

RE

Knowledge and Skills Progression

Year Group	1	2	3	4	5	6
Know/ understand	Understand some basic religious festivals Retell some religious stories Understand that actions reflect a way of life	Understand basic religious festivals/ practices to discover meaning Retell some religious stories and suggest meaning Understand that some actions express a community's way of life	Understand celebration/ worship/ pilgrimage and ritual in Christianity and Judaism Look at sources that tell stories Understand that basic symbols and actions express a community's way of life	Understand the significance of celebration/ worship/ pilgrimage and ritual in Christianity and Judaism Understand how different sources can tell the same story Understand that symbols and actions express a faith community's way of life	Describe different features of religions and reflect on their significance Respond to a range of sources of wisdom Understand that symbols, beliefs and actions express a faith community's way of life	Describe and make connections between features of a range of religions Respond to a range of sources of wisdom, describing differences and similarities Understand different ways of life. Extract meaning from religious symbols, beliefs and actions
Express ideas	Talk about the actions of individuals and communities Think about own identity Notice basic similarities between Christianity and Judaism	Respond to Qs about the actions of individuals and communities Recount different ways of expressing identity/ belonging Notice similarities between 3 world religions	Give simple reasons how religious ways of life have meaning Understand what it means to be part of a faith community Show basic understanding of similarities and differences between religions	Give reasons how religious ways of life have meaning Understand the significance of belonging to a faith community Show understanding of similarities and differences between religions	Understand how varied examples in religions have meaning and begin to see significance Understand the benefits of commitment to a faith community Highlight aspects that demonstrate similarities and differences between religions	Understand how varied examples in religions have meaning and significance Understand the benefits and challenges of commitment to a faith community Explore aspects that demonstrate similarities and differences between religions
Engage purposefully	Ask HOW and WHY to religious knowledge gained Discuss how different people can get on with each other Begin to discuss the concept of right and wrong in the community	Respond in words/ drama/art to HOW and WHY questions Find examples of co-operation between different people Express opinions on right/ wrong in the world, formulating basic responses	Discuss basic views on belonging and meaning Consider how diverse communities can live together Think how right/wrong links to concept of fairness	Discuss own views on belonging and meaning Consider how diverse communities can create communal well-being Think how right/wrong links to justice and fairness	Discuss own and others' views on belonging, meaning and purpose Describe how basic values and respect tie communities together Explore ideas about justice in relation to ethical questions	Discuss own and others' views on belonging, meaning, purpose and truth Describe how basic values and respect tie diverse communities together Explore and express ideas about justice in relation to ethical questions