

# ATAM

## Sikh Studies Curriculum Coverage Map (Overview)

### PRIMARY

Year Group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>Reception</b>  <b>Learning about the Gurus</b>	<b>The Sikh Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Guru Song</li> <li>Guru Nanak Dev Ji Sakhis</li> </ul>	<b>The Sikh Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guru Angad Dev Ji</li> <li>Guru Amar Das Ji</li> <li>Guru Ram Das Ji</li> <li>Guru Arjan Dev Ji</li> <li>Guru Hargobind Ji</li> <li>Guru Har Rai Ji</li> </ul>	<b>The Sikh Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guru Harkrishan Ji</li> <li>Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji</li> <li>Guru Gobind Singh Ji</li> </ul>	<b>Guru Granth and Guru Panth</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guru Granth Sahib Ji</li> <li>5ks</li> <li>Bana</li> <li>Sikh Symbols</li> </ul>	<b>Guru Granth and Guru Panth</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vaisakhi story</li> <li>Panj Pyaray</li> <li>Mata Sahib Kaur</li> </ul>	<b>Chaar Sahibzade &amp; Important Sikh Events</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chaar Sahibzade</li> <li>Bandi Chor</li> <li>Gurdwara Etiquette</li> <li>Seva &amp; Simran</li> </ul>
<b>Year 1</b>  <b>Learning about the Gurus</b>	<b>Sikh Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guru Nanak Dev Ji</li> <li>Guru Angad Dev Ji</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guru Amar Das Ji</li> <li>Guru Ram Das Ji</li> <li>Guru Arjan Dev Ji</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guru Hargobind Ji</li> <li>Guru Har Rai Ji</li> <li>Guru Harkrishan Ji</li> <li>Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji cont</li> <li>Guru Gobind Singh Ji</li> <li>Guru Granth Sahib Ji</li> <li>Guru Khalsa Panth</li> </ul>	<b>Vaisakhi</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vaisakhi Story</li> <li>Vaisakhi celebrations</li> <li>Vaisakhi today</li> </ul>	<b>Harmandir Sahib/ Guru Arjan Dev Ji Shaheedi</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Location and History</li> <li>Architecture</li> <li>Sarovar</li> <li>Guru Arjan Dev Ji Shaheedi</li> <li>Chabeel</li> </ul>

<b>Year 2 Special Sikhi</b>	<b>Special Ceremonies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Naming Ceremony</li> <li>Anand Karaj</li> <li>Amrit Sanchar</li> </ul>	<b>Special items in a Gurdwara</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gurdwara - special areas</li> <li>Nishaan Sahib</li> <li>Objects in Darbar Sahib</li> </ul>	<b>Special items in a Gurdwara</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Objects in Darbar Sahib</li> <li>Karah Parshad</li> </ul>	<b>Special Writers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learning about different parts of Guru Granth Sahib Ji and contributors</li> <li>Bhagat Kabir Ji</li> <li>Bhagat Namdev Ji</li> <li>Bhagat Fareed Ji</li> <li>Bhai Mardana Ji</li> </ul>	<b>Special Women</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Equality in Sikhi</li> <li>Bebe Nanaki</li> <li>Mata Khivi</li> <li>Bibi Amro</li> <li>Bibi Bhani</li> <li>Mata Sahib Kaur</li> <li>Mai Bhago</li> <li>Bibi Sharan Kaur</li> </ul>	<b>Special Charities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand importance of Seva and Dasvand</li> <li>Old charities and charities in U.K</li> <li>Research a Sikh charity</li> <li>Organise a fundraiser</li> </ul>
<b>Year 3 Sikh Arts</b>	<b>Sikh music</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guru Granth Sahib Ji's structure</li> <li>Learn how to read a Shabad</li> <li>Learn about raag and numbering system</li> <li>Learn about Raag and emotions</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh Instruments</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intro to Sikh instruments</li> <li>Rabab</li> <li>Jori</li> <li>Tous</li> <li>Siranda</li> <li>Dilruba</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh instruments</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vaja</li> <li>Nagara</li> <li>Practical activities with instruments</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh Martial Arts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to Sikh Martial Arts</li> <li>History of Sikh Martial Arts- including Miri and Piri and warrior spirit</li> <li>Introduction to Shastars</li> <li>Holla Mohalla</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh Martial Arts</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learning about Gatka, training and akareh</li> <li>Dhaddi Vaars</li> <li>Learning about different Dhaddis</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh Art</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sikh architecture</li> <li>Calligraphy</li> <li>Pre 21st century Sikh artists</li> <li>21st century Sikh artists</li> </ul>
<b>Year 4 Love and Faith</b>	<b>Love and Faith shown through the Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about love and faith</li> </ul>	<b>Love and Faith shown through the Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about love and faith</li> </ul>	<b>Love and Faith shown through the Gurus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about love and faith</li> </ul>	<b>Gurbani and Faith</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about love and faith of All the Gurus</li> </ul>	<b>Vaisakhi and Important Sikh Figures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about the Vaisakhi Story and the</li> </ul>	<b>Important Sikh Figures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bhagat Prahlad Ji</li> </ul>

