



Chorleywood Primary Religious Education Long Term Plan



	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Nursery	CELEBRATION The nature and purpose of a group celebration CHRISTMAS Why giving presents is important at Christmas	BELONGING Belonging to a family and groups both in and out of school. Signs of belonging. EASTER Symbols of Easter	RELATIONSHIPS Care and concern for each other. People who help us. Important religious people.
Reception	CELEBRATION Birthdays, anniversaries CHRISTMAS Christmas as a birthday celebration for Christians	CHANGE AND GROWTH Awe and wonder, aspects of the natural world, spring and new life EASTER Episodes from the Easter story (Palm Sunday, Good Friday, Easter Day)	SPECIAL PLACES AND PEOPLE Places and people special to the children. A local religious place and its leader.
Year 1	THANKING GOD FOR NATURE The wonder of nature. Thankfulness for nature. LIGHT Advent, Christingle, Diwali, Hannukah CHRISTMAS	BELONGING Belonging to a family and groups. Welcoming babies into the family. EASTER Giving up something for love	BOOKS AND STORIES Holy books and how they are read and handled
Year 2	SIGNS AND SYMBOLS Signs and symbols in everyday life, the use of artefacts, symbolic behaviour. CHRISTMAS Giving and receiving at Christmas	SPECIAL PLACES What do Christians do when they go to church? EASTER Why is Easter Important for Christians?	RELIGIOUS LEADERS The work of religious leaders within the community EASY QUESTIONS - DIFFUCULT ANSWERS The ultimate questions raised by the natural world
Year 3	STORIES OF KEY RELIGIOUS LEADERS Muhammad. Muslims today WAYS OF DESCRIBING GOD The 99 Beautiful names of Allah CHRISTMAS Messengers - Angels Sending news at Christmas	EVENTS IN THE LIFE OF JESUS Jesus' life and actions Stories of Jesus Lent and Easter	RULES AND HOW THEY INFLUENCE ACTIONS Five Pillars of Faith Two Commands of Jesus, Charity SPECIAL PLACES, SACRED SPACES Personal places The Mosque and the musulla The Church

<p>Year 4</p>	<p>BELONGING HINDU TEACHING ABOUT GOD One God who takes many forms WORSHIP IN A HINDU HOME In the home, a Hindu shrine Worship in a Hindu family CHRISTMAS No room at the Inn Feeling accepted or rejected</p>	<p>BELONGING Welcoming new babies in Christian and Sikh communities THE IMPORTANCE OF SHARING FOOD Food as part of Christian worship The Langar, Kara Prashad (Sikhism) EASTER How did Jesus share his last supper? Holy Communion, Easter foods</p>	<p>SPECIAL BOOKS AND SACRED TEXTS How holy books are regarded and handled Bible (Christianity) Guru Granth Sahib (Sikhism) Bhagavad Gita (Hinduism) SACRED WRITINGS AND STORIES Hindu traditional tales</p>
<p>Year 5</p>	<p>RULES FOR LIVING The Ten Commandments Laws from Deuteronomy (Kosher) LIGHT AS A SYMBOL Hannukah (Judaism) Advent and Christmas (Christianity)</p>	<p>CELEBRATIONS RELATED TO KEY FIGURES Purim - Esther (Judaism) Passover - Moses (Judaism) Easter- Jesus, the events of Holy Week (Christianity) Common themes</p>	<p>LEADERS IN RELIGIOUS COMMUNITIES AND THE IMPORTANCE OF RELIGION TODAY Authority figures. Rabbi Priest/Vicar/Minister/Pastor CREATION STORIES AND THE ULTIMATE QUESTIONS THEY RAISE Ultimate and non ultimate questions How the world started Sabbath (Judaism)</p>
<p>Year 6</p>	<p>CHRISTIAN AND BUDDHIST BELIEFS AND PRACTICES THE BUDDHA Personal Heroes Prince Siddhartha, Buddhists today CHRISTMAS Sacred and secular</p>	<p>EXPRESSING FAITH IN ART, DRAMA AND SONG Responding to Buddhist and Christian texts Expressing faith through meditation THE IMPORTANCE OF JESUS TO CHRISTIANS Easter - The importance to Christians today</p>	<p>IDEAS ABOUT GOD One God. Many gods. No God. HUMAN RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE ENVIRONMENT Issues and Beliefs SUFFERING Desire and Suffering (Buddhist) Holocaust and Genocide Overcoming evil, promoting goodness</p>