



Dene House Primary School

RE



Key Strands of the RE Curriculum

Knowledge and Understanding of Religion	Critical Thinking	Personal Reflection
Belief	Interpretation	Reflection
Authority	Reason	Response
Expression of Belief Impact of Belief	Evaluate Expression	Empathy

Dene House Primary School Long Term Planning

Coverage of Religious and Non-Religious World Views

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
EYFS	Harvest Shabbat How and why is Christmas celebrated by Christians?	Holy Books Stories Jesus Told How and why is Easter celebrated by Christians?	Special Buildings and Worship
Cycle A	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 1/2	Christianity How and why is Christmas celebrated by Christians?	Christianity How and why is Easter celebrated by Christians?	Buddhism
Year 3/4	Hindusim How and why is Christmas celebrated by Christians?	Christianity How and why is Easter celebrated by Christians?	Hinduism
Year 5/6	Judaism How and why is Christmas celebrated by Christians?	Christianity How and why is Easter celebrated by Christians?	Judaism Religious Study - Rituals

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Cycle B	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 1/2	Christianity How and why is Christmas celebrated by Christians?	Christianity How and why is Easter celebrated by Christians?	Buddhism Religious Study - Local communities
Year 3/4	Christianity How and why is Christmas celebrated by Christians?	Christianity How and why is Easter celebrated by Christians?	Christianity Religious Study - Caring
Year 5/6	Religious Study - Religious Diversity Islam How and why is Christmas celebrated by Christians?	Religious Study - Environment How and why is Easter celebrated by Christians?	Christianity Statutory Bridging Unit

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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Rights Respecting will be taught within each topic area.					
EYFS	Let's find out about Harvest in a church Let's find out about Shabbat	Let's find out about the Christmas story Let's find out about Christmas celebrations in churches	Let's find out about holy books (e.g. the Qur'an, the Torah, the Guru Granth Sahib). Let's hear some stories Jesus told (Lost Sheep, Lost Coin).	Let's find out about Easter celebrations in churches.	Let's find out about special buildings and worship there (e.g. mandir, church, synagogue, Buddhist Rupas).	
Year 1/2	What can we learn about Christianity from visiting a church?	What do Christians believe about God? Why are gifts given at Christmas?	Why is Jesus special to Christians?	What is the Easter story?	What can we find out about Buddha?	
Year 3/4	How do Hindus worship?	How and why is Advent important to Christians?	What can we learn about Christian worship and beliefs by visiting churches?	What do Christians remember on Palm Sunday?	What do Hindus believe?	
Year 5/6	Why is Moses important to Jewish people? Why do Jewish people go to the synagogue?	What are the themes of Christmas?	What do Christians believe about God?	Why is the Last Supper so important to Christians?	How are Jewish beliefs expressed in the home?	Why do people use rituals today?

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Year 1/2	Why is the Bible special to Christians? What can we learn from the story of St Cuthbert?	How and why is light important at Christmas?	What does it mean to belong in Christianity?	How do Christians celebrate Easter?	How do Buddhists show their beliefs?	What can we learn about our local faith communities?
Year 3/4	What do we know about the Bible and why is it important to Christians?	Why do Christians call Jesus the light of the world?	What do Christians believe about Jesus?	Why is Lent such an important period for Christians?	Why do people visit Durham Cathedral today?	Why do people use rituals today?
Year 5/6	What can we find out about a local Muslim community? What can we learn about religious diversity in our area?	What do the gospels tell us about the birth of Jesus?	How and why do people care about the environment?	Why are Good Friday and Easter Day the most important days for Christians?	So, what do we now know about Christianity? (exploration through the concepts)	Statutory Bridging Unit

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