

RE Overview - Oldfield Primary School

Year Group/Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Special People	What is Christmas?	Celebrations	What is Easter?	What is Ramadan?	Special Places
	What makes people special? Judaism	Diwali Hannukah	How do people celebrate? What is Chinese New Year?	What is Holi? Shrove Tuesday	What is Eid? Story time What can we learn from stories?	What makes places special?
Year 1	Creation story Does God want Christians to look after the world?	Christmas: The Christmas Story (What gifts might Christians in my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather than Bethlehem?)	Jesus as a friend Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?	Christianity-Easter Why was Jesus welcomed like a king by the crowds on Psalm Sunday?	Judaism Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?	Judaism-Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur Are RH and YK important to Jewish children?
Year 2	Christianity – What did Jesus teach? Is it possible to be kind all the time?	Christianity – Christmas – Jesus as a gift from God Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	Islam -: Prayer at home Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/ her everyday life?	Christianity – Easter (How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after His crucifixion?)	Islam – Community and Belonging (Does going to a Mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?)	Islam – Hajj (Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?)
Year 3	Hinduism: Diwali Would celebrating Divali at home and in the community bring a	Christmas Has Christmas lost its true meaning?	Christianity – Jesus' miracles. Incarnation Could Jesus heal people? Were these miracles or is there	Christianity – Easter – forgiveness (What is 'good' about Good Friday?)	Hindu beliefs How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?	Hinduism: Pilgrimage to the Ganges Would visiting the River Ganges feel

	feeling of belonging to a Hindu child?		some other explanation?			special to a non- Hindu?
Year 4	Judaism: Belief and Practices How special is the relationship Jews have with God?	Christianity: Christmas What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today?	Judaism: Passover How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do	Christianity: Easter Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	Religion: Buddhism: Theme: The 8-fold path: Can the Buddha's teachings make the world a better place?	Christianity: Prayer and worship Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians? Enquiry: Why are there four Gospels and how are they relevant to Christians today?
Year 5	Sikhism Beliefs in action How far would a Sikh go for his/ her religion?	Christianity – Incarnation Is the Christmas story true?	Sikhism Beliefs and moral values Are Sikh stories important today? Prayer and Worship: What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God?	Christianity – Easter Salvation How important is it for Christians to believe that God intended Jesus to die?	Hinduism Beliefs and moral values Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives?	Christianity What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God? Enquiry: Does belief in the Trinity help Christians make better sense of God as a whole?
Year 6	Islam, beliefs and practices What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?	Christianity Christmas and incarnation Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?	Christianity – eternity Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on earth?	Christianity =Easter Gospel Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?	Beliefs and moral values of Islam Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?	Christianity How did Jesus create a 'New Covenant' and what does that mean to Christians today?