

School: Harlington Lower School

Curriculum Progression for: Religious Education

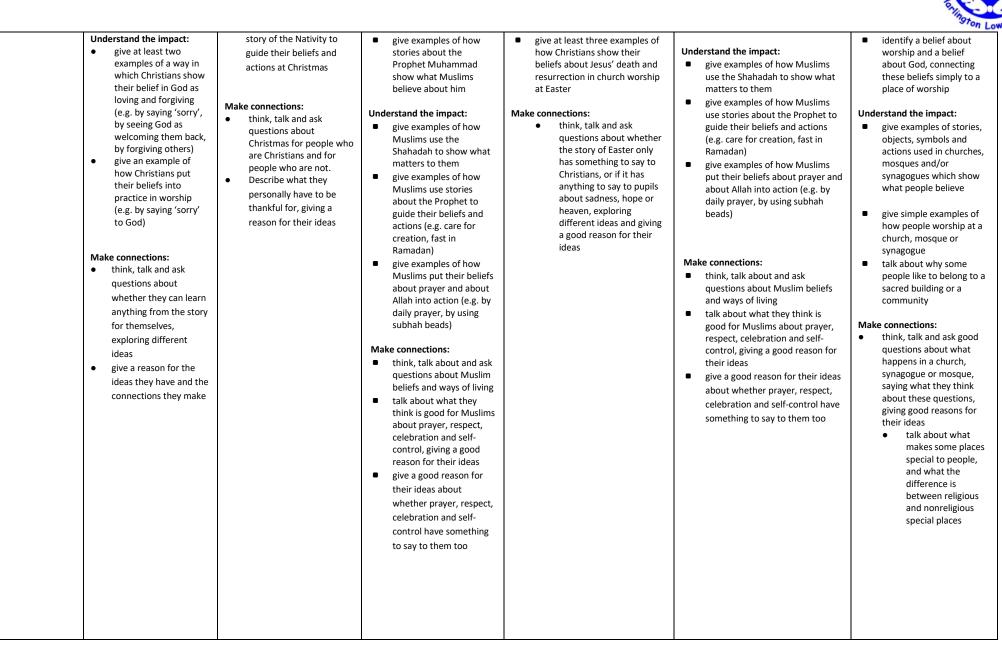
Intent					s and members of society by d the challenging questions that					
	religion provokes. We believe that this should be achieved within the context of a growing understanding of the experiences, attitudes, beliefs and religious practices of the different cultures in today's society and through a shared commitment of the whole school community to Values Education.									
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2				
Reception	Being special: Where do we belong?	Why is Christmas special for Christians?	Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians? Creation	Why is Easter special for Christians? Salvation	Which places are specially valued and why?	Which stories are specially valued and why?				
Vocabulary	Special Belonging Unique Valued Group Religion Baptism Blessing Welcome	Jesus Bible Christmas Star Angel Special Nativity Christians Incarnation	God Creator Christians Creation Universe World Nature	Spring Easter Salvation Palm Sunday Hosanna Celebration Resolution	Special place Church Mosque Gurdwara Mandir Synagogue Worship Belief	Stories Bible Jesus God Special books				
Skills	Harvest Harvest Thankful ELG UW	Diwali Hindu Diwali Rama Sita Diwa lamp	Chinese New Year New Year Resolution	ELG UW	Eid Islam Muslim Eid Eid-al-Fitr Muhammed Ramadan ELG UW	<i>Eid</i> Islam Muslim Eid Eid-al-Adha Muhammed				
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Knowledge	Make Connections: • talk about things they find interesting, puzzling or wonderful and also about their own experiences and feelings about the world • talk about people who are special to them	 Make sense of belief: begin to recognise the word 'incarnation' as describing the belief that God came to Earth as Jesus recall simply what happens at a traditional Christian festival (Christmas, Easter), baptism, dedication, 	 Understand the impact: say how and when Christians may like to thank their Creator Make Connections: talk about things they find interesting, puzzling or wonderful and also about their own experiences and feelings about the world talk about what people do to mess up the world and what they do to look after it think about the wonders of the natural world, expressing ideas and feelings, new life 	Make sense of belief: • recall simply what happens at a traditional Christian festival (Christmas, Easter), baptism, dedication,	Make sense of belief: • talk about the things that are special and valued in a place of worship • recognise that some religious people have places which have special meaning for them	 Make sense of belief: re-tell stories, talking about what they say about the world, God, human beings, key celebrations identify a sacred text e.g. the Bible or the Torah recognise some religious words, e.g. about God
Visit/Special Occasions	Weekly OTB assembly Harvest Celebration	Weekly OTB assembly Diwali Celebrations Christmas Concert Carol Service	Weekly OTB assembly Chinese New Year Celebrations	Weekly OTB assembly St Mary's Church Easter Service	Weekly OTB assembly Methodist Church Visit	Weekly OTB assembly Eid Celebrations



