Stretton Handley CE (VC) Primary School RE Skills progression map 2025

Aim	End of Key stage 1	End of Key stage 2
Know about & Understand A1. Describe, explain and analyse beliefs, and practices, recognising the diversity which exists within and between communities;	Recall and name different beliefs and practices, including festivals, worship, rituals and ways of life, in order to find out about the meanings behind them;	Describe and make connections between different features of the religions and world views they study, discovering more about celebrations, worship, pilgrimages and the rituals which mark important points in life in order to reflect thoughtfully on their ideas;
Know about & Understand A2. Identify, investigate and respond to questions posed by, and responses offered by some of the sources of wisdom found in religions and world views;	Retell and suggest meanings to some religious and moral stories, exploring and discussing sacred writings and sources of wisdom and recognising the communities from which they come;	Describe and understand links between stories and other aspects of the communities they are investigating, responding thoughtfully to a range of sources of wisdom and to beliefs and teachings that arise from them in different communities;
Know about & Understand A3. Appreciate and appraise the nature, significance and impact of different ways of life and ways of expressing meaning;	Recognise some different symbols and actions which express a community's way of life, appreciating some similarities between communities;	Explore and describe a range of beliefs, symbols and actions so that they can understand different ways of life and ways of expressing meaning;
Express and Communicate B1. Explain reasonably their ideas about how beliefs, practices and forms of expression influence individuals and communities;	Ask and respond to questions about what communities do, and why, so that they can identify what difference belonging to a community might make;	Observe and understand varied examples of religions and world views so that they can explain, with reasons, their meanings and significance to individuals and communities;
Express and Communicate B2. Express with increasing discernment their personal reflections and critical responses to questions and teachings about identity, diversity, meaning and value;	Observe and recount different ways of expressing identity and belonging, responding sensitively for themselves;	Understand the challenges of commitment to a community of faith or belief, suggesting why belonging to a community may be valuable, both in the diverse communities being studied and in their own lives;
Express and communicate B3. Appreciate and appraise varied dimensions of religion;	Notice and respond sensitively to some similarities between different religions and world views;	Observe and consider different dimensions of religion, so that they can explore and show understanding of similarities and differences between different religions and world views;
Gain & deploy skills: C1. Find out about and investigate key concepts and questions of belonging, meaning, purpose and truth, responding creatively;	Explore questions about belonging, meaning and truth so that they can express their own ideas and opinions in response using words, music, art or poetry;	Discuss and present thoughtfully their own and others' views on challenging questions about belonging, meaning, purpose and truth, applying ideas of their own thoughtfully in different forms including (e.g.) reasoning, music, art and poetry;
Gain & deploy skills: C2. Enquire into what enables different communities to live together respectfully for the wellbeing of all;	Find out about and respond with ideas to examples of co-operation between people who are different;	Consider and apply ideas about ways in which diverse communities can live together for the well-being of all, responding thoughtfully to ideas about community, values and respect;
Gain & deploy skills: C3. Articulate beliefs, values and commitments clearly in order to explain	Find out about questions of right and wrong and begin to express their ideas and opinions in response.	Discuss and apply their own and others' ideas about ethical questions, including ideas about what is right and wrong and what is just and fair, and express their own ideas clearly in response.

reasons why they may be important in	
their own and other people's lives.	

