians and Muslims or Jewish people								
Key Stage 1	Christians and Muslims of Jewish people								
7–11s Key Stage 2	Christians, Muslims, Hindus and Jewish people								

Time for RE

Schools have a statutory responsibility to deliver Religious Education to all pupils, except those withdrawn by parents (see p.11).

Schools must ensure that sufficient time is given in order to enable pupils to meet the expectations set out in this agreed syllabus, ensuring that the curriculum is coherent and shows progression, particularly across transitions between key stages.

There is no single correct way of making appropriate provision for RE as long as the outcomes are met.

In order to deliver the aims and expected standards of the syllabus effectively, the expectation is that there is a minimum allocation of 5 per cent of curriculum time for RE. This is set out in the table below, and based on the most recent national guidance.

36 hours of RE, e.g. 50 minutes a week or some short sessions implemented through continuous
provision
36 hours of tuition per year
(e.g. an hour a week, or less than an hour a week plus a series of RE days)
45 hours of tuition per year
(e.g. an hour a week, or a series of RE days or weeks amounting to 45+ hours of RE)
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RE Curriculum Mapping Overview – Whole School (2 Year cycle)

	Cycle A Autumn Terr	m				ele A er Term	Cycle B Autumn Term			le B ı Term	Cycle B Summer Term			
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KS1 Year 1 & Year 2	1.8 How should care for othe and the world, why does it matter?	rs and :	1.1 Who is a Christian and what do they believe?	celebrate sp ecial and sa cred times		nakes some sacred?	1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith community?		belong to a faith		1.4 How can we learn from sacred books?	1.6 How & why do we celebrate sp ecial and sa cred times		s a Muslim nat do they elieve?
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LKS2 Year 3 & Year 4	L2.7 What does it many a Christian in Britain		L2.1 What do different people believe about God?	L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communitie s?	L2.4 Why do people pray?	L2.2 Why is the Bible so important for Christians today?	L2.8 What do be a Hindu in		L2.4 Why are festivals important to religious communitie s (Eid)	L2.6 Why do some people think that life is like a journey?	L2. 9 What can we learn from religion about deciding what is right and what is wrong?	L2. 3 Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?		
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UKS2 Year 5 & Year 6	U2.1 Why do some people believe God exists?	U2.4 If God is everywh ere, why go to a place of worship ?	U2.2 What woul (21 st century		to be a Mus	does it mean lim in Britain ay?	U2.5 Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?	U2.8 What difference does belief in Ahimsa, Ummah, or Grace make?	U2.7 What m Christians and		U2.3 What of say to us when har	nen life gets		
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Yellow = Living strand

Pink = Believing strand

Purple = Expressing strand

KS1	Cycle A	Сус	le A	Cycle A	Cycle B	Су	cle B	Cycle B
	Autumn Term	Spring	Term	Summer Term	Autumn Term	Sprin	g Term	Summer Term
Unit	1.8	1.1	1 .6 (split unit over 2 yr)	1.5	1.7	1.4	1 .6 (split unit over 2 yr)	1.2
Key Question	How should we care for others and the world, an d why does it matter?	Who is a Christian and what do they believe?	How & why do we celebrate special a nd sacred times	What makes some places sacred?	What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	How can we learn from sacred books?	How & why do we celebrate special and sacred times	Who is a Muslim and what do they believe?
Book Link		Lost sOn story	EASTER STORY			THE LOST SHEEP STORIES JESUS TOLD STORIES JESUS TOLD	PASSOVER STORY	Night of the Moon
RE strand	Living	Believing	Expressing	Expressing	Living	Believing	Expressing	Believing
	(Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	(Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	(Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	(Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	(Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	(Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	(Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	(Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)
Religions and worldviews	Christians and Jewish People	Christians	Christians, Jewish people and/or Musli ms	Christians, Muslims and/or Jewish people	Christians, Muslims and Jews	Christians, Muslims, Jewish people	Christians, Jewish people and/or Muslims	Muslims

