

RE Long-Term Planning

Curriculum Driver: Be Brave

The below overview may be subject to change depending on the needs of the children.

Theme	Unit	Autumn Week 1	Autumn Week 2	Autumn Week 3	Autumn Week 4	Autumn Week 5	Autumn Week 6
Belonging	F2 Who are we and where do we belong?			What makes us feel special?	What groups do we belong to??	How do Christians know that people are special to God	How do we show people they are welcome?
Caring for myself and others	Year 1 How do we show care for others?	Caring and being cared for – How does it feel?	What can stories tell us about caring?	Who is a neighbour to me?	Who do we care for and who cares for us?	How have some people shown they care?	What did we learn about caring from the music and stories we used?
People and Leaders	Year 2 What makes some people inspiring to others?	What makes an inspiring leader?	Why do Christians follow Jesus?	Why do Muslims follow the example of Muhammad (pbuh)?	What makes our local leaders special?	How should we live?	Who inspires us?
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Celebrations and Festivals	F2 What is Christmas and why is it special?	What happens at a birthday celebration?	What happens when a new baby arrives?	What happened when Jesus was born?	How is Christmas celebrated?	Why is Christmas important to Christians?	How is Christmas celebrated in school?
Celebrations and Festivals	Year 1 How do Christians celebrate Christmas?	How do we know Christmas is coming?	How did God come at Christmas?	The Christmas story	How do Christians celebrate Christmas?	How do Christians celebrate Christmas?	How do Christians celebrate Christmas?
Celebrations and Festivals	Year 2 Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	Why were gifts given to baby Jesus?	What does a King look like?	How did some people know Jesus was God?	How do Christians celebrate God coming to Earth?	What gifts can Christians give at Christmas?	How and why do Christians give to others at Christmas?
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Symbols, Beliefs and Teaching	F2 Which places are special and why?	Where is special to me?	What places are special to others?	Where is a special place for Christians to go?	What makes a church special?	Where is a holy place for Muslims?	What is needed to make a special place of our own?

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Belonging	Year 1 What does it mean to belong?	Do we all belong to something?	How do Christians show they belong?	How do Muslims show they belong?	How do Christians welcome a new baby?	How do Muslims welcome a new baby?	How do Humanists welcome a new baby?
Symbols, Beliefs and Teaching	Year 2 Who is Muslim and how do they live?	What do Muslims believe about God?	What do Muslims think God is like?	How do stories of Muhammad inspire Muslims?	What can people learn from Muslim holy words?	What difference does worshipping God make to a Muslim?	How do we respond to the things that really matter?
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Stories	F2 Which stories are special and why?	What is special to us?	Which books are special to us?	What books are special for Muslims and Christians?	What stories are special to Christians?	What stories are special to Muslims?	What can a Christian learn from actions in a story?
Celebrations and Festivals	Year 1 Who celebrates what and why?	What special times do we celebrate?	Why do Christians celebrate Easter?	How do Christians celebrate Easter?	How and why do Muslims mark Ramadan?	How do Muslims celebrate Eid-ul-Fitr?	What did we notice about all the festivals?
Celebrations and Festivals	Year 2 What do the symbols of Easter mean?	Where can new life be seen?	What happens when we die?	What happened at the very first Easter?	Why did Jesus have to die?	How are the different parts of Holy Week celebrate in churches?	Why does Easter matter to Christians?
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Symbols, Beliefs and Teaching	F2 What is special about our world?	What are our favourite things about nature?	Why do some people say the world is special?	What story do Christians tell about the creation of the world?	What story do Muslims tell about creation?	How and why should Muslims care for the world?	Is our world 'very good'?
Symbols, Beliefs and Teaching	Year 1 How are places of worship important for believers?	What makes a place special?	Which place of worship is sacred for Christians?	What does worship mean?	Which place of worship is sacred for Muslims?	How are places of worship similar and different?	Why are places of worship important to our community?
Stories	Year 2 How and why are some religious stories important?	How and why do Muslims use the Qu'ran?	Why is Bilal a much loved figure for Muslims?	What do Christians learn from the Bible about God?	Why is the Bible important to Christians?	Why do religious people love their scriptures?	Holy book – what have we learnt?



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People and Leaders	F2 Which people are special and why?	Who is special to you and why?	Why are some people special?	What is a good friend like?	How did Jesus make some special friends?	What story shows Jesus being a friend and caring for others?	How do I show appreciation for my friends?
Stories	Year 1 What can we learn from religious stories?	Why are some books special?	What can we find out about the story of Muhammad (pbuh) at the gates of Makkah?	What can we learn from the story of Bilal?	What book of stories do Christians love to remember? Why?	Why did Jesus tell the story of 'The Lost Sheep'?	How does the story of 'Feeding the 5000' inspire people?
Symbols, Beliefs and Teaching	Year 2 Questions that puzzle us.	What are the most puzzling questions we can think of?	What is a mystery?	What questions would you like to ask the person who knows everything?	What would you like to ask God if you could ask just one question?	Asking puzzling questions about a religious story?	What answers would we give to our puzzling questions?
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