Understanding Christianity Units

	God	Creation/The Fall	People of God	Incarnation	Gospel	Salvation	Kingdom of God
EYFS / KS1	Christians believe in God, and that they find out about God in the Bible. Christians believe God is loving, kind, fair and also Lord and King; and there are some stories that show this. Christians worship God and try to live in ways that please him.	God created the universe. The Earth and everything in it are important to God. God has a unique relationship with human beings as their Creator and Sustainer. Humans should care for the world because it belongs to God.		Christians believe that Jesus is God and that he was born as a baby in Bethlehem. The Bible points out that his birth showed that he was extraordinary (for example, he is worshipped as a king, in Matthew) and that he came to bring good news (for example, to the poor, in Luke). Christians celebrate Jesus' birth, and Advent for Christians is a time for getting ready	Tell stories from the Bible and recognise a link with a concept of 'Gospel' to good news. Give a simple account of what Bible stories mean to Christians. Recognise that Jesus gives instructions to people about how to behave. Give examples of the ways in which Christians follow teachings about forgiveness and peace and give examples of how they put these	Easter is very important in the 'big story' of the Bible. Jesus showed that he was willing to forgive all people, even for putting him on the cross. Christians believe Jesus builds a bridge between God and humans. Christians believe Jesus rose from the dead, giving people hope of a new life.	
Years 3 / 4	Christians believe God is Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit (see Incarnation). Jesus the Son is seen by Christians as revealing what God the Father is like. They believe he promises to stay with them and Bible stories show how God keeps his promises. Christians find that understanding God is challenging; people spend their whole lives learning more and more about God. Christians really want to try to understand God better and so, try to describe God using symbols, similes and metaphors, in song, story, poems and art.	God the Creator cares for the creation, including human beings. As human beings are part of God's good creation, they do best when they listen to God. The Bible tells a story (in Genesis 3) about how humans spoiled their friendship with God (sometimes called 'the Fall'). This means that humans cannot get close to God without God's help. The Bible shows that God wants to help people to be close to him — he keeps his relationship with them, gives them guidelines on good ways to live	The Old Testament tells the story of a particular group of people, the children of Israel — known as the People of God — and their relationship with God. The People of God try to live in the way God wants, following his commands and worshipping him. They believe he promises to stay with them, and Bible stories show how God keeps his promises. The Old Testament narrative explains that the People of God are meant to show the benefits of having a relationship with God and to attract all other nations to worshipping God.	for Jesus' coming. Christians believe Jesus is one of the three persons of the Trinity: God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. Christians believe the Father creates; he sends the Son who saves his people; the Son sends the Holy Spirit to his followers. Christians worship God as Trinity. It is a huge idea to grasp, and Christians have created art to help to express this belief. Christians believe the Holy Spirit is God's power at work in the world and in their lives today, enabling them to follow Jesus.	beliefs into practice. Identify this as part of a Gospel which tells the story of the life and teaching of Jesus Make clear links between the calling of the first disciples and how Christians today try to follow Jesus and be 'fishers of people' Offer suggestions about what Jesus' actions toward the leper might mean for a Christian Make simple links between Bible texts and the concept of Gospel Give examples of how Christians try to show love to all, including how members of the clergy follow Jesus' teaching Make links between the Bible stories studied	Christians see Holy Week as the culmination of Jesus' earthly life, leading to his death and resurrection. The various events of Holy Week, such as the Last Supper, were important in showing the disciples what Jesus came to earth to do. Christians today trust that Jesus really did rise from the dead, and so is still alive today. Christians remember and celebrate Jesus' last week, death and resurrection.	Make clear links between the story of the Day of Pentecost and Christian belief about the Kingdom of God on Earth Give examples of what Pentecost means to some Christians now Make links between the description of the Day of Pentecost in Acts 2, the Holy Spirit and the Kingdom of God, and how Christians live their whole lives and in their church communities Make links between ideas about the Kingdom of God explored in the Bible and what people

