

RE Overview

EYFS FOUNDATION STAGE - Teachers may adapt as they see appropriate.

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At **EYFS**, a selection of RE topics that you build into the foundation stage curriculum – these can be entirely your choice. You can find the foundation stage topics [here](#)

3.2 Programme of Study for Early Years Foundation Stage

Teachers may adapt this as they think appropriate.

Unit title	Skills and attitudes Pupils should:	Links to early learning goals
Myself	Recognise and explore feelings	Personal, social and emotional development
My special things	Understand why some things are special/precious	
My friends	Establish effective relationships with other children and adults	
Special people to me	Recognise and respond appropriately to key figures in their lives	
Special times in my life	Recognise special times and feel good about themselves	
Special times for me and others	Recognise and respond to key religious events throughout the year	Personal, social and emotional development / Understanding the world
Our beautiful world	Explore and respond to the natural world and recognise there are some questions that are difficult to answer	Understanding the world
My life	Appreciate the wonder of life and development	
Our living world	Care for and respect living things: plants and animals	
Our special places	Identify places which are special to them and to others	
Our books are special	Know that books are important sources of information and should be handled with care and respect	Literacy
My senses	Respond to key elements in religion using their five senses	Expressive arts and design / Understanding the world

Compulsory faiths **faiths**

Compulsory units **God** **Community** **being human** **life journeys**

Extra units **extra areas**

objectives Programmes of study learning objectives

Our chosen Our chosen enquiry question

	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
YEAR 1	CHRISTIANITY GOD: What do people believe about God?	CHRISTIANITY COMMUNITY WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION	CHRISTIANITY GOD: What do people believe about God?	CHRISTIANITY COMMUNITY WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION:	CHRISTIANITY BEING HUMAN	JUDAISM PLACES OF WORSHIP CREATION / THE

	<p>What do Christians learn and understand about God through Old Testament bible stories?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry- Does God want us to look after the world? YEAR 1 AUTUMN 1</p>	<p>How do people express their religion and beliefs?</p> <p>What do Christians do to express their beliefs? Which celebrations are important to Christians?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: What might Christians in my own town have given Jesus if he was here rather than in Bethlehem? YEAR 1 AUTUMN 2</p>	<p>What do stories in the New Testament tell the Christians about Jesus?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship? YEAR 1 SPRING 1</p>	<p>What do Christians do to express their beliefs?</p> <p>Which celebrations are important to Christians?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: Why was Jesus welcomed like a King or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday? YEAR 1 SPRING 2</p>	<p>How does faith and belief affect the way people live their lives?</p> <p>What does the Bible say about how Christians should treat others and live their lives? Consider actions of inspirational Christians.</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time? YEAR 2 AUTUMN 1</p>	<p>NATURAL WORLD THANKFULNESS</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children? YEAR 1 SUMMER 1</p>
<p>YEAR 2</p>	<p>JUDAISM PLACES OF WORSHIP CREATION / THE</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY CELEBRATION:</p>	<p>ISLAM GOD:</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY COMMUNITY WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION:</p>	<p>ISLAM LIFE JOURNEY, RITES OF PASSAGE</p>	<p>ISLAM BEING HUMAN:</p>

**NATURAL WORLD
THANKFULNESS.**

Exploring key beliefs in Judaism. Special day, Shabbat meal and synagogue

Discovery RE enquiry: Is Shabbat important to Jewish Children?

YEAR 1 SUMMER 1

HOW DO PEOPLE EXPRESS THEIR RELIGION AND BELIEFS? What do Christian's do to express their beliefs? Which celebrations are important to Christians?

Discovery RE enquiry: Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus the world?

YEAR 2 AUTUMN 2

WHAT DO PEOPLE BELIEVE ABOUT GOD? HOW IS Allah described in the Qur'an? What do Muslims learn about Allah and their faith through the Qur'an?

BEING HUMAN: HOW DOES FAITH AND BELIEF AFFECT THE WAY PEOPLE LIVE THEIR LIVES? What does the Qur'an say about how Muslims should treat others and live their lives?

Discovery RE enquiry: Does praying at regular intervals help a

HOW DO PEOPLE EXPRESS THEIR RELIGION AND BELIEFS? What do Christian's do to express their beliefs? Which celebrations are important to Christians?

Discovery RE enquiry: How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his Crucifixion?

YEAR 2 SPRING 2

HOW DO PEOPLE MARK IMPORTANT EVENTS IN THEIR LIFE?

What do Muslims do to celebrate birth? What does it mean and why does it matter to belong?

Discovery RE enquiry: Does going to a mosque give muslims a sense of belonging?

YEAR 2 SUMMER 1

Additional enquiry Qu added - Why do Muslims practice certain rituals when a new baby is born?

HOW DO PEOPLE EXPRESS THEIR RELIGION AND BELIEFS? What do Muslim's do to express their beliefs?

Discovery RE enquiry: Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?

YEAR 2 SUMMER 2

			Muslim in his / her everyday life? YEAR 2 SPRING 1			
YEAR 3	<p>HINDUISM GOD</p> <p>COMMUNITY , WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION !!!</p> <p>HOW ARE DEITIES AND KEY FIGURES DESCRIBED IN HINDU SACRID TEXTS AND STORIES? WHAT MIGHT HINDUS UNDERSTAND ABOUT THE DIVINE THROUGH THESE STORIES? WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY GOD</p> <p>HOW DO SYMBOLS IN THE BIBLE HELP A CHRISTIAN RELATE TO GOD? Discovery RE Enquiry: Has Christmas lost it's true meaning? YEAR 3 AUTUMN 2</p>	<p>HINDU BEING HUMAN</p> <p>HOW DO HINDUS REFLECT THE WAY THEY LIVE? WHAT IS THE KARMA AND HOW DOES IT DRIVE THE CYCLE OF SAMSARA? HOW MIGHT A HINDU SEEK TO ACHIEVE MOKSHA? Discovery RE enquiry: Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lifes? YEAR 5 SUMMER 1</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY COMMUNITY , WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION</p> <p>WHAT VISUAL SYMBOLS AND SYMBOLIC ACTS CAN BE SEEN IN A CHRISTIAN CHURCH? HOW MIGHT LANGUAGE WITHIN WORSHIP EXPRESS CHRISTIAN BELIEF? Discovery RE enquiry: What was</p>	<p>HINDUISM COMMUNITY , WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION</p> <p>HOW IS HINDU BELIEF EXPRESSED PERSONALLY AND COLLECTIVELY? HOW DOES HINDU WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION BUILD A SENSE OF COMMUNITY? Discovery RE enquiry? How can Braham be everywhere and in everything? YEAR 3 SUMMER 1</p>	<p>SIKH PILGRIMAGE FORGIVENESS EXPRESSING BELIEF THROUGH THE ARTS AND BIG QUESTIONS</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry</p> <p>Does joining the kalsa make a person a better Sikh? YEAR 3 AUTUMN 1</p>

	<p>VISUAL SYMBOLS IN THE MANDIR?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: Would celebrating Diwali at home in the community bring a sense of belonging to a Hindu child?</p> <p>YEAR 3 AUTUMN 1</p>			<p>good about Good Friday?</p> <p>YEAR 3 SPRING 2</p>		
<p>YEAR 4</p>	<p>ISLAM Community, worship and celebration!!!!</p> <p>How do people express their religion and beliefs? How is Muslim worship expressed collectively? How does Muslim worship and celebration build a sense of community?</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY GOD!! WHAT VISUAL SYMBOLS AND SYMBOLIC ACTS CAN BE SEEN IN A CHRISTIAN CHURCH? HOW MIGHT LANGUAGE WITHIN WORSHIP EXPRESS</p>	<p>SIKHISM PILGRIMAGE FORGIVENESS EXPRESSING BELIEF THROUGH THE ARTS AND BIG QUESTIONS</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry Do Sikhs think it is important to share?</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY BEING HUMAN!!! IN WHAT WAYS DOES THE BIBLE TEACH CHRISTIANS TO TREAT EACH OTHER? HOW IS THIS EXPRESSED IN PRACTICE? Discovery RE enquiry: Is forgiveness always</p>	<p>SIKHISM PILGRIMAGE FORGIVENESS EXPRESSING BELIEF THROUGH THE ARTS AND BIG QUESTIONS</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry What is the best way for a Sikh to show their commitment to God?</p> <p>YEAR 3 AUTUMN 2</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY LIFE JOURNEY'S RIGHTS OF PASSAGE!!!! HOW CHRISTIANS SHOW THEY BELONG? HOW IS CHRISTIAN BELIEF EXPRESSED COLLECTIVELY?</p>

