



Leasingham St Andrew's Church of England Primary School Religious Education Curriculum Map 2024-2025

| Age Group | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| Ages 4-5 EYFS 2 | What makes people special? Christianity and Judaism | What is Christmas? Christianity concept: Incarnation | Celebrations Sanatana Dharma | What is Easter? Christianity concept: Salvation | What can we learn from stories? Christianity, Islam, Sanatana Dharma, Sikhi | What makes places special? Christianity, Islam, Judaism |
| Ages 5-6 Year 1 | What do Christians believe about God? | What gifts might Christians in my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather than in Bethlehem? | Who is God to Jews? * And how is this linked to Christianity & Islam? (Abraham/Ibrahim) | Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday? | Who is God to Muslims? *Use the replaceable slides to add a link to celebrating birth | How important is the prophet Muhammad to Muslims? |
| Ages 6-7 Year 2 | Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time? | Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world? | How important is the Qur'an to Muslims? | How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion? | What is the best way for a Muslim to lead a good life? | Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians? |
| Ages 7-8 Year 3 | Who is God to Sanatanis? | Has Christmas lost its true meaning? | Why are there four Gospels and how are they relevant for Christians? | What is 'good' about Good Friday? | Why is the story of Buddha important to some Buddhists? *with additional exploration of pilgrimage to Bodh Gaya | Why do Sanatanis use symbols? |
| Ages 8-9 Year 4 | Does praying at regular intervals help Muslims in their everyday lives? | What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today? | Does completing a pilgrimage make a person a better Muslim? | What is the best way for Christians to show commitment to God? | Does belief in the Trinity help Christians make better sense of God as a whole? | Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children? |
| Ages 9-10 Year 5 | What is the best way for a Sanatani to lead a good life? | Is the Christmas story true? | Is anything ever eternal? | Is Christianity still a strong religion over 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth? | What is the best way for a Sanatani to show commitment to God? | What is the best way for a Buddhist to show commitment to their beliefs? |

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| Ages 10-11 Year 6 | What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God? | Do Christian celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born? | How did Jesus create a 'New Covenant' and what does that mean to Christians today? | How do the events of Easter and Pentecost impact on Christians today? | How is the Qur'an vital to Muslims today? | Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead a good life? |
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