		(such as the Ten Commandments), and offers forgiveness even when they keep on falling short. Christians show that they want to be close to God too, through obedience and worship, which includes saying sorry for falling short.	Christians believe that, through Jesus, all people can become the People of God.		and the importance of love and life in the world today List two distinguishing features of a parable Make clear links between the story of the Good Samartian and the ideas of the Gospel as good news Give examples of how Christians act to show that they are following Jesus		believe about following God in the world today, expressing some of their own ideas. Order concepts within Offer suggestions about what the texts studied (I Corinthians 12 and Galatians 5) might mean,and give examples of what the texts studied mean to some Christians. Make simple links between the idea of the Church as a body, the fruit of the Spirit, and the Kingdom of God, and how Christians live in their whole lives and in their church communities. Describe how Christians show their belief about the Holy Spirit in worship and in the way they live. Raise questions and suggest answers about how far the ideas about Church as a body and the fruit of the Spirit might make a difference to how pupils think and live. Make links between fellowship and fruit of the Spirit and life in the world today, expressing some ideas of their own clearly
Year 5 / 6	Christians believe God is omnipotent, omniscient, and eternal, and that this means	There is much debate and some controversy und the relationship between the accounts of creation in Genesis	The Old Testament pieces together the story of the people of God. As their circumstances change	Jesus was Jewish. Christians believe Jesus is God in the flesh.	Identify features of Gospel texts (for example, teachings, parable, narrative).	Christians read the 'big story' of the Bible as pointing out the need for God to save people. This salvation includes	Explain connections between biblical texts and the concept of the Kingdom of God.

God is worth (for example, from They believe that his the ongoing restoration and contemporary Taking account of the Consider different being nomads worshipping. scientific accounts. birth, life, death, and context, suggest of humans' relationship possible meanings for Christians believe God (Abraham, Jacob) to resurrection were part meanings of Gospel with God. These debates and the biblical texts of a longer plan by God The Gospels give is both holy and loving, controversies relate to being city dwellers texts studied, and studied, showing and Christians have to the purpose and (David)), they have to to restore the compare their ideas accounts of Jesus' awareness of different balance ideas of God interpretation of the learn new ways of relationship between with wavs in which death and resurrection. interpretations. being angered by sin texts. For example, following God. humans and God. Christians interpret The New Testament Make clear The story of Moses and and injustice (see Fall) does reading Genesis The Old Testament biblical texts, showing savs that connections between but also being loving. as a poetic account the Exodus shows how talks about a 'rescuer' awareness of different Jesus' death was forgiving, and full of conflict with scientific God rescued his people or 'anointed one' — a interpretations. somehow 'for us'. belief in the Kingdom from slavery in Egypt; grace. Christians interpret this accounts? messiah. - Some texts Make clear connections of God and how Christians believe God Christians see this There are many talk about what this between in a variety of ways: for Christians put their Gospel texts, Jesus' loves people so much scientists throughout story as looking forward 'messiah' would be like. example, as a sacrifice beliefs into practice in that Jesus was born. history and now who to how Jesus' death - Christians believe that 'good news', and how for sin; as a victory over different ways, lived, was crucified, are Christians. and resurrection also Jesus fulfilled these sin, death, and the Christians live in the including in worship and rose again to show The discoveries of rescue people from expectations, and that Christian community devil; paying the and in service to the God's love. science make slavery to sin. he is the Messiah. and in their individual punishment as a Christians do not all Christians wonder even Christians apply this (Jewish people do not lives. substitute for community and think Jesus is the agree about what God more about the power idea to living today by Relate biblical ideas, everyone's sins; through receiving and trying to serve God and teachings or beliefs (for is like, but try to follow and maiesty of the Messiah.) rescuing the lost and practising forgiveness. his path, as they see it Creator. to bring freedom to Christians see Jesus as example, about peace, leading them to God; Relate Christian in the Bible or through others: for example, their Saviour (see leading from darkness forgiveness, healing) to teachings or beliefs loving others, caring for the issues, problems to light, from slavery to Church teaching. Salvation). about God's Kingdom Christians believe them, bringing health, and opportunities of freedom to the issues. getting to know God is food, justice, and telling their own lives and the Christians remember problems and like getting to know a the story of Jesus. life of their own Jesus' sacrifice through opportunities of their person rather than Christians see the community in the world the service of Holy learning information. Christian Church as today, offering insights Communion (also own lives and the life part of the ongoing of their own. called the Lord's of their own story of the People of Supper, the Eucharist, community in the God, and try to live in a or the Mass). world today, offering way that attracts others Belief in Jesus' insights about whether to God: for example, as resurrection confirms to or not the world could salt and light in the Christians that Jesus is or should learn from world. the incarnate Son of God. but also that Christian ideas death is not the end. This belief gives Christians hope for life with God, starting now and continuing in a new life (heaven). Christians believe that Jesus calls them to sacrifice their own needs to the needs of others, and some are prepared to die for others and for their

faith.

Derbyshire Agreed Syllabus Progression

	EYFS	KS1	LKS2 (Y3/4)	UKS2 (Y5/6)
	Which Stories are special and why?	1.2 Who is a Muslim and what do they	L2.1 What do different people believe	U2.3 What do religions say to us when
	talk about some religious	believe?	about God	life gets hard?
	stories	Talk about the fact that Muslims believe in	Identify beliefs about God that are held by	Raise thoughtful questions and suggest
	recognise some religious	God(Allah)and follow the example of the	Christians, Hindus and/or Muslims.	some
	words, e.g. about God	Prophet Muhammad identify some ways	Retell and suggest the meanings of stories	answers about life, death, suffering, and
	identify some of their own	Muslims mark Ramadan and celebrate	from sacred texts about people who	what
	feelings in the stories they	Eid-ul- Fitr.	encountered God. • Describe	matters most in life. • Give simple
	hear	•Recognise that Muslims do not draw	some of the ways in which Christians	definitions of
	identify a sacred text e.g.	Allah or the Prophet, but use calligraphy to	Hindus and/or Muslims describe God.	some key terms to do with life after death,
	Bible, Qur'an	say what God is like.	Ask questions and suggest some of their	e.g.
	talk about what Jesus	•Talk about some simple ideas about	own responses to ideas about God	salvation, heaven, reincarnation.
	teaches about keeping	Muslim beliefs about God, making links	Suggest why having a faith or belief in	Express ideas about how and why religion
	promises and say why keeping	with some of the 99 Names of Allah.	something can be hard.	can
	promises is a good thing to do	•Re-tell a story about the life of the	Identify how and say why it makes a	help believers when times are hard, giving
	talk about what Jesus	Prophet Muhammad.	difference in people's lives to believe in	examples.
	teaches about saying 'thank	•Recognise some objects used by	God.	Outline Christian, Hindu and/or
, _	you', and why it is good to	Muslims and suggest why they are	Identify some similarities and differences	nonreligious
=	thank and be thanked.	important.	between ideas about what God is like in	beliefs about life after death.
BELIEVING	F2 Which people are special and why?	•Identify some ways Muslims mark Ramadan and celebrate Eid-ul-Fitr and	different religions.	Explain some similarities and differences
	talk about people who are		Discuss and present their own ideas about	between beliefs about life after death.
لب	special to them say what makes their family	how this might make them feel. •Make links between what the Holy Qur'an	why there are many ideas about God and express their own	Explain some reasons why Christians and Humanists have different ideas about an
	and friends special to them	says and how Muslims behave.	understanding of God through words,	Afterlife.
	identify some of the qualities	•Ask some questions about God that are	symbols and the arts.	Explain what difference belief in
Θ	of a good friend	hard to answer and offer some ideas of		judgement/heaven/karma/reincarnation
	reflect on the question 'Am I	their own.		might
	a good friend?'	Who is Jewish and what do they		make to how someone lives, giving
	recall and talk about stories	believe?		examples.
	of Jesus as a friend to others	•Similarities and differences to Muslims		Interpret a range of artistic expressions of
	recall stories about special	and Christians.		afterlife, offering and explaining different
	people in other religions and	•Talk about the fact that Jewish people		ways of understanding
	talk about what we can learn	believe in God.		U2.1 Why do some people believe God
	from them	•Recognise that some Jewish people		exists?
		remember God in different ways (e.g.		Define the terms theist, atheist and
		mezuzah, on Shabbat).		agnostic and give examples of statements
		•Talk about how the mezuzah in the home		that reflect these beliefs.
		reminds Jewish people about God.		Give two reasons why a Christian believes
		•Talk about how Shabbat is a special day		in God and one why an atheist does not.
		of the week for Jewish people, and give		Express thoughtful ideas about the impact
		some		of believing or not believing in God on
		examples of what they might do to		someone's life.
		celebrate Shabbat.		Present different views on why people
		•Re-tell a story that shows what Jewish		believe in God or not, including their own
		people at the festivals of Sukkot,		ideas.

	Chanukah or Pesach might think about God, suggesting what it means. •Ask some questions about believing in God and offer some ideas of their own. •Make links between some Jewish teachings and how Jewish people live. •Express their own ideas about the value of times of reflection, thanksgiving, praise and remembrance, in the light of their learning about why Jewish people choose to celebrate in these ways. What can we learn from sacred books? Talk about some of the stories that are used in religion and why people still read them Recognise some ways in which Christians, Muslims and Jewish people treat their sacred books Recognise that sacred texts contain stories which are special to many people and should be treated with respect Re-tell stories from the Christian Bible and stories from another faith; suggest the meaning of these stories •Ask and suggest answers to questions arising from stories Jesus told and from another		Explain how Christians sometimes disagree about what God is like, giving examples of how they interpret texts differently. Enquire into what some atheists, agnostics and theists say about God, expressing their own ideas and arguments, using evidence and examples.
	religion Talk about issues of good and bad, right and wrong arising from the stories		
F3. What places are special and why? talk about somewhere that is special to themselves, saying why be aware that some religious people have places which have special meaning for them talk about the things that are special and valued in a place of worship identify some significant features of sacred places recognise a place of worship get to know and use appropriate words to talk about their thoughts and feelings when visiting a church. F4. What times are special and why?	1.5 What makes some places sacred? Recognise that there are special places where people go to worship, and talk about what people do there. Identify at least three objects used in worship in two religions. Identify special objects and symbols found in a place where people worship and be able to say something about what they mean and how they are used. Talk about ways in which stories and actions used in churches/mosques show what people believe (B2).	L2.4 Why do people pray? Describe what some believers say and do when they pray. Respond thoughtfully to examples of how praying helps religious believers. Describe the practice of prayer in the religions Studied. Make connections between what people believe about prayer and what they do when they pray. Describe ways in which prayer can comfort and challenge believers. Describe and comment on similarities and differences between how Christians and Hindus pray.	U2.5 Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? Respond with ideas of their own to the title question. Find out about religious teachings, charities and ways of expressing generosity. Describe and make connections between examples of religious creativity (buildings and art). Show understanding of the value of sacred buildings and art. Suggest reasons why some believers see generosity and charity as more important than buildings and art.

give examples of special occasions and suggest features of a good celebration • recall simple stories connected with Christmas and a festival from another faith say why Christmas and a festival from another faith is a special time for Christians/ members of the other faith.

- •Describe some of the ways in which people use music in worship, and talk about how different kinds of music makes them feel.
- •Ask good questions during a school visit about what happens in a church or mosque.
- •Suggest meanings to religious songs, responding sensitively to ideas about thanking and praising.
- Show that they have begun to be aware that some people regularly worship God in different ways and in different places.

1.6 How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times?

- Identify a special time they celebrate and explain simply what celebration means.
- •Talk about ways in which Jesus was a special person who Christians believe is the Son

of God.

- •Identify some ways Christians celebrate Easter and some ways a festival is celebrated in another religion.
- •Re-tell stories connected with Easter and a festival in another religion and say why these are important to believers.
- Ask questions and suggest answers about stories to do with Christian festivals and a

story from a festival in another religion.
•Collect examples of what people do, give, sing, remember or think about at the religious celebrations studied, and say why they matter to believers.

- •Suggest meanings for some symbols and actions used in religious celebrations, including Easter or Eid-ul-Fitr.
- •Identify some similarities and differences between the celebrations studied.
- •Identify a special time they celebrate and explain simply what celebration means.
- •Talk about ways in which Jesus was a special

person who Christians believe is the Son of God.

Explain similarities and differences between how people pray.
Consider and evaluate the significance of

Consider and evaluate the significance prayer in the lives of people today.