	<p>between Bhai Lehna Ji and Guru Nanak Dev Ji</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn about love and faith between Baba Amar Das Ji and Guru Angad Dev Ji</li> <li>• Learn about brief History of Bhai Jetha Ji (Guru Ram Das Ji), how they had love and faith for Guru Amar Das Ji and how they married into the house of the Guru.</li> </ul>	<p>between Guru Arjan Dev Ji and Guru Ram Das Ji</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn about love and faith between Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji and Guru Arjan Dev Ji</li> <li>• Learn about love and faith between Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji and their grandfather Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji and how they loved nature</li> </ul>	<p>Between Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji and their Father Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji and how Guru Ji helped the people of Delhi</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn about love and faith of Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji, story of helping poor when younger and Makhan Shah Lubana</li> <li>• Learn about love and faith of Guru Gobind Singh Ji and Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji's Shaheedi</li> </ul>	<p>and Guru's Bani</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bhai Bachittar Singh Ji</li> <li>• 40 Mukhteh &amp; Mai Bhago</li> </ul>	<p>love and faith of the Panj Pyaray and Guru Gobind Singh Ji</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bhai Kanhiya Ji</li> <li>• Baba Deep Singh Ji</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bhagat Dharoo Ji</li> </ul>
<p><b>Year 5 Sikh Rehat Maryada</b></p>	<p><b>Intro to Sikh Rehat Maryada</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Important vocab</li> <li>• Learn about our Aatma, our aim in this world</li> </ul>	<p><b>Shakhshi Rehat (Individual Living)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Definition of a Sikh</li> <li>• Meditation on Naam and Bani- Learn about</li> </ul>	<p><b>Shakhshi Rehat (Individual Living)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ardaas Pt 4 Sikha Nu Sikhi Daan fill Finish</li> <li>• Going to the Gurdwara</li> </ul>	<p><b>Shakhshi Rehat (Individual Living)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn about Sehaj Path and Akhand Path</li> </ul>	<p><b>Shakhshi Rehat (Individual Living)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn about Anand Karaj Ceremony</li> <li>• Learn about doing Seva</li> </ul>	<p><b>Shakhshi Rehat (Individual Living)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn about the 5ks. Kanga and Kes (revisiting)</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about reincarnation in Sikhi our Atma, Karm, Paap and Punn</li> <li>Learn about the Jugs of the World and Maya</li> </ul>	<p>Amritvela, Simran and Nitnem Banis.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>importance of Ardaas and History Pt1 Guru's names</li> <li>Ardaas Pt 2 Panj Pyaray and Jina Singha Singhnia</li> <li>Ardaas Pt 3 Panj Thakata and Prithmeh Sarbhat</li> </ul>	<p>Etiquette (revisiting))</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learning about Parkash, Sukhasan and doing Seva.</li> <li>Learn about the importance of a Hukamnama and how to take one</li> <li>Learn about doing Kirtan Seva</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about Karah Prashad</li> <li>Learn about Kirtan and Katha</li> <li>Learn about Everyday Living</li> <li>Learn about Birth Ceremony</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Doing Seva of Panth, being Tyaar Bur Tyaar</li> <li>Learn about the Amrit Ceremony</li> <li>Learn about the 4 Bajjar Kuretah and Khalsa associations</li> <li>Learn about the 5 K's Kara, Kacheera, Kirpaan (revisiting)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about the importance of Kes</li> <li>Learn about the importance of Kes and Dastaar</li> <li>Turban Tying</li> <li>Imposing Tankhah and learning about Gurmatta</li> </ul>
<p><b>Year 6</b></p> <p><b>The Sikh Sacrifice</b></p> <p><b>The Sant Sipahi</b></p>	<p><b>Shaheedi of Guru Arjun Dev Ji</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn meaning of true sacrifice</li> <li>Revisit information about Guru Arjun Dev Ji</li> <li>The martyrdom of Guru Arjun Dev Ji</li> </ul>	<p><b>Shaheedi of Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revisit information about Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji</li> <li>Sacrifices of Bhai Sati Das Ji, Bhai Mati Das Ji &amp; Bhai Dayala Ji</li> <li>The martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji</li> <li>Battles of Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji</li> </ul>	<p><b>Chaar Sahibzaday</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Battles of Guru Gobind Singh Ji</li> <li>The martyrdom of the older Sabibzaday</li> <li>The martyrdom of the younger Sahibzaday</li> </ul>	<p><b>Maharaja Ranjit Singh</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chotta Ghallughara</li> <li>Vadda Ghallughara</li> <li>Akali Phula Singh</li> <li>Nawab Kapur Singh</li> <li>Banda Singh Bahadur</li> </ul>	<p><b>Prominent Sikhs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recent Sikh sacrifices</li> <li>Sant Isher Singh Ji</li> <li>Sant Gurbachan Singh Ji</li> <li>Bhai Randhir Singh Ji</li> <li>Baba Puran Singh Ji</li> </ul>	<p><b>Power of Gurbani, Amrit and Ardas</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Power of Amrit and Gurbani</li> <li>Importance of Ardas</li> <li>Importance of Sant Sipahi</li> </ul>