Questions	·	1.2 Who is a	F4 Which times are	F3 Which places are	F5: Where do we	F1 Which stories are	F4 Which times are sp	1.1 Who is a
	t our world?	Muslim and what	special and why?	special and why?	belong?	special and why?	ecial and why?	Christian and what
in	L2.9 What can we learn	do they believe?	L2.5	L2.4 Why do people	1.7 What does it	L2.2 Why is the	L2.5	do they believe?
this thread	from religions about deci	1.3 Who is Jewish	Why are festivals i	pray?	mean to belong to	Bible so important	Why are festivals imp	1.3 Who is Jewish
tilis tilicau	uning what is right and wi	and what do they	mportant to religiou	U2.4 If God is	a faith community?	for Christians today?	ortant to religious com	and what do they
	ong?	believe?	s communities?	everywhere, why go to	L2.7 What does it	3.2 Does living	munities?	believe?
	U2.7 What matters most	L2.1 What do	U2.5 Is it better to e	a place of worship?	mean to be a	biblically mean	U2.5 Is it better to expr	L2.1 What do
	to Christians and Huma	different people	xpress your beliefs i	3.6 Should religious	Christian in Britain	obeying the whole	ess your beliefs in arts	different people
	nists?	believe about God?	n arts and architect	buildings be sold to	today?	bible?	and architecture or in	believe about God?
	U2.8 What difference do	U2.1 Why do some	ure or in charity and	feed the starving?	U2.6 What does it		charity and	U2.1 Why do some
	es it make to believe in	people believe God	generosity?		meant to be a		generosity?	people believe God
	?	exists?	3.7 How can people		Muslim in Britain		3.7 How can people ex	exists?
	3.10	3.1 Do we need to	express the spiritu		today?		press the spiritual thro	3.1 Do we need to
	Does religion help peopl	prove God's	al through the arts?		3.8 What is good		ugh the arts?	prove God's
	e to be good?	existence?			and what is			existence
	3.11 What difference do				challenging about			
	es it make to believe in				being a teenage			
	?				Buddhist, Sikh			
	3.12 Is religion a power f				or Muslim in			
	or peace or a cause of c				Britain today?			
	onflict in the world today							
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LKS2	Cycle A	Cycle A		Су	rcle A	Cycle B	Cycle	е В	Су	rcle B
	Autumn Term	Spring	Term	Sumn	ner Term	Autumn Term	Spring	Term	Sumn	ner Term
Unit	L2.7	L2.1	L2.5	L2.4	L2.2	L2.8	L2.4	L2.6	L2. 9	L2. 3
Key Question	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?	What do different people believe about God?	Why are festivals important to religious communities?	Why do people pray?	Why is the Bible so important for Christians today?	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	Why are festivals important to religious communities (Eid)	Why do some people think that life is like a journey?	What can we learn from religion about deciding what is right and what is wrong?	Why does Jesus inspiring some people?
Book link										
RE strand	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitment s)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)
Religions and worldvie w	Christians	Christians, Hindus or Muslims	Christians plus Hindus and/or Jewish people and/or Muslims	Hindus, Christians and Muslims	Christians	Hindus		Christians, Hindus and/or Jewish people	Christians, Je wish people, non- religious peo ple (eg Huma nist)	Christians
Question s in	F5 Where do we belong? 1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	1.1-3 Who is Christian / Muslim / Jewish and what do they believe?	F4 Which times are special and why? 1.6 How and why do we celebrate	F3 Which places are special and why?	F1 Which stories are special and why?	F5: Where do we belong? 1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith community? L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?		FS: Which times are special and why? 1.6 How and why do we	1.8 How shou ld we care for others and th e world, and	F2 Which people are special and w hy? U2.2 What woul d Jesus do? Can

