



Contexts covered across the school – 2-year cycle					
EYFS	KS1	LKS2	UKS2		
		Christianity			
	Christianity	Judaism	Christianity		
	Islam	Sikhism	Islam		
[EYFS runs on a one-year cycle]	Judaism	Islam	Hinduism		
	(Elements of Humanism covered in units each year)	(Elements of Humanism covered in units each year)	Humanism		

### Skills progression - RE (July 2022)

Pupils are taught the knowledge, understanding and skills needed to engage in the process of being a religious thinker.

Below are the skills and end points for each phase

#### **EYFS**

Children at the expected level of development will:

Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.

Class.					
	Year1/ <b>2</b>	Year 3/4	Year 5/6		
Beliefs and Teachings	Year A	Year A	I can explain how some beliefs and		
(what people believe)	I can identify some key Muslim beliefs	I can describe some ideas about the Holy	teachings are shared by different religions		
	about marriage and birth (A1)	Spirit and how it is expressed in symbolic	and how they make a difference to the		
	I can retell religious stories and	form. (A1)	lives of individuals and communities. (Sp1,		
	identify some religious beliefs and	I can explain what Christians believe about	Su2) (A1, A2, Su1)		
	teachings (A2, Sp1, Sp2) (A1, A2, Sp1,	God, Jesus, the Holy Spirit and the Bible.	I can make comparisons between the key		
	Sp2, Su1)	(A1, A2, Sp2, Su1) (A1, Sp2)	beliefs, teachings and practices of the		
		I can describe some religious beliefs and	Christian faith and other faiths studies,		
		teachings of religions studied, and their	using a wide range of appropriate language		





	I can identify what some religious followers believe about their holy texts and places of worship (Su1, Su2)  Year B I can suggest reasons for why religious followers do certain things. (A1) I can identify why Jews believe Shabbat is important. (Sp1) I can describe what Christians believe about God, Jesus and the Holy Spirit. (A2, Sp2, Su1) I can describe what Muslims believe about God. (Su2)	importance. (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (Sp1, Su1, Su2) I can connect key beliefs with other features. (A1, A2, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A2, Sp1 I can recall what Muslims believe about the prophet Mohammad and the Night of Power. (Sp1) I can make some comparisons between religious beliefs and teachings. (Sp1, Su2) (Su1, Su2)  Year B I can describe what religious followers learn from their sacred texts. (A2, Sp2, Su1) I can recall the Exodus story and its importance to Jews past and present. (Sp1) I can identify what is important to Sikhs and why. (Su1, Su2)	and vocabulary. (A2, Sp1, Su1) (Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can identify that some people do not believe in any gods. (A1) (Su2) I can identify what religious followers believe, making references to texts, and how these beliefs impact their lives. (Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can identify Hindu beliefs and teachings about God. (Su1, Su2)  Year B I can identify what Muslims believe about oneness. (Sp1, Sp2)
Practices and Lifestyles (What people do)	Year A I can identify some religious practices and know that some are characteristic of more than one religion. (A1) (A1, A2, Sp1) I can suggest what people might learn from a religious story and how it might impact their lives (A2, Sp1, Sp2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2) I can identify the role of religious buildings in followers' lives. (Su1, Su2)	Year A I can describe how some features of religions studied are used or exemplified in festivals and practices. (A2, Su2) (A2, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can show understanding of the ways of belonging to religions and what these involve. (Sp1, Su1, Su2) (Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can explain how and why religious beliefs impact on followers' lives. (Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	I can explain how selected features of religious life and practice make a difference to the lives of individuals and communities. (A2, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Su1, Su2)  I can explain in detail, the significance of Christian practices and those of other faiths studied, to the lives of individuals and communities. (A1, A2, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp2, Su1, Su2)





	Year B	Year B	Year B
	I can explain what religious followers	I can identify what is important to Sikhs	I refer to stories and passages in the Bible
	do on some special days and why. (Sp1)	and how it impacts their lives. (Su1, Su2)	to give reasons for actions of followers.
	I can name and explain what happens at		(A1, A2, Su1, Su2)
	some Muslim festivals. (Su2)		
Expression and Language	Year A	I can make links between religious symbols,	I can explain how some forms of religious
(How people express	I can suggest meanings in religious	language and stories and the beliefs that	expression are used differently by
themselves)	stories and language. (A2, Sp1, Sp2,	underlie them. (A1, Sp1, Sp2) (A1, A2, Sp1,	individuals and communities. (A2, Sp1)
	Su1) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su2)	Su1)	(Su2)
	I can recognise and use some religious	I can show, using technical terminology,	I can compare the different ways in which
	words. (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	how religious beliefs, ideas and feelings can	people of faith communities express their
	(A1, Sp1, Su2)	be expressed in a variety of forms, giving	faith. (A1, A2, Sp1, Su1, Su2) (Sp1, Sp2,
		meanings for some symbols, stories and	Su2)
	Year B	language. (A1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1,	
	I can make suggestions for why	Su1, Su2)	Year B
	religious followers do certain things	I can identify how many different religious	I identify some of the different ways
	and celebrate certain days. (A1, Su2)	traditions worship in their religious	Christians express their beliefs. (A1, A2,
	I can recognise some religious symbols.	buildings, making comparisons. (Su2)	Su1, Su2)
	(Sp2)		,
Identity and experience	Year A	I can compare aspects of my own	I can make informed responses to
(Making sense of who we	I can respond sensitively to the	experiences and those of others,	questions of identity and experience. (A1,
are)	feelings of others, including those with	identifying what influences their lives. (A2,	A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2,
ŕ	a faith. (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	Sp2, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	Su1, Su2)
	(A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	I can ask questions about the significant	I can discuss and express views on some
	I can identify aspects of my own	experiences of key figures from religions	fundamental questions of identity, meaning,
	experience and feelings, in religious	studied and suggest answers from my own	purpose and morality to Christianity and
	material studied. (A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1,	and others' experiences. (Sp1, Sp2) (Su1,	other faiths. (A1, A2, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1,
	Su2) (A1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	Su2)	A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)
	I can identify what people can learn	I can explain why followers believe certain	, 5,-, 5,-, 5,-,
	from religious stories and how this	things, giving reasons why. (A2, Sp1, Su1,	
	impacts their lives. (A2, Sp1, Sp2) A1,	Su2) (A2, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	
	A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1)		
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	I can talk about how what we've learnt could impact me. (Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp2)	Year B I can suggest why beliefs, practises and stories from the past are still remembered	
		and are still important to believers today. (Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	
Meaning and Purpose (Making sense of life)	Year A I can identify things that I have learnt from religions studied. (A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A2, Sp1) I can identify things I find interesting or puzzling in religious material studied. (A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su2) (Sp2) I can realise that some questions that cause people to wonder are difficult to answer. (A2) (A2, Sp2)	I can compare my own and other people's ideas about questions that are difficult to answer. (A1, A2, Sp1, Su1) (A1, A2, Sp1, Su1, Su2)  I can ask questions about puzzling aspects of life and experiences and suggest answers, making reference to the teaching of religions studied. (A1, A2, Sp1, Su1) (A1, A2, Sp1, Su1, Su2)	I can make informed responses to questions of meaning and purpose. (A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can express views on some fundamental questions of identity, meaning, purpose and morality related to Christianity and other faiths. (A1, A2, Sp2, Su1) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)
	Year B I can talk about what is important to me and to others about God. (Su1)		
Values and Commitments (making sense of right and wrong)	Year A I can identify what religious followers learn about right and wrong from religious texts and stories. (A2, Sp1, Sp2) (A1, A2, Sp2) I can identify what is of value and concern to myself in religious material studied. (A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can respond sensitively to the values and concerns of others, including those with a faith. (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	I can make links between values and commitments, including religious ones, and my own attitudes and behaviour. (Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can ask questions about matters of right and wrong and suggest answers that show understanding of moral and religious issues. (A2, Sp2, Su1) (A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)	I can make informed responses to people's values and commitments, including religious ones. (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can make informed responses to people's values and commitments, including religious ones. (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) I can use different techniques to reflect deeply. (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2) (A1, A2, Sp1, Sp2, Su1, Su2)





Vocabulary	Al Hijra	God	Allah	Peace	Agnostic	Judgement
·	Allah	Harvest	Community	Perseverance	Anglican	Mandir
	Believe	Holy	Compassion	Qur'an	Atheist	Murtis
	Bible	Islam	Courage	Rebirth	Baptist	Moksha
	Celebrate	Jesus	Creativity	Reincarnation	Barzakh	Mosque
	Christian	Jew	Creator	Respect	Budhist	Muhammad
	Christmas	Judaism	Friendship	Responsibility	Creation	Prophet
	Church	Love	Generosity	Saint	Dharma	Rak'ah
	Creation	Muslim	Guru	Sabbath	Durga	Ramadam
	Crucifix	Nativity	Guru Granth Sahib	Shabbat	Eid-ul-Fitr	Reflection
	Dhu Al- Hijja	Prayer	Gurdwara	Sikh	Faithfulness	Salat
	Easter	Ramadan	Gurpurb	Testament	Gayatri Mantra	Sawm
	Eid-ul-Fitr	Religion	Hanukkah	Thankfulness	Hadith	Shahadah
	Eid-ul-Adha	Sacred	Hindu	Torah	Humanist	Sikh
	Faith	Special	Hope	Trinity	Ibadah	Suffering
	Festival	Story	Karma	Trust		Sunnah
		Values	Kirth Karni	Vand Chakna		Synagogue
			Langar	Worship		Theist
			Nam Japna	,		Zakat





Progression in RE depends on the development of the following generic learning skills applied to RE. These skills should be used in developing a range of activities for pupils to demonstrate their capabilities in RE. They ensure that teachers will move pupils on from

Reflection	<u>Empathy</u>	<u>Investigation</u>	
Reflect on feelings, relationships, experience, ultimate questions, beliefs and practices.	<ul> <li>Children will:</li> <li>Consider thoughts and feelings of others.</li> <li>Develop the ability to identify feelings such as love, wonder, forgiveness and sorrow.</li> <li>See the world through the eyes of others and seeing issues from their point of view.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will:</li> <li>Ask relevant questions.</li> <li>Know how to gather information from a variety of sources.</li> <li>Know what may constitute evidence for justifying</li> <li>Beliefs in religion.</li> </ul>	
<u>Interpretation</u>	<u>Evaluation</u>	<u>Analysis</u>	
<ul> <li>Children will:</li> <li>Draw meaning from artefacts, works of art, music, poetry and symbolism.</li> <li>Interpret religious language.</li> <li>Suggest meanings of religious texts.</li> </ul>	Debate issues of religious significance with reference to evidence and argument.	<ul> <li>Children will:</li> <li>Distinguish between opinion and fact.</li> <li>Distinguish between features of different religions.</li> </ul>	
<u>Synthesis</u>	<u>Application</u>	Expression	
<ul> <li>Children will:</li> <li>Link significant features of religion together in a coherent pattern.</li> <li>Connect different aspects of life into a meaningful whole.</li> </ul>	Make associations between religion and individual, community, national and international life.	<ul> <li>Children will:</li> <li>Explain concepts, rituals and practises.</li> <li>Express religious views and responding to religious questions through a variety of media.</li> </ul>	

knowledge accumulation and work that is merely descriptive to higher level thinking and more sophisticated skills.