SECONDARY

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<p><b>Year 7</b></p>	<p><b>Basics of Sikhi and revisiting life and contributions of Guru Nanak Dev Ji</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Revisiting key beliefs</li> <li>• Who is the Khala</li> <li>• Panj Kakkar</li> <li>• Importance of Guru Granth Sahib Ji</li> <li>• Build on protocols of Darbar Sahib</li> <li>• Janam sanskar and Amrit sanchar</li> </ul>	<p><b>Teachings and contributions of Guru Nanak Dev Ji and Guru Angad Dev Ji</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early life and janam sakhis</li> <li>• Guru Nanak Dev Ji's missions and udisis</li> <li>• Three key teachings: naam japna, vand chakna and kirat karna</li> <li>• Nankana Sahib</li> <li>• Bibi Nanaki</li> <li>• Developing understanding of Mool Mantar</li> <li>• Jap Ji Sahib</li> <li>• Gurmukhi</li> </ul>	<p><b>Teachings and contributions of Guru Amar Das Ji</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early life and janam sakhis</li> <li>• raising the societal status of women</li> <li>• Abolition of practises such as sati and wearing of the veil</li> </ul>	<p><b>Important Sikh females and their contributions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mata Khivi Ji</li> <li>• Bibi Bhani Ji</li> </ul> <p><b>Different types of Sewa</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Developing concept of sewa (tan, man, dhan)</li> <li>• Revisiting and developing understanding the work of different Sikh charities</li> </ul>	<p><b>Importance of Sangat and Pangat</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Values and benefits associated</li> </ul> <p><b>Goindwal Sahib</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The importance of Baoli Sahib</li> </ul> <p><b>Anand Sahib</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Developing understanding of composition</li> </ul> <p><b>Humility</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Developing understanding and self reflection</li> </ul>	<p><b>Teaching and contributions of Guru Ram Das Ji</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Amritsar city</li> <li>• Revisiting and developing understanding of Harmandir Sahib</li> <li>• Bibi Rajni and Guru Ram Das Ji</li> <li>• Meaning of the Laavan Bani (read during wedding ceremony)</li> <li>• Shabad Hazare</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Khadoor Sahib</li> </ul>				
<b>Year 8</b>	<b>Life and contributions of Guru Arjun Dev Ji</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early life and janam sakhis</li> <li>• Compilation of Aad Granth</li> <li>• Significance of Harmandir Sahib</li> <li>• Martyrdom of Guru Arjun Dev ji</li> </ul>	<b>Teachings and contributions of Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early life and janam sakhis</li> <li>• Revisit Miri Piri</li> <li>• Role of Akal Takhat</li> <li>• Developing understanding of Bandi Chor Diwas</li> </ul>	<b>Life of Guru Har Rai Ji</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Well known sakhis</li> <li>• Nature and healing</li> <li>• Work with animals and development of animal sanctuary</li> </ul>	<b>Life and