



Subject overview 2023-24

Subject: Religious Studies

	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn 1	Which stories are special and why?	Who is a Christian and what do they believe?	Who is a Muslim and what do they believe?	What do people believe about God?	Why are festivals important?	Why do some people believe God exists?	Is it better to express beliefs in art or charity?
Autumn 2	Which people are special and why?						
Spring 1	Which places are special and why?	What makes some places sacred?	Who is Jewish and what do they believe?	Why is the Bible important to Christians today?	Why do some people think life is a journey?	Can we live by the values of Jesus in the twenty-first century?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard?
Spring 2	What times are special and why?				Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?		What matters most to Christians and to Humanists?
Summer 1	Being special: where do we belong?	How do we celebrate special and sacred times?	What can we learn from sacred books?	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	If God is everywhere why go to a place of worship?	
Summer 2	What is special about our world?	What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	How should we care for others and the world?	Why do people pray?	What can we learn from religions about deciding right and wrong?	What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa, Grace and Ummah?

