

Religious Education Overview – 2020/2021

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	How do Christians describe God?	Why do Christians go to church? Christmas focus Why was Jesus' birth special?	How do Christians have special ways of welcoming babies?	Which times are special for Christians? Easter	Exploring the beauty of the world	How should Christians look after the world?
Year 1	What does the Bible say God is like? Why did Jesus tell the 'lost' parables?	Harvest focus: How do Christians show they are thankful for what they have? Christmas focus: How & why do Christians celebrate Christmas?	Judaism- What do Jews believe about God? What do Jews believe about creation?	How & why do Christians celebrate Easter?	What can we find out about Christianity by visiting the local church? How do Christians show they belong?	Who do Christians follow? Why is Jesus important to Christians?
Year 2	What books (& stories) are special to Christians? E.g. Bible/Creation.	How & why do people have special ways of welcoming babies? (Jews, Christians & Others)	Judaism – Why are celebrations important for Jewish families?	What happened when Jesus went to Jerusalem? Easter	How do Christians know how to care for others? What is the most important teaching of Jesus?	What is God like for Christians? (Father Son & Holy Spirit).
Year 3	How do Christians live their lives as Disciples?	Why is God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit?	Judaism – Important events in a Jew's life	What important events shaped Jesus' life?	How and why do people pray/not pray?	Islam - Why is Muhammad (pbuh) important to Muslims?

Year 4	What is God like for Christians?	How do we know what Jesus taught?	Judaism – How and why do Jews celebrate?	What can we learn about Easter from the arts?	Enquiry – What do sacred texts teach us about life and how do they influence people?	Islam – How do Muslims pray?
Year 5/6 Year A	What do Christians think about the Kingdom of God?	What was the Christmas story about?	Islam - What does it mean to belong to an Islamic Faith Community?	Islam - Why are the 5 Pillars important to Muslims? How do they affect their life choices?	Enquiry – What do different people believe about God? What do Christians, Hindus and Muslims believe about God?	Hinduism - How do Hindus prepare for and welcome babies? How is Hindu marriage celebrated?
Year 5/6 Year B	How do Christians find peace with God?	How does God show humanity in Jesus?	Hinduism - How and why do Hindu's show respect for living things?	Hinduism - How and why is Rama important to Hindus?	Enquiry – Does worship make you happy?	In what way is life like a journey?

Time Allocations

'The requirements of the (RE) syllabus cannot be fulfilled unless 5% of curriculum time is allocated to the teaching of RE. It is expected by the end of the summer term, Foundation Stage classes will be moving towards the statutory requirement for Key Stage One.'

Revised RE Syllabus June 2016.

Key Stage	Hours per year	Minutes per week
KS1	36	56 mins
KS2	45	60mins

Break down of year groups and religions studied (as set out in the Cheshire East Agreed Syllabus):

	Reception	Year One	Year Two	Year Three	Year Four	Year Five (2020/21 Year A for Y5/6)	Year Six
Christianity	6 half terms	5 half terms	5 half terms	4 half terms	3 half terms	2 half terms	3 half terms
Judaism		1 half term	1 half term	1 half term	1 half term		
Islam				1 half term	1 half term	2 half terms	
Hinduism						1 half term	2 half terms
Enquiry – free choice					1 half term	1 half term	1 half term

RE days:

- World Religion Day – Sunday 17th January 2021
- Harvest (whole school visit to Chapel – split into key stages)
- Christmas (whole school visit to Chapel – split into key stages)
- Easter (whole school visit to Chapel – split into key stages)
- Y2 Hope Journey – visit to Chapel around Christmas
- Y5 Easter Detectives (with Y5 children from Wrenbury Primary School) – visit to Chapel
- Staff from Chapel to come into school to work with classes and lead assemblies