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Year 1	What do Christians believe God is like?	Why does Christmas matter to Christians? How/why do we celebrate special times?	Who is a Muslim? What do they believe & how do they live? (Double Unit)	Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Who is a Muslim? What do they believe & how do they live? (continued) (Double Unit)	What makes some places significant? What makes some places sacred to believers?
Vocabulary	God Creator Christians Creation Universe World Nature Parable Bible Welcoming Forgiveness	Jesus Christ Lord Bible Christmas Star Advent Christingle Wreath Angel Special Nativity Christians Incarnation Gospel Beliefs	Muslim Islam Allah Peace Be Upon Him Prophet Shahada Subha beads Prayer Crescent Star 99 names Mosque Masjid Qur'an	Spring Easter Salvation Good Friday Palm Sunday Hosanna Father Celebration Resolution Holy Week Last Supper Resurrection Crucifixion	Muslim Islam Allah Peace Be Upon Him Prophet Shahada Subha beads Prayer Crescent Star 99 names Mosque Masjid Qur'an	Special place Worship Prayer Belief Sacred Holy
Skills	• Observe, notic	ber, name and talk about s ce and recognise simple asp out about and link religions	pects of religion and their c			
Knowledge	 Make sense of belief: identify what a parable is tell the story of the Lost Son from the Bible simply and recognise a link with the Christian idea of God as a forgiving Father give clear, simple accounts of what the story means to Christians 	 Make sense of belief: recognise that stories of Jesus' life come from the Gospels give a clear, simple account of the story of Jesus' birth and why Jesus is important for Christians Understand the impact: give examples of ways in which Christians use the 	 Make sense of belief: recognise the words of the Shahadah and that it is very important for Muslims identify some of the key Muslim beliefs about God found in the Shahadah and the 99 names of Allah, and give a simple description of what some of them mean 	 Make sense of belief: recognise that incarnation and salvation are part of a 'big story' of the Bible tell stories of Holy Week and Easter from the Bible and recognise a link with the idea of salvation (Jesus rescuing people) recognise that Jesus gives instructions about how to behave Understand the impact: 	 Make sense of belief: recognise the words of the Shahadah and that it is very important for Muslims identify some of the key Muslim beliefs about God found in the Shahadah and the 99 names of Allah, and give a simple description of what some of them mean give examples of how stories about the Prophet Muhammad show what Muslims believe about him 	 Make sense of belief: 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 and give a simple account of how they are used and something about what they mean





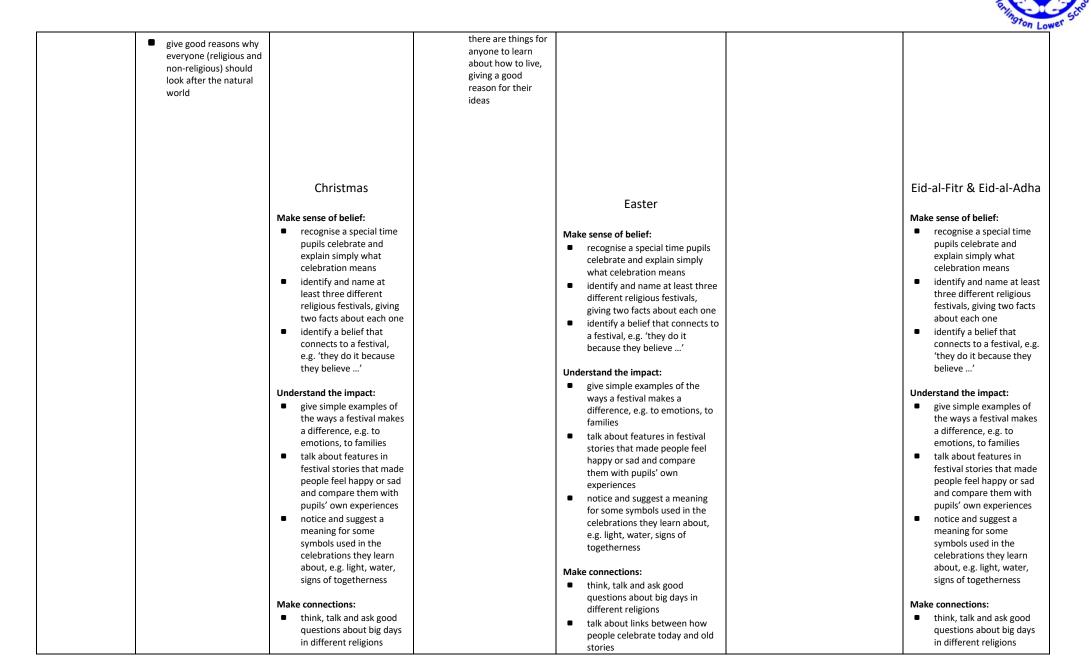
Visit/Special	Weekly OTB assembly					
Occasions	Harvest Celebration	Christmas Concert		St Mary's Church		Methodist Church Visit
		Carol Service		Easter Service		



Year 2	How and why should we care for the Earth?	How and why should we care for each other?	What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings?	What can we learn from sacred books & stories?	What can we learn from sacred books and stories? (continued)	Who is an inspiring person? What stories inspire Christians and Muslims?
		Christmas* How and why do we celebrate significant times? (2 weeks)		Easter* How and why do we celebrate significant times? (2 weeks)		Eid-al-Fitr & Eid-al- Adha* How and why do we celebrate significant times? (2 weeks)
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Skills Knowledge	 Identify beliefs, describe them simply, give examples and suggest meanings. Give examples of what difference it makes to belong to and believe in a religion. Think, talk and ask questions about religion and belief for themselves. 								
ποωιεαβε	 identify a story or text that says something about the beautiful Earth give an example of a key belief some people find in one of these stories (e.g. that God loves the world because it is God's creation) give a clear, simple account of what Genesis 1 tells Christians and Jews about the natural world Understand the impact: give an example of how people can show that they care for the Earth, making a link to a creation story give examples of how Christians and Jews can show care for the Earth say why Christians and Jews might look after the natural world Make connections: think, talk and ask questions about what difference believing in God makes to how people treat the natural world 	 identify a story or text that says something about each person being unique and valuable give an example of a key belief some people find in one of these stories (e.g. that God loves all people) Understand the impact: give an example of how people show that they care for others (e.g. by giving to charity), making a link to one of the stories give examples of how religious teaching encourages care for other people Make connections: think, talk and ask questions about what difference believing in God makes to how people treat each other give good reasons why everyone (religious and non-religious) should care for others 	 tell stories from the Bible and recognise a link with the concept of 'Gospel' or 'good news' give clear, simple accounts of what Bible texts (such as the story of Matthew the tax collector) mean to Christians recognise that Jesus instructs people about how to behave Understand the impact: give at least two examples of ways in which Christians follow the teachings studied about forgiveness and peace and bringing good news to the friendless give at least two examples of how Christians put these beliefs into practice in the Church community and their own lives (for example: charity, confession) Make connections: think, talk and ask questions about whether Jesus' 'good news' is only good news for Christians, or if 	 identify a belief about God linked to what a holy book says recognise that sacred texts contain stories which are special to many people and should be treated with respect identify at least three symbols of respect used by members of a religion when they use their holy book Understand the impact: recognise how different religions express their respect for their scriptures, using symbols and by doing what the scriptures say [2] give simple examples of 'hidden messages' in faith stories, or wise sayings Make connections: talk about what they like in the stories from sacred texts that they hear think, talk and ask good questions about messages within sacred texts and the values, behaviour and attitudes of people suggest feelings and reactions of characters at key points in faith stories, and suggest meanings in the stories 	 identify a belief about God linked to what a holy book says recognise that sacred texts contain stories which are special to many people and should be treated with respect identify at least three symbols of respect used by members of a religion when they use their holy book Understand the impact: recognise how different religions express their respect for their scriptures, using symbols and by doing what the scriptures say I give simple examples of 'hidden messages' in faith stories, or wise sayings Make connections: talk about what they like in the stories from sacred texts that they hear think, talk and ask good questions about messages within sacred texts and the values, behaviour and attitudes of people suggest feelings and reactions of characters at key points in faith stories, and suggest meanings in the stories ask and suggest answers to questions arising from their learning about holy books 	 identify at least three people from religions who are admired as good followers of God describe stories that are told by and about special people in two religions identify a belief about a religious leader Understand the impact: understand why some people inspire others identify the characteristics in inspiring people in religions, local leaders and people who influence the pupils themselves give simple examples of inspiration, for example, 'Moses/Jesus/Muhammad inspired people to by' Make connections: think, talk and ask good questions about leadership and inspiration notice and find out about the different ways leaders are admired in different religions talk about links between the work and the question: who inspires me? 			





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		Carol Service		Easter Service		



Year 3	Where, how and why do people worship?	How do festivals and worship show what matters to Muslims?	What kind of world did Jesus want?	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday?	How is faith expressed in Sikh communities and traditions?	How and why do people try to make the world a better place?
Vocabulary	Special place Worship Prayer Belief Sacred Holy Church Bible Sermon Eucharist Mosque Mandir Synagogue God Gurdwara Langar Guru Granth Sahib Nishan Sahib Mool Mantar Bible	God Muslim Islam Allah Peace Be Upon Him Prophet Shahada Subha beads Prayer Crescent Star 99 names Mosque Masjid Qur'an Fasting Ramadan Eid Pillars Salat Zakat Hajj	Healing Miracle Gospel Teachings Followers Disciples New Testament Parables God Christian Jesus Inspiration Love Forgiveness Bible	Spring Easter Christian Salvation Hosanna Father Jesus Mary Tomb Cross Heaven Risen Celebration Resolution Last Supper Crucifixion Holy Week Passover Palm Sunday Maundy Thursday Good Friday Easter Sunday Resurrection Disciple Pharisees Pontius Pilate	Guru Gurdwara Golden Temple Sewa Equal Guru Nanak Dev Guru Gobind Singh Guru Granth Sahib Waheguru Mool Manter Khalsa Sikh 5 K's - Kara Kesh Kirpan Kangha Kachera	Charity Service Better Place Sin Beliefs Values Commandments Mother Teresa Khalsa Aid Christian Aid Charity Oxfam



