



Saint Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy

RE Planning Objectives - Whole school RE overview of other world faiths

Judaism

Age Group	Theme	Topic	Look	Learning outcomes Discover	Respect
Early Years (Reception and Year 1)	Special days/ritual objects	Hanukkah (Chanukah The feast of lights	There are special days	Hanukkah, The story of the oil lamp in the temple	God cares for his people
Year 1	Stories	Abraham and moses	We all have stories	Abraham and Moses, leaders of the Jewish people	How God led the Jewish people
Year 2	Prayer/home	Shabbat	Families gather	Shabbat	Shabbat the day for God, the day of rest
Year 3	Places for worship	The Synagogue	There are special places	The synagogue	The importance of the synagogue
Year 4	Holy Books	The Torah	Books are important	The Torah	The importance of the Torah
Year 5	Beliefs and festivals	Pesach	There are times for remembering	Pesach	God cares for his people
Year 6	Belonging and values	Yom Kippur	Making a new start	Yom Kippur	The value of atonement



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RE – Judaism	Lesson 1 – Look	Lesson 2 – Discover	Lesson 3 – Respect	Vocab	
EYFS – What is a special day? Special days/ritual objects	Nursery: Recognise that holidays are happy times. Reception: Talk about their favourite day of the week. