Small School. Big Hearts. Big Ambitions

RE Long Term Plan

I pray that your love for each other will overflow more and more, and that you will keep on growing in knowledge and understanding. *Philippians 1:9*

Cycle A	Autumn Term			Spring Term		Summer Term		
Reception	UC Creation EYFS D.Deeper Unit How can we care for the world?	UC Incarnation EYFS D.Deeper Unit Why are we unique and precious?	UC Incarnation EYFS D.Deeper Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas?	UC Salvation EYFS D.Deeper Unit How can we help others when they need it?	UC Salvation EYFS Core Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?	Buildings of faith What makes some places sacred to religious believers? Jud / Chr / Isl		Stories and Holy Books Why are religious stories special to religious believers? Jud / Chr / Isl	
Year One Year Two	UC Creation KS1 D.Deeper Unit Who made the world? Rest and Work Day Strewardship	UC God KS1 Core Unit What do Christians believe God is like? Parables of the Lost	UC Incarnation KS1 Core Unit Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Luke's gospel	EPJudaism Mitzvot / tzedakah Why is learning to do good deeds so important to Jewish people?	UC Salvation Core Unit Why does Easter matter to Christians? Emotions, Feelings 5 key events	EP Judaism Tefillah/ blessings Why do Jewish families say so many prayers and blessings?		EP Hinduism Devotion How does a Hindu celebrate devotion to a deity at the festival of Holi?	
Year Three Year Four	UC Creation/Fall LKS2 D.Deeper Unit What do Christians learn from the Creation story? Adam and Eve	UC God LKS2 Core Unit What is it like to follow God? Noah	UC Incarnation LKS2 D.Deeper Unit What is the Trinity? John's Gospel	EP Sikhism Dark and light How does the teaching of the gurus move Sikhs from dark to light?	UC Salvation LKS2 D.Deeper Unit Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday? Last Supper Peter's Denial	EP Sikhism Equality How do Sikhs put their beliefs about equality into practice?		EP Hinduism Karma Why do Hindus want to collect good karma?	
Year Five Year Six	Creation D.Deeper Unit Creation and Science. Conflicting and Complementary Psalm 8		Incarnation D.Deeper Unit Was Jesus the Messiah? Transfiguration	EP Buddhism Triple Refuge How does the Triple Refuge help Buddhists in their journey through life?	UC Salvation Core Unit What did Jesus do to save human beings? Prophecy and evidence	EP Buddhism Enlightenment How did Buddha teach his followers to find enlightenment?		EP Hinduism Brahman How do questions about Brahman and atman influence the way a Hindu lives?	

Whole school RE enrichment days, one per term:

Festivals of Light

Vaisakhi

UC – Gospel – What kind of world did Jesus want? Fishers of Men – Whole School Enrichment

Cycle B	Autumn Term			Spring Term		Summer Term					
Reception	UC Creation EYFS D.Deeper Unit How can we care for the world?	UC Incarnation EYFS D.Deeper Unit Why are we unique and precious?	UC Incarnation EYFS D.Deeper Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas?	UC Salvation EYFS D.Deeper Unit How can we help others when they need it?	UC Salvation EYFS Core Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?	Buildings of faith What makes some places sacred to religious believers?			Stories and Holy Books Why are religious stories special to religious believers?		
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Year One Year Two	UC Creation Core Unit Who made the world? 7 days of Creation	UC God KS1 D.Deeper Unit What do Christians believe God is like? Jonah	UC Incarnation D.Deeper Unit Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Matthew's gospel	EP Judaism Teshuvah / G-D Why do Jewish families talk about repentance at New Year?	UC Salvation D.Deeper Unit Why does Easter matter to Christians? Judas' betrayal Stations of the cross	EP Judaism Torah / Rabbi Why is the Torah such a joy for the Jewish community?			EP Islam Allah / Mercy How do some Muslims show Allah is compassionate and merciful?		
Year Three Year Four	UC Creation/Fall LKS2 Core Unit What do Christians learn from the Creation story? God's masterpiece	UC God LKS2 D.Deeper Unit What is it like to follow God? Abraham	UC Incarnation LKS2 Core Unit What is the Trinity? Baptism	EP Humanism Golden Rule Why do Humanists use the Golden Rule as a basis for morality?	UC Salvation LKS2 Core Unit Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday? Palm Sunday, Good Friday, Easter Sunday	EP Judaism Covenant What symbols and stories help Jewish people remember their covenant with God?			EP Islam Prophethood Why do Muslims call Muhammad Islam Prophethood Why do Muslims call Muhammad the 'seal of the prophets'?		
Year Five Year Six	Creation Core Unit Creation and Science. Conflicting and Complementary Big Bang, Cosmology		Incarnation Core Unit Was Jesus the Messiah? Prophet and Evidence	EP Humanism Happiness Why do humanists say happiness is the goal of life?	UC Salvation D.Deeper Unit What did Jesus do to save human beings? Isaiah 53, John 19	EP Judaism Holiness What is holiness for Jewish people: a place, a time, an object or something else?			EP Islam Tawhid How does tawhid create a sense of belonging to a Muslim community?		

Whole school RE enrichment days, one per term:

Diwali

Eid

Shavuot – Moses receiving the Torah