contributions of Guru Har Krishan Ji</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop understanding of Karam</li> <li>• Janam sakhis</li> <li>• key contributions</li> <li>• Guru Ji's sewa during small pox endemic in Delhi</li> <li>• Importance of community in coronavirus pandemic</li> </ul>	<b>Life and teachings of Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gurmukh vs manmukh</li> <li>• The importance of Sikh calendar (Bikrami calendar)</li> <li>• Early life and janam sakhis of Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji</li> <li>• Plea of Kashmiri Pandits</li> </ul>	<b>Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji and the aftermath</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Martyrdom in Delhi</li> <li>• Contributions of Bhai Mati Das Ji, Bhai Sati Das Ji and Bhai Dayala Ji</li> <li>• Key role of different Gursikhs in the aftermath of the martyrdom</li> <li>• Importance of Sikh identity</li> <li>• Composition of Salok Mahalla Nauvan</li> </ul>
<b>Year 9</b>	<b>Life of Guru Gobind Singh Ji</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sakhis from Patna Sahib</li> <li>• Purpose behind celebrating Vaisakhi</li> <li>• Revisiting 5 forts in</li> </ul>	<b>Important scriptures and key figures</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compilation of Guru Granth Sahib Ji</li> </ul>	<b>Important contributions of Sikh men and women during the time of the 10th Guru</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Baba Banda Singh Bahadur</li> <li>• Bhai Taru Singh Ji</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh place of worship</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Build on importance of Gurdwara</li> <li>• Significance of the different parts of the</li> </ul>	<b>Sikh human rights issues</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Events leading up to June 1984</li> <li>• Events which unfolded during June</li> </ul>	<b>Sikhi and life</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Building on understanding of liberation ( 5 Khands)</li> <li>• Death and after life</li> <li>• The 5 vices (anger,</li> </ul>

	<p>Anandpur Sahib</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Martyrdom of four Sahibzaday</li> <li>• Important battles</li> <li>• Influential Sikh women of this time</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compilation of Dasam Granth</li> <li>• Contributions of Bhai Mani Singh</li> <li>• Contributions of Baba Deep Singh Ji</li> <li>• Developing understanding of value 'Chardi Kala'</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sikh Raj: Maharaja Ranjit Singh Ji</li> <li>• Sikhs in British army</li> <li>•</li> </ul>	<p>Nishan Sahib</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authority given to Guru Granth Sahib Ji</li> <li>• How has langar evolved</li> <li>•</li> </ul>	<p>1984 in Amritsar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Post 1984 and the impact on Sikhs around the world</li> </ul>	<p>attachment, lust, ego &amp; jealousy)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• British Sikh values</li> </ul>
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