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Knowledge	 Make sense of belief: identify and describe how key actions, features and artefacts help people worship in different religions explain the meanings of examples of texts that believers use in worship consider questions about the belief that worship can bring peace, comfort or challenge Understand the impact: make simple connections between sacred texts and the ways believers worship today describe how people show devotion in different religions 	 Make sense of belief: identify some beliefs about God in Islam, expressed in Sura 1 of the Qur'an make clear links between beliefs about God and ibadah (e.g. how God is worth worshipping; how Muslims submit to God) Understand the impact: give examples of ibadah (worship) in Islam (e.g. prayer, fasting, celebrating) and describe what they involve make links between Muslim beliefs about God and a 	 Make sense of belief: identify texts that come from 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' suggest ideas and then find out about what Jesus' actions towards outcasts mean for a Christian Understand the impact: give examples of how Christians try to show love for all, including how Christian leaders try to follow Jesus' teaching in different ways 	 Make sense of belief: recognise the word 'salvation', and that Christians believe Jesus came to 'save' or 'rescue' people, e.g. by showing them how to live offer informed suggestions about what the events of Holy Week mean to Christians give examples of what Christians say about the importance of the events of Holy Week Understand the impact: make simple links between the Gospel accounts and how Christians mark the Easter events in their communities describe how Christians show their beliefs about Jesus in worship in different ways Make connections: raise thoughtful questions 	 Make sense of belief: identify and describe key Sikh beliefs and values including Waheguru and Sewa explain examples of texts such as the Mool Mantar consider questions about the belief that all humans are equal to God Understand the impact: make simple connections between sacred texts and practice, e.g. in provision of food and care for those 'left out' describe how people show their Sikh identity in dress, behaviour and values Make connections: raise questions about what it means to live a good life and examine Sikh answers make links between their own ideas and values and values and values 	 Make sense of belief: identify some beliefs about why the world is not always a good place (e.g. Christian ideas of sin) make links between religious beliefs and teachings and why people try to live and make the world a better place Understand the impact: make simple links between teachings about how to live and ways in which people try to make the world a better place (e.g. Tikkun Olam and the charity Tzedek) describe some examples of how people try to live (e.g. individuals and organisations) identify some differences in how people put their
	 Make connections: raise questions about why believers value worship express their own ideas about the meaning and value of worship give good reasons for their views about worship and prayer 	 range of ways in which Muslims worship (e.g. in prayer and fasting, as a family and as a community, at home and in the mosque) Make connections: raise questions and suggest answers about the value of submission and self-control to Muslims, and whether there are benefits for people 	 Make connections: make links between the importance of love in the Bible stories studied and life in the world today, giving a good reason for their ideas 	 Faise thought undestions and suggest some answers about why Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday', giving good reasons for their suggestions 	 Ideas and values and those held dear in Sikh communities give good reasons for their views about the importance of values such as equality, community, tradition and respect 	 In now people put their beliefs into action Make connections: raise questions and suggest answers about why the world is not always a good place, and the best ways of making it better make links between some commands for living from religious traditions, nonreligious worldviews and pupils' own ideas express their own ideas about the best ways to make the world a better place, making links with



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		 who are not Muslim make links between the Muslim idea of living in harmony with the Creator and the need for all people to live in harmony with each other in the world today, giving good reasons for their ideas 				religious ideas studied, giving good reasons for their views
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Occasions	Harvest Celebration	Carol Service		St Mary's Church		
	Bedford Faith Tour			Easter Service		



