

2025/2026 RE Curriculum Map

Age Group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Ages 4-5	What makes people special? Christianity and Judaism	What is Christmas? Christianity concept: Incarnation	Celebrations Sanatana Dharma	What is Easter? Christianity concept: Salvation	What can we learn from stories? Christianity, Islam, Sanatana Dharma, Sikhi	What makes places special? Christianity, Islam, Judaism
Ages 5-6	What do Christians believe about God?	What gifts might Christians in my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather than in Bethlehem?	Who is God to Muslims?	Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?	Why is the story of the Buddha important to some Buddhists?	Who is God to Sikhs?
Ages 6-7	Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?	Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	Who is God to Sanatanis?	How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion?	Who is God to the Jews?	What do Humanists believe?
Ages 7-8	Does praying at regular intervals help Muslims in their everyday lives?	Has Christmas lost its true meaning?	Could Jesus heal people? Did He perform miracles or was there some other explanation?	What is 'good' about Good Friday?	Is it possible for everyone to be happy?	Does joining the Khalsa make someone a better Sikh?
Ages 8-9	Does visiting the Ganges make a person a better Sanatani?	What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today?	How do Jewish beliefs, teachings and stories impact on daily life?	Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians? OR Why are there four Gospels and how are they relevant for Christians?	What motivates Humanists to lead good lives?

Ages 9-10	What is the best way for a Buddhist to show commitment to their beliefs?	Is the Christmas story true?	Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?	How significant is it for Christians to believe that God intended Jesus to die?	How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?	What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God? OR Does belief in the Trinity help Christians make better sense of God as a whole?
Ages 10-11	What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?	How significant is it that Mary was Jesus' mother? OR Do Christian celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?	Is anything ever eternal?	Is Christianity still a strong religion over 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?	How do inspirational people impact on how Humanists live today?	How far would a Sikh go for their religion?