

<b>R.E Key questions for every half term</b>	<b>Autumn 1</b>	<b>Autumn 2</b>	<b>Spring 1</b>	<b>Spring 2</b>	<b>Summer 1</b>	<b>Summer 2</b>
<b>Reception</b>	F1: Being special: Where do we belong?	F2: Importance of nativity Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas?	F3: Why is the word 'God's special?	F4: Creating an 'Easter Garden' Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter Garden?	F5: Places of worship Which places are special and why?	F6: Religious stories Which stories are special and why?
<b>Year 1</b>	What is God like? (Christian beliefs, Muslim beliefs and Sikh beliefs)	Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Explore the birth of Christ	Holy places: Where do Christians worship? Explore Churches	Why is Easter an important time for Christians?	Beginning to learn about Sikhism: Stories of the Sikh Gurus	Questions that puzzle us: Why might people believe in God or someone/thing special?
<b>Year 2</b>	Celebrations that matter in Sandwell (Christian, Muslim and Sikh beliefs)	Why does Christmas matter to Christians and why do we celebrate special times?	Holy places: Where do Sikhs worship? Explore Gurdwaras	Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Beginning to learn about Islam: Stories of the Prophet	How and why are some books 'Holy'? Sacred texts for Christians, Muslims and Sikhs
<b>Year 3</b>	What are the deeper meanings of festivals? (Eid, Diwali, Christmas)	What do Christians learn from the Creation story?	What kind of world did Jesus want?	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	Islam: exploring the five pillars of Islam	What is it like to be Jewish? Family, Synagogue and Torah (Judaism)
<b>Year 4</b>	What is it like to be a Hindu? Community, Worship, Celebration (Hindu festivals)	What is the Trinity and why is it important to Christians?	Values: What matters most? (comparisons between Humanists and Christians)	What was the impact of Pentecost? (For Christians, when Jesus left)	Why does the Prophet matter to Muslims? (Islam)	What is it like to be Sikh in Sandwell? Sikh beliefs and the way of living
<b>Year 5</b>	What does it mean if Christians believe God is holy and loving?	Why do Hindus want to be and do good? Exploring the concept of 'Karma'?	Why was Easter a melancholy event for Christians?	What can we learn about temptation from religion?	Stories from the Bible 'What would Jesus do?'	Christian Aid and Islamic Relief: can they change the world? (Charities)
<b>Year 6</b>	Can religion help people when times get hard? (Christian, Hindu, non-religious words of comfort)	An Enquiry into visiting places of worship (Church visit/Temple visit)	For Christians, what kind of King was Jesus? (link to Easter story)	Hindu, Jewish and Islamic prayer: What? When? How? Where? Why?	What would make Sandwell a more respectful community? (focus on many religions/class demographic)	What impact do peoples beliefs have on their lives?