this threa	L2.8 What does it mean to	U2.1 Why do some	special and sacred	1.5 What	1.4 What can we	U2.6 What does it meant to	celebrate	why does it m	we live by the val
d:	be a Hindu in Britain	people believe God	times?	makes some	learn from	be a Muslim in Britain today?	special and	atter?	ues of Jesus in th
	today?	exists?	U2.5 Is it better to	places	sacred books?	3.8 What is good and what is	sacred times?	U2.7 What m	e twenty-first
	U2.6 What does it meant	3.2 Do we need to	express your	sacred?	3.2 Does living	challenging about being a		atters most t	century?
	to be a Muslim in Britain	prove God's	beliefs in arts and	U2.4 If God is	biblically mean	teenage Buddhist, Sikh or		o Christians a	3.3 What is so ra
	today?	existence?	architecture or in	everywhere,	obeying the	Muslim in		nd Humanists	dical about Jesus
	3.8 What is good and what		charity and	why go to a	whole Bible?	Britain today?		5	?
	is challenging about being		generosity?	place of				3.10 Does reli	
	a teenage Buddhist, Sikh or		3.7 How can	worship?				gion help peo	
	Muslim in Britain today?		people express	3.6 Should				ple to be goo	
			the spiritual	religious				d?	
			through the arts?	buildings be					
				sold to feed					
				the starving?					

UKS2	Су	cle A	Cycle A	Cycle A	Cycl	е В	Cycle B	Cycle B
	Autur	nn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term	Autumr	n Term	Spring Term	
								Summer Term
Unit	U2.1	U2.4	U2.2	U2.6	U2.5	U2.8	U2.7	U2.3
Key Questio n	Why do some people believe God exists?	If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?	What would Jesus do? (21st century values)	What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?	What difference does belief in Ahimsa, Ummah, or Grace make?	What matters most to Christians and Humanists?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?
Book link								
RE strand	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Expressing (Religious and spiritual forms of expression; questions about identity and diversity)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Living (Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments)	Believing (Religious beliefs, teachings, sources; questions about meaning, purpose and truth)
Religion s and worldvie ws	Christians, non-religious e.g. Humanist	Christians, Hindus and Jewish people	Christians	Muslims	Christians, Muslim s and non-religious, e.g. Hu manists	Christians, Musli ms and Hindus	Christians and non-religious (in this case, Humanism)	Christians, Hindus and non-religious responses (e.g Humanists).

Questio ns1.1-3 Who is Christian/ Muslim / JewishF3: Which places are special and why?F2 Which people are special and why?L2.3 Why is Jesus inspiring	1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith	3.7 How can peop le express the spir itual through the a	1.8 How should we care for other s and the world,	1.8 How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter?	3.4 Is death the end? Does it matter? 3.5 Why is there
this thre ad: and what do they believe? L2.1 What do different people believe about God? 3.1 Do we need to prove God's existence? 1.7: What makes some places sacred? L2.5: Why do people pray? 3.6: Should religious buildings be sold to feed the starving?	community?	rts?	and why does it matter? 3.11 What differe nce does it make to believe in?	L2.9 What can we learn from religions about deciding right and wrong? 3.10 Does religion help people to be good?	suffering? Are there any solutions?

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	I know some symbols and actions that show peoples culture & beliefs. I can say how people cooperate with others who are different. I can ask questions about Christian beliefs.	worship and respond sensitively. I can express (creatively) my own ideas about truth and or meaning. I can ask questions respectfully of believers.	I can retell religious stories. I can recognise the traditions stories come from and discuss meanings.	I can suggest meanings in stories. I know some symbols and actions that show peoples culture & beliefs. I can say how people cooperate with others who are different.	and respond sensitively. I can express (creatively) my own ideas about truth and or meaning. I can say how people cooperate with others who are different.
LKS2 I can describe some examples of what Christians do to show their faith, (entering) and make connections with some Christian beliefs and teachings (developing). I can say the similarities and differences of two Christian churches and their Holy Communion. (secure) I can describe a hymn that shows a Christian belief. (developing) I can suggest at least two reasons why being a Christian is a good thing in Britain today, and two reasons why it might be hard sometimes. I can describe links between the reasons people of different faiths or no faith give for helping others. I can ask questions about holy communion.	1. What do different people believe about God? 2. Why are festivals important to religious communities? I can retell and suggest meanings in the story of God and Moses. I can think of reasons why some people believe in God I can identify that the Quran guides Muslims in their everyday life. I can describe some symbolism in beliefs about Hindu gods and goddesses. I can describe what many Hindus say about God. I can describe the Muslim Shahada or declaration of faith. I can discover what many Christians mean when they talk about God, the father and the Holy Spirit I can look for similarities in beliefs about God. I can consider questions like 'Does God help to be	1. Why do people pray? 2. Why is the Bible so important for Christians today? I can describe some ways Christians pray including the Lord's Prayer. I can describe how Muslims pray. I can describe how Hindus use the Gayatri Mantra. I can make connections between the ways different people pray. Respond thoughtfully to why prayer is helpful for some people. I can give examples of how Christians use the Bible.	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? I can describe ways Hindus express their faith. I can make connections between Hindu beliefs and responsibilities. Give reasons why being a Hindu is a good thing and why it might be hard. I can describe how the life of Gandhi shows Hindu belief in action I can explain similarities and differences between Hindu belief and belief in another religion.	1.Why are festivals important to religious communities (Eid) 2. Why do some people think that life is like a journey? I can make connections between stories and beliefs related to what happens in two festivals. I can ask questions and suggest answers to what matters most to Muslims at Eid or to Christians at Easter. I can identify similarities and differences in the way festivals celebrated within	1. What can we learn from religion about deciding what is right and what is wrong? 2. Why is Jesus inspiring? I can talk about some rules for living in religious traditions. I can make connections between stories of temptation and why people might find it hard to be good. I can express my own ideas about right and wrong. I can connect the stories of Jesus with Christian belief. I can describe how Christians celebrate the events of Holy Week.

