

# Religious Education Curriculum Overview

## Abbot's Hall Community Primary School

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>EYFS</b>	<b>Christianity</b> Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?	<b>Christianity</b> Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas?	<b>Christianity</b> How can we help others when they need it?	<b>Christianity</b> Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?	<b>Christianity</b> What makes every single person unique and precious?	<b>Christianity</b> How can we care for our wonderful world?
	<b>CREATION 1 Islam</b> A Muslim whispering Allah in a baby's ear				<b>INCARNATION 2 Hinduism</b> celebrating at Raksha Bandhan	<b>CREATION 2 Judaism</b> Tu be Shevat: the Jewish 'Birthday of Trees'
<b>Year 1</b>	<b>Belonging Christianity</b> Baptism /church Why is belonging to God and the church family important to Christians?	<b>Belonging Judaism</b> Mitzvot / Tzedakah Why is learning to do good deeds so important to Jewish people?	<b>Symbols and Artefacts Christianity</b> <b>Resurrection /</b> joy What are the best symbols of Jesus' death & resurrection at Easter?	<b>Hinduism Devotion</b> How does a Hindu celebrate devotion to a deity at the festival of Holi?	<b>Prayer and Worship Judaism</b> <b>Tefilah</b> Why do Jewish families say so many prayers and blessings?	<b>Prayer and Worship Christianity</b> Prayer / worship Why do Christians pray to God and worship him?
<b>Year 2</b>	<b>Believing Judaism</b> <b>Teshuvah / G-D</b> Why do Jewish families talk about repentance at New Year?	<b>Believing Christianity</b> <b>Saviour / Jesus</b> Why was Jesus given the name 'saviour'?	<b>Islam Mercy / compassion</b> How do some Muslims show Allah is compassionate and merciful?	<b>Leaders &amp; Teachers Christianity</b> <b>Trust</b> Disciple / faith Why do Christians trust Jesus and follow him?	<b>Leaders &amp; Teachers Judaism</b> <b>Torah / rabbi</b> Why is the Torah such a joy for the Jewish community?	<b>Stories and Books Christianity</b> <b>Parables / gospel</b> What did Jesus teach about God in his parables?

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<b>Year 3</b>	<b>Religion and the Individual</b> What is expected of a believer following a religion and the impact of belief on peoples' lives			<b>Beliefs in Action in the World</b> How religions respond to global issues <b>Christianity</b> What do Christians mean when they talk about the <b>Kingdom of God?</b>	<b>Humanist</b> Why do Humanists use the golden rule as a basis for <b>morality?</b>	<b>Sikhism</b> How does the teaching of the <b>gurus</b> move Sikhs from dark to light?
	<b>Christianity</b> How do Christians show that <b>reconciliation</b> with God and others is important?	<b>Islam</b> How does a Muslim show their <b>submission</b> and <b>obedience</b> to Allah?	<b>Hinduism</b> Why do Hindus want to collect good <b>Karma?</b>			
<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Inspirational People</b> Why some figures, e.g. founders, leaders and teachers, inspire religious believers			<b>Judaism</b> What symbols and stories help Jewish people remember their <b>covenant</b> with God?	<b>Religion, Family and Community</b> How religious families & communities practise their faith & the contributions this makes to local life <b>Christianity</b> Why do Christians believe they are people on a <b>mission?</b>	<b>Sikhism</b> How do Sikhs put their beliefs about <b>equality</b> into practice?
	<b>Christianity</b> How does believing Jesus is their <b>saviour</b> inspire Christians to save and serve others?	<b>Islam</b> Why do Muslims call Muhammad the 'seal of the <b>prophets</b> '?	<b>Hinduism</b> How does the story of Rama and Sita inspire Hindus to follow their <b>dharma?</b>			

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<b>Year 5</b>	<b>Teachings and Authority</b> What sacred texts and other sources say about God, the world and human life			<b>Revisiting Judaism</b> poss. Worship, Pilgrimage and Sacred Places <b>Judaism</b> What is <b>holiness</b> for Jewish people: a place, a time, an object or something else?	<b>Worship, Pilgrimage and Sacred Places</b> Where, how and why people worship, including importance of particular religious sites <b>Christianity</b> What is the great significance of the <b>Eucharist</b> for Christians?	<b>Encountering Buddhism</b> poss. Symbolism and Religious Expression <b>Buddhism</b> How did Buddha teach his followers to find <b>enlightenment</b> ?
	<b>Christianity</b> Why is the <b>gospel</b> such good news for Christians?	<b>Islam</b> What does the Qur'an <b>reveal</b> about Allah and his guidance?	<b>Hinduism</b> What spiritual pathways to <b>Moksha</b> are written about in Hindu scriptures?			
<b>Year 6</b>	<b>Beliefs and Questions</b> What key beliefs people hold about God, the world and humans			<b>Encountering Buddhism</b> poss. Journey of Life and Death <b>Buddhism</b> How does the Triple <b>Refuge</b> help Buddhists in their journey through life?	<b>Journey of Life and Death</b> Why some occasions are sacred to believers and what people think about life after death <b>Christianity</b> Should believing in the <b>resurrection</b> change how Christians view life and death?	<b>Encountering Humanism</b> poss. Journey of Life and Death <b>Humanism</b> Why do Humanists say <b>happiness</b> is the goal of life?
	<b>Christianity</b> How do Christians show their belief that Jesus is God <b>incarnate</b> ?	<b>Islam</b> How does <b>tawhid</b> create a sense of belonging to the Muslim community?	<b>Hinduism</b> How do questions about <b>Brahman</b> and <b>atman</b> influence the way a Hindu lives?			