Year 4 Vocabulary	What are the deeper meanings of the festivals?Festivals Celebration 	Why do some people think life is like a journey? How & why do people mark significant events of life? Commitment Baptism Sacred thread Marriage	What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important for Christians? Trinity Christian Christianity Gospel	For Christians, what was the impact of Pentecost? Pentecost Christian Holy Spirit Kingdom of God	How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people? God Judaism Jewish Worship	How is faith expressed in Hindu communities and traditions? Hindu Puja Arti Bhajans
	Beliefs Devotion Commitment	Christian Love Promise Milestone	Baptism Worship Prayer Bible God	Worship Bible	Festivals Synagogue Rosh Hashanah Yom Kippur Day of Atonement	Mandir Diwali Dharma Way of life
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Knowledge	 Make sense of belief: Identify and describe how festivals from at least three religions are celebrated, using the right words Explain examples of texts and stories which lie behind the festivals in terms of the values and beliefs they show Consider questions about the belief that God is at work in human life and stories which show how this should be celebrated. Understand the impact: 	 Make sense of belief: identify some beliefs about love, commitment and promises in two religious traditions and describe what they mean offer informed suggestions about the meaning and importance of ceremonies of commitment for religious and non-religious people today Understand the impact: describe what happens in ceremonies of 	 Make sense of belief: recognise what a 'Gospel' is and give an example of the kinds of stories it contains offer suggestions about what texts about baptism and the Trinity mean give examples of what these texts mean to some Christians today Understand the impact: describe how Christians show their beliefs about God the Trinity in worship in different ways 	 Make sense of belief: make clear links between the story of Pentecost and Christian beliefs about the 'kingdom of God' on Earth offer informed suggestions about what the events of Pentecost in Acts 2 might mean give examples of what Pentecost means to some Christians now Understand the impact: make simple links between the description of Pentecost in Acts 2, the Holy Spirit, the kingdom of God and how Christians show their beliefs about the Holy 	 Make sense of belief: identify some beliefs about God in Judaism make clear links between beliefs about God and religious festivals Understand the impact: give examples of Jewish worship and celebrations make links between Jewish beliefs about God and a range of ways in which Jews worship (e.g. in prayer, as a family and as a community, at home and in the synagogue) Make connections: make connections between Jewish religious festivals 	 Make sense of belief: identify the terms 'dharma', 'Sanatan Dharma' and 'Hinduism' and say what they mean make links between Hindu practices and the idea that Hinduism is a whole 'way of life' (dharma) Understand the impact: describe how Hindus show their faith within their families in Britain today (e.g. home puja)



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	 Make simple connections between sacred texts and the practice of religious festivals today Describe how people show devotion to God and commitment to key values in their festivals Identify similarities, differences and generalities in relation to the festivals they study Make connections: Raise questions about what is worth celebrating and why, suggesting answers of their own with reason Make links between different religions, which all celebrate the triumph of goodness over evil. 	 commitment (e.g. baptism, sacred thread, marriage) and say what these rituals mean make simple links between beliefs about love and commitment and how people in at least two religious traditions live (e.g. through celebrating forgiveness, salvation and freedom at festivals) identify some differences in how people celebrate commitment (e.g. different practices of marriage, Christian baptism) Make connections: raise questions and suggest answers about whether it is good for everyone to see life as a journey, and to mark the milestones make links between ideas of love, commitment and promises in religious and non-religious ceremonies give good reasons why they think ceremotings of the set think ceremoties of set in the set think ceremoties of the set think ceremoties give good reasons why they think ceremoties of the set think ceremoties 	 (in baptism and prayer, for example) and in the way they live Make connections: make links between some Bible texts studied and the idea of God in Christianity, expressing clearly some ideas of their own about what Christians believe God is like 	Make connections: make links between ideas about the kingdom of God in the Bible and what people believe about following God today, giving good reasons for their ideas 	and those held by other faiths.	 describe how Hindus show their faith within their faith communities in Britain today (e.g. arti and bhajans at the mandir; in festivals such as Diwali) identify some different ways in which Hindus show their faith (e.g. between different communities in Britain, or between Britain and parts of India) Make connections: raise questions and suggest answers about what is good about being a Hindu in Britain today, and whether taking part in family and community rituals is a good thing for individuals and society, giving good reasons for their ideas
Visit/Special	Weekly OTB assembly	 give good reasons why they think ceremonies of commitment are or are not valuable today Weekly OTB assembly 	Weekly OTB assembly	Weekly OTB assembly	Weekly OTB assembly	Weekly OTB assembly
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