		good?' and 'How can we good without God?' I can make links between beliefs about Jesus and the celebration of Easter. I can make links between the symbols of Seder plate and their meaning. I can make links between Diwali and the story of Lakshmi.	I can make connections between the Bible story of Creation and what people believe about Creation, the Fall and Salvation.	I can ask questions about puja and how it shows faith. Discuss ideas about Dharma for Hindu children and make links with my own experiences.	and between different religions. I can suggest what is worth celebrating in religious communities and in my own life.	Suggest an example of how to treat people connecting it with a story from the life of Jesus.
UPKS2	1,Why do some people think God exists? 2.If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? I can define the terms theist, atheist and agnostic and give examples of statements that reflect these beliefs. I can give two reasons why a Christian believes in God and one why an atheist does not. I can express thoughtful ideas about the impact of believing or not believing in God on someone's life. I can present different views on why people believe in God or not, including my own ideas. Give examples of support places of worship give believers.	What would Jesus do? (21st century values) I can outline how Jesus taught his followers should live. I can offer interpretations of some parables and say how they might teach Christians to live. I can express my own ideas of how Jesus might respond to a moral dilemma today. Explain the impact of Jesus teaching on modern Charity work. I can discuss, argue about and develop a range of answers to moral dilemmas, using the teaching of Jesus to suggest what might be good or bad about different decisions. I can Explain the links between Jesus' death on the cross and Christian belief in love	What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	1. Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? 2. What difference does belief in Ahimsa, Ummah, or Grace make? Understand different reasons why some buildings are sacred I can Consider, discuss and weigh up different views about why mosques and Christian sacred buildings are important and why religious art is important. I can Suggest reasons, quoting religious sources, why Muslims consider charity and generosity important I can make connections between belief and	most to Christians and Humanists? Describe what Christians mean about humans being made in the image of God and being 'fallen', giving examples. Describe some Christian and Humanist values simply. Express their own ideas about some big moral concepts, such as fairness or honesty comparing them with the ideas of	What do religions say to us when life gets hard? Describe the Hindu belief in reincarnation and Karma Explain how believing in reincarnation might affect the way someone lives their life Describe the impact for a Christian and or a Muslim, of a belief in Judgement, in a series of areas of their life. Give reasons why non-religious people and Christians might choose to live their life in similar or different ways because of their beliefs Describe and explain their own ideas about life after death reflecting on ideas

	and forgiveness, giving reasons why Christians want to follow Jesus.		behaviour in different religions. I can make connections between belief in Ahisma (harmlessness) Grace (generosity of God) and Ummah (community).	Suggest reasons why it might be helpful to follow a moral code and why it might be difficult, offering different points of view.	from at least two religions studied. Interpret artistic and poetic expressions of what happens when we die
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