

EYFS

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?	Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas?	How can we help others when they need it?	Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter Garden?	What makes every single person unique and precious?	How can we care for our wonderful world?
Include a simple encounter v	with:				_
Allah into Baby's ear: Muslim birth custom	The Muslim story of Muhammad caring for the Ants	The Sikh story of Guru Har Gobind saving the 52 Princes	The Buddhist story of the Monkey King	A Hindu festival for brothers and sisters: Raksha Bandhan	Tu B'shevat –

In EYFS there are no learning themes required by the Suffolk Syllabus. Instead, children explore the three major Christian concepts of **creation, incarnation and salvation** in a way they can relate to and through experiences which are familiar. The placements of these units maximise opportunities from the church calendar with learning focusing on Christmas, Easter and new beginnings.



Key Stage 1

Cycle A

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
BELONGING		STORIES AND BOOKS	PRAYER AND WORSHIP	CELEBRATIONS Pentecost	PRAYER AND WORSHIP
<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Judaism</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Judaism</u>
Baptism and Church	Mitzvot/Tzedakah	Parables and Gospels	Prayer and Worship	Emmanuel/Holy Spirit	Creation/Blessings
Why is belonging to God and the church family important to Christians?	Why is giving tzedakah important to Jewish families	What did Jesus teach about God in his parables?	Why do Christians pray to God and worship him?	How does celebrating Pentecost remind Christians that God is with them always?	Why do Jewish families say so many prayers and blessings?

Cycle B

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
BELIEVING		BELIEVING	SYMBOLS AND ARTEFACTS	LEADERS AND TEACHERS	
<u>Judaism</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Islam</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Judaism</u>
Teshuvah/Forgiveness	Saviour/Jesus	How do some Muslims show	Resurrection/Joy	<u>Disciples/Faith</u>	<u>Torah/Rabbi</u>
Why do Jewish families talk about repentance at New Year?	Why was Jesus given the name Saviour?	Allah is compassionate and merciful?	What are the best symbols of Jesus' death and resurrection at Easter?	Why do Christians trust Jesus and follow him?	Why is the Torah such a Joy for the Jewish Community?



Lower Key Stage 2

Cycle A

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
R	ELIGION AND THE INDIVIDU	AL	BELIEFS AND ACTION IN THE WORLD	SYMBOLS AND RELIGIOUS EXPRESSION	
What is expected of a believer following a religion and the impact of belief on				How are religious and spiritual ideas expressed?	
peoples' lives? Grouped to allow for a comparison across the religions			How do religions respond to global issues?	Grouped to allow for a comparison across the religions	
<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Islam</u>	<u>Hinduism</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Judaism</u>
<u>Reconciliation</u>	<u>Submission</u>	<u>Karma</u>	Kingdom of God	<u>Sacrifice</u>	Covenant/Mitzvot
How do Christians show that reconciliation with God and others is important?	How does a Muslim show their submission and obedience to Allah?	Why does a Hindu want to collect good karma?	What do Christians mean when they talk about the Kingdom of God?	Is the cross a symbol of love, sacrifice or commitment for Christians?	What symbols and stories help Jewish people remember their covenant with God?

Cycle B

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	INSPIRATIO	RELIGION, FAMILY & THE COMMUNITY			
<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Islam</u>	<u>Hinduism</u>	<u>Sikhism</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Sikhism</u>
How does believing Jesus is the SAVIOUR inspire Christians to save and serve others?	Why do Muslims call Muhammad the 'seal of the PROPHETS'?	How does the story of Rama and Sita inspire Hindus to follow their DHERMA?	How does the teaching of the GURUS move Sikhs from dark to light?	Why do Christians believe they are on a mission?	How do Sikhs put their beliefs about equality into practice?



Upper Key Stage 2

Cycle A

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
TEACHINGS AND AUTHORTIY			SYMBOLS AND RELIGIOUS EXPRESSION	WORSHIP, PILGRIMAGE AND SACRED PLACES	
What sacred texts and ot	What sacred texts and other sources say about God, the world and human life.			Where, how and w	hy people worship.
Grouped to a	Grouped to allow for a comparison across the religions			Grouped to allow for a comparison across the religions	
<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Islam</u>	<u>Hinduism</u>	<u>Buddhism</u>	<u>Judaism</u>	<u>Christianity</u>
Gospel Why is the gospel such good news for Christians?	Revelation What does the Qur'an reveal to Muslims about Allah and his guidance?	What spiritual pathways to Moksha are written about in the Hindu scriptures?	How did Buddha teach his followers to find Enlightenment?	What is holiness for Jewish people: a place, a time, an object or something else?	Eucharist What is the great significance of the Eucharist for Christians?

Cycle B

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	BELIEFS AND QUESTIONS		JOURNEY OF LIFE AND DEATH			
What key beliefs do people hold about God, the world and humans. Grouped to allow for a comparison across the religions			Why some occasions are sacred to believers and what people think about life after death. Grouped to allow for a comparison across the religions			
I <u>slam</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Hinduism</u>	<u>Buddhism</u>	<u>Christianity</u>	<u>Humanism</u>	
How does Tawhid create a sense of belonging to	<u>Incarnate</u>	How do questions about Brahman and Atman	How does the Triple Refuge help Buddhists in	<u>Resurrection</u>	Why do Humanists say happiness is the goal of	
the Muslim community?	How do Christians show their belief that Jesus is God incarnate?	influence the way a Hindu lives?	their journey through life?	Should believing in the resurrection change how Christians view their life and death?	life?	