

**ESSA PRIMARY SCHOOL**

RE Curriculum Overview 2023-2024



AUTUMN 1						
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
F4: Being Special: Where do we belong?	1.10 What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	1.6 Who is a Muslim and how do they live?	L2.1 What do Christians learn from the Creation story?	L2.3 What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important for Christians?	U2.1 What does it mean for Christians to believe that God is holy and loving?	U2.2 Creation and Science: conflicting or complementary?
AUTUMN 2						
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
F2. Why is Christmas special for Christians?	1.1 What do we believe God is like?	1.3 Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	L2.2 What is it like for someone to follow God?	What do Hindus believe God is like?	U2.8 What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	U2.11 Why do some people believe in God and some people not? Christians, non-religious.
SPRING 1						
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
F1. Why is the word 'God' so important for Christians?	1.7 Who is Jewish and how do they live (double unit)	1.6 Who is a Muslim and how do they live?	L2.9 How do festivals and family life show what matters to Muslims?	L2.8 What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today?	U2.3 Why do Christians believe Jesus was the Messiah?	U2.7 Why do Hindus want to be good?
SPRING 2						
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
F3 Why is Easter special to Christians?	1.7 Who is Jewish and how do they live (double unit)	1.5 Why does Easter matter to Christians?	L2.10 How do festivals and family life show	L2.5 Why do Christians call the day Jesus	U2.9 Why is the Torah important to Jewish people?	U2.5 What do Christians believe Jesus did to 'save'

			what matters to Jewish people?	died 'Good Friday'?		people?
SUMMER 1						
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
F5 What places are special and why?	1.2 Who do Christians say made the world? (creation)	1.4 What is 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings?	L2.4 What kind of world did Jesus want?	L2.6 For Christians, what was the impact of Pentecost?	U2.4 How do Christians decide how to live? 'What would Jesus do?' (Gospel)	U2.6 For Christians, what kind of king was Jesus? (Kingdom of God)
SUMMER 2						
Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
F6 What times/stories are special and why?	1.9 How should we care for others and for the world, and why does it matter? Christians, Jews and non-religious worldviews	1.8 What makes some places sacred to believers? (Christians and Muslims)	L2.12 How and why do we try to make the world a better place? Christians, Muslims, non-religious	L2.11 How and why do people mark the significant events of life?	U2.10 What matters most to Humanists, Christians and non-religious with opportunities to include other faiths studied	U2.12 How does faith help people when life gets hard? Christians, Muslims/ Jews/ Hindus/ non-religious.