L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communities?

Recognise and identify some differences between religious festivals and other types of celebrations.

Retell some stories behind festivals Make connections between stories, symbols and beliefs with what happens in at least two festivals.

Ask questions and give ideas about what matters most to believers in festivals Identify similarities and differences in the way festivals are celebrated within and between religions.

Explore and suggest ideas about what is worth celebrating and remembering in religious communities and in their own lives.

Discuss and present their own responses about the role of festivals in the life of Britain today, showing their understanding of the values and beliefs at the heart of each festival studied, using a variety of media.

Suggest how and why religious festivals are valuable to many people

L2.6 Why do some people think that life is a journey and what significant experiences mark this?

Recall and name some of the ways religions mark milestones of commitment (including marriage). • Identify at least two promises made by believers at these ceremonies and say why they are important.

Suggest why some people see life as a journey and identify some of the key milestones on this journey.

Describe what happens in Christian, Jewish, and/or Hindu ceremonies of Apply ideas about values and from scriptures

to the title question.

Outline how and why some Humanists criticise

spending on religious buildings or art. Examine the title question from different perspectives, including their own.

U2.4 If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?

Recall and name some key features of places of worship studied.

Find out about what believers say about their places of worship.

Make connections between how believers feel about places of worship in different traditions.

Select and describe the most important functions of a place of worship for the community.

Give examples of how places of worship support believers in difficult times, explaining why this matters to believers.

Present ideas about the importance of people in a place of worship, rather than the place itself.

Outline how and why places of worship fulfil special functions in the lives of believers.

Comment thoughtfully on the value and purpose of places of worship in religious communities.

- •Identify some ways Christians celebrate Pentecost and some ways Passover is celebrated.
- •Re-tell stories connected with Pentecost and Passover and say why these are important to believers.
- Collect examples of what people do, give, sing, remember or think about at the religious
- celebrations studied, and say why they matter to believers.
- •Suggest meanings for some symbols and actions used in religious celebrations, including Passover.
- •Identify some similarities and differences between the celebrations studied.

commitment and say what these rituals mean.

Suggest reasons why marking the milestones of life are important to Christians, Hindus and/or Jewish people. Link up some questions and answers about how believers show commitment with their own ideas about community, belonging and belief.

Explain similarities and differences between ceremonies of commitment. Discuss and present their own ideas about the value and challenge of religious commitment in Britain today.

F5. Being special: where do we belong?

talk about what it means to belong talk about who we belong to talk about what we belong to talk about our community at home and our community at school know that some people belong to a religion know that our school belongs to the Christian community

F6. What is special about our world?

talk about the word 'creator' and why God is a very special person to Christians. explore how Christians worship God. • talk about things they find interesting, puzzling or wonderful and also about their own experiences and feelings about the world re-tell stories, talking about what they say about the world, God, human beings think about the wonders of the natural world, expressing ideas and feelings express ideas about how to look after animals and plants talk about what people do to mess up the world and what they do to look after it.

What does it mean to belong to a faith community?

- •Talk about similarities and differences between Muslims and Christians.
- •Talk about what is special and of value about belonging to a group that is important to them. •Show an awareness that some people belong to different religions.
- •Recognise and name some symbols of belonging from their own experience, for Christians and at least one other religion, suggesting what these might mean and why they matter to believers.
- •Give an account of what happens at a traditional Christian infant baptism /dedication and suggest what the actions and symbols mean.
- •Give examples of ways in which believers express their identity and belonging within faith communities, responding sensitively to differences

How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter?

Talk about how religions teach that people are valuable, giving simple examples Recognise that some people believe God created the world and so we should look after it.

L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?

Identify and name examples of what Christians have and do in their families and at church to show their faith.

Ask good questions about what Christians do to show their faith.

Describe some examples of what Christians do to show their faith, and make connections with some Christian beliefs and teachings.

Describe some ways in which Christian express their faith through hymns and modern worship Songs.

Suggest at least two reasons why being a Christian is a good thing in Britain today, and two reasons why it might be hard sometimes.

