

RE Curriculum and Progression Across School

70% of RE Teaching is Christianity.

In KS1 the children will experience a progressive study of Christianity, Islam and Judaism. This study continues into KS2 with the addition of Hinduism.

By the end of their time at St. Peter's, the children will have a good knowledge and understanding of Christianity, Islam, Judaism and Hinduism. They will also have encountered aspects of all major world faiths where appropriate.

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Where the suggested number of hours includes (x+y) then x is the number of hours for the study of Christianity and y is the number of hours for the study of World Faiths/Views.

Year Group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	EYFS 1: Why Are We All Different and Special? 5 (4+1) Link to World Faiths: Islam EYFS 2: Why Do People of Faith Say Thank You to God at Harvest Time? (4) Link to Understanding Christianity: God/Creation-Unit F1 Why is the word God so important to Christians? EYFS 4: How do Christians Celebrate Jesus' Birthday? (6) Link to World Faiths: Diwali - Hinduism	EYFS 5: Which Stories Did Jesus Hear When He Was a Child? (4) EYFS 6: Why Did Jesus Tell Stories?(4) EYFS 7: Why Do Christians Believe Easter is All About Love? (5) Link to Understanding Christianity: Salvation-Why do Christians put a Cross in an Easter Garden?	EYFS 9: What Makes a Place Holy? 6 (4+2) Link to World Faiths: Islam – Mosque EYFS 10: Prayer: What is Prayer? 6 (4+2) Link to World Faiths: Prayer Islam			

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	Link to Understanding Christianity: <i>Incarnation</i> - Unit F2 Why do Christians Perform Nativity Plays at Christmas? World Faith Link: Why do Hindus light Candles at Diwali? Hinduism		
Year 1	1.2. What do People of Faith Believe about God as Creator? 6 (4+2) World Faith Link: What do people of Muslim and Hindu faith believe about how God made the world? 1.1 How and Why do People of Faith Celebrate and Give Thanks for the Harvest? 5 (3+2) 1.3 Why do Many People Give and Receive Gifts at Christmas? 5 (4+1) Link to Understanding Christianity: <i>Incarnation</i> – Unit 1.3 Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	1.5 Easter: Celebrating new life and new beginnings. (5) Link to Understanding Christianity: <i>Salvation</i> - Unit 1.5 Why does Easter matter to Christians? 1.8 Joseph (5)	1.7 How do People of World Faiths Welcome New Babies? 7(4+3) World Faith Link: How do people of world faiths welcome new babies? Judaism 1.9 My world, Jesus' world. 5 (4+1) World Faith Link: Judaism

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Year 2	2.1 The Bible: Why is it such a Special Book? 10 (6+4) Link to World Faiths: Do people of all World Faiths have holy books? Islam: The Quran 2.2 Why do Christians Believe the Birth of Jesus was Such Good News? (5)	2.3 Jesus, Friend to Everyone (6) 2.4 Easter: How do Symbols help us to Understand the Story? (5) Link to Understanding Christianity: The Gospel – Unit 1.4 What is the Good News that Jesus Brings?	2.5: The Church: Why is the Church a Special Place for Christians? 10 (6+4) Link to World Faith: Why are holy buildings important to people of faith? Judaism 2.6 What Happened at the Ascension and Pentecost? (4)
Year 3	3.6 Harvest 5 (3+2) 3.2 Why Do Christians Believe Jesus Was 'God with Us'? (5)	3.4 Is the Cross a Symbol of Sadness or Joy? (5) Link to Understanding Christianity: Salvation – Unit 2a.5 Why Do Christians Call the Day God Died 'Good Friday'?	3.5 Is the 'Golden Rule' Agreed by Everyone? 12 (6 +6) Link to World Faiths: Does everybody follow the same rules? Why? Why not? Islam

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		3.1 What is the Role of a Faith Leader Who Has Been Called by God? 8 (6+2) Link to Understanding Christianity: People of God- Unit 2A.2What is it Like to Follow God Link to World Faith: Faith leaders; Who are they and what do they do? Judaism	
Year 4	4.6. What is Prayer? 6 (4+2) Link to World Faiths: How do people of world faiths pray? Islam 4.2. Why is Light an Important Symbol of World Faiths: 6 (4+2) Link to World Faiths: Why is light an important symbol in World Faiths? Hinduism – Diwali	4.3. Why do Christians Believe Jesus is the Son of God: 9 (7+2) Link to World Faiths: Why do Jewish people believe that the Sabbath/Shabbat is so important? 4.4 Easter: A story of Betrayal or Trust? 6 (5+1) Link to World Faith: Why should we forgive one another? What do World Faiths say about forgiveness? Islam	4.5. Why are Holy Buildings and Places Important to People of Faith? 12 (6+6) Link to World Faiths: Are all places of worship the same? Do people worship God in the same way? Islam

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Year 5	5.1. Why are Sacred Texts/Holy Books so Important to People of Faith? 12 (6 +6) Link to World Faith: Why are sacred texts so important to people of faith? Judaism 5.2. How Does the Birth of Jesus Fit into God's Big Story? (5) Link to Understanding Christianity: Incarnation- Unit 2B.4 Was Jesus the Messiah?	5.3. Why do Christians Believe Jesus was a Great Teacher? (6) Link to Understanding Christianity: The Gospel - Unit 2B.5 What Would Jesus Do? 5.4 Why do Christians Believe that Easter is a Celebration of Victory? (5)	5.5. Old Testament Women: Did she Make the Right Choice? 7 (5+2) Link to World Faiths: Jewish festival of Purim 5.6. Is Death an Ending or a Beginning? 6 (4 +2) Link to World Faiths and World Views: How do people of world faiths mark the end of life? Hinduism Link to Understanding Christianity: Salvation – Unit 2B.6 What Did Jesus Do to Save Human Beings?
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Year 6	6.1 Life as a Journey 10 (6+4) Link to World Faiths: Why do people of faith make pilgrimages? Islam 6.2 How do Christians prepare for Christmas? (5) Link to Understanding Christianity: Kingdom of God – Unit 2B.8 What Kind of King is Jesus?	6.3A: The Exodus: Why was the Exodus Such an Important Event in Jewish and Christian History?6 (4+2) 6.4 Easter: Who was Jesus? Who is Jesus? 5 (3 +2) World Faith Link: Who was Jesus? Judaism	6.6 What is the Nature and Character of God? 8 (5+3) Link to World Faiths: Have you discovered any beliefs about God in common across different faiths? Islam 6.7 How Does Having Faith Affect People's Lives? 7 (4 +3) World Faith Link: How does having faith affect people's lives? Hinduism
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