

**RE Topics  
2021/22**

	Autumn A		Spring A		Summer A		Autumn B		Spring B		Summer B	
Y1	Judaism – Rosh Hashana Festival (Israel)		Christianity and Easter		Islam – Ramadan (Turkey)		Judaism – Rosh Hashana Festival (Israel)		Christianity and Easter – Christian stories, the church (UK)		Islam – Ramadan (Turkey)	
Y2	Judaism		Christianity and Easter		Islam		Judaism		Christianity and Easter		Islam	
Y3/4	Festivals	Christianity	Festivals	Sikhism	Festivals	Islam	Festivals	Buddhism	Festivals	Hinduism	Festivals	Judaism
Y4/5	Places of worship		Places of worship		Places of worship		Places of worship		Places of worship		Places of worship	
Y5/6	Beliefs, stories and symbols		Beliefs, stories and symbols		Beliefs, stories and symbols		Beliefs, stories and symbols		Beliefs, stories and symbols		Beliefs, stories and symbols	

**KS1 questions:**

**Y1 –** How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times?  
Who is a Christian and what do they believe?  
What makes some places sacred?  
What does it mean to belong to a faith community?

**Y2 -** Who is Jewish and what do they believe?  
What can we learn from sacred books?  
Who is a Muslim and what do they believe?  
How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times?  
How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter?

**KS2 questions:**

**Y3/4 -** What do different people believe about God?  
Why is the Bible so important for Christians today?  
Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?  
Why do people pray?  
Why are festivals important to religious communities?  
What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?  
What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?

**Y4/5 -** If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?  
What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?  
What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?  
Why do some people think that life is like a journey and what significant experiences mark this?

**Y5/6 -** What do religions say to us when life gets hard?  
Why do some people think God exists?  
What matters most to Christians and Humanists?  
Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?  
What difference does it make to believe in ahimsa (harmlessness), grace and/or Ummah (community)?