Discuss links between the actions of Christians in helping others and ways in which people of other faiths and beliefs, including pupils themselves, help others.

Explain similarities and differences between at least two different ways of worshipping in two different Christian churches.

Discuss and present ideas about what it means to be a Christian in Britain today, making links with their own

U2.8 What difference does it make to believe in ahimsa (harmlessness), grace, and/or Ummah (community)?

Describe what Ahimsa, Grace or Ummah mean

to religious people.

Respond sensitively to examples of religious

practice with ideas of their own.
Make connections between beliefs and behaviour in different religions.
Outline the challenges of being a Hindu, Christian or Muslim in Britain today.

Make connections between belief in ahimsa, grace and Ummah, teachings and sources of wisdom in the three religions. Consider similarities and differences between

beliefs and behaviour in different faiths. Explain similarities in ways in which key beliefs make a difference to life in two or three religions.

Consider and evaluate the significance of the three key ideas studied, in relation to their own ideas.

U2.6 What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?

Describe the Five Pillars of Islam and give examples of how these affect the everyday lives of Muslims.

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Re-tell Bible stories and stories from another faith about caring for others and the world.

Identify ways that some people make a response to God by caring for others and the

world

Talk about issues of good and bad, right and wrong arising from the stories Talk about some texts from different religions that promote the 'Golden Rule', and

think about what would happen if people followed this idea more

Use creative ways to express their own ideas about the creation story and what it says about what God is like.

experiences.

L2.8 What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?

Identify and name examples of what Hindus have and do in their families and at mandir to show their faith.

Ask good questions about what Hindus do to show their faith.

Describe some examples of what Hindus do to show their faith, and make connections with some Hindu beliefs and teachings about aims and duties in life. Describe some ways in which Hindus express their faith through puja, aarti and bhajans.

Explain similarities and differences between Hindu worship and worship in another religious tradition pupils have been taught.

Suggest at least two reasons why being a Hindu is a good thing in Britain today, and two reasons why it might be hard sometimes.

Discuss links between the actions of Hindus in helping others and ways in which people of other faiths and beliefs, including pupils themselves, help others. Explain similarities and differences between Hindu worship and worship in another religious tradition pupils have been taught.

Discuss and present ideas about what it means to be a Hindu in Britain today, making links with their own experiences.

L2.9 What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong?

Recall and talk about some rules for living in religious traditions.

Find out at least two teachings from religions about how to live a good life. Give examples of rules for living from religions and suggest ways in which they might help believers with difficult decisions.

Make connections between Muslim practice of the Five Pillars and their beliefs about God and the Prophet Muhammad. Describe the forms of guidance a Muslim uses and compare them to forms of guidance experienced by the pupils.

Make connections between the key functions of the mosque and the beliefs of Muslims

Comment thoughtfully on the value and purpose of religious practices and rituals in a Muslim's daily life.

U2.7 What matters most to Christians and Humanists?

Identify the values found in stories and texts.

Suggest ideas about why humans can be both good and bad, making links with Christian ideas.

Describe what Christians mean about humans being made in the image of God and being 'fallen', giving examples.

Describe some Christian and Humanist values simply.

Express their own ideas about some big moral concepts, such as fairness, honesty etc., comparing them with the ideas of others they have studied.

Suggest reasons why it might be helpful to follow a moral code and why it might be difficult, offering

different points of view.

Give examples of similarities and differences between Christian and Humanist values.

Apply ideas about what really matters in life for themselves, including ideas about fairness, freedom, truth,

peace, in the light of their learning.

Make connections between stories of
temptation and why people can find it
difficult to be good.
Give examples of ways in which some
inspirational people have been guided by
their religion.
Discuss their own and others' ideas about
how people decide right and wrong.
Explain some similarities and differences
between the codes for living used by
Christians and the followers of at least one
other religion or non-religious belief
system.
Express ideas about right and wrong,
good and bad for themselves, including
ideas about love, forgiveness,
honesty, kindness and generosity.