	<p>Discovery RE enquiry: What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God? YEAR 6 AUTUMN 1</p>	<p>CHRISTIAN BELIEF?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: What is the most significant part of the Nativity story for Christians today? YEAR 4 AUTUMN 2</p>	<p>YEAR 3 SUMMER 1</p>	<p>possible for Christians? YEAR 4 SPRING 2</p>		<p>Discovery RE enquiry: Do people need to go to Church to show they are Christians? YEAR 4 SUMMER 2</p>
<p>YEAR 5</p>	<p>HINDU COMMUNITY, WORSHIP AND CELEBRATION</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God? YEAR 5 AUTUMN 1</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY GOD</p> <p>HOW DO SYMBOLS IN THE BIBLE HELP A CHRISTIAN RELATE TO GOD?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: Is the Christmas story true?</p>	<p>SIKHISM</p> <p>EXPRESSING BELIEF THROUGH THE ARTS BIG QUESTIONS PILGRIMAGE</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry? How far would a sikh go for his or her religion? YEAR 5 AUTUMN 1</p>	<p>CHRISTIANITY GOD</p> <p>WHAT DO SYMBOLS IN THE STORY OF THE BAPTISM OF JESUS REVEAL ABOUT THE NATURE OF GOD?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry? How</p>	<p>BUDDHISM</p> <p>BIG QUESTIONS FORGIVENESS</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry? Can the Budha's teaching make the world a better place? YEAR 4 SPRING 1</p>	<p>BUDDHISM</p> <p>BIG QUESTIONS FORGIVENESS</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry? What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life? YEAR 4 SUMMER 1</p>

		YEAR 5 AUTUMN 2		significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die? YEAR 5 SPRING 2		
YEAR 6	<p>CHRISTIANITY Community, worship and celebration!!!!</p> <p>How do people express their religion and beliefs? How is Christian belief expressed collectively? How does Christian worship and celebration build a sense of community?</p>	<p>BUDDHISM BIG QUESTIONS FORGIVENESS</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry? Is it possible for everyone to be happy? YEAR 4 AUTUMN 1</p>	<p>ISLAM God:</p> <p>What do the main concepts in Islam reveal about the nature of Allah? What is the purpose of visual symbols in a mosque?</p> <p>RE enquiry: QU: What do the main concepts in Islam reveal about the nature of Allah?</p>	<p>HINDUISM LIFE JOURNEYS RIGHTS OF PASSAGE !!!! HOW DO HINDUS SHOW THEY BELONG?</p> <p>Discovery RE enquiry: Would visiting the River Ganges feel special to a non- Hindu? YEAR 3 SUMMER 2</p>	<p>ISLAM Life journey, rites of passage:</p> <p>How do Muslims show they belong?</p> <p>RE enquiry: How does Birth - choice of names, the qualities or people associated with certain names help a muslim feel a sense of belonging?</p>	<p>ISLAM BEING HUMAN</p> <p>What does the Qur'an teach Muslims about how they should treat others? How do Muslim teachings guide the way Muslims act in the world? How are Muslim beliefs expressed in practice !!!!!</p>

Discovery RE enquiry: Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on earth?
YEAR 6 SPRING 2

What is the purpose of visual symbols of Islamic art in a mosque and in a Muslims home?

Discovery RE enquiry Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives.
YEAR 6 SUMMER 1
Additional enquiry
What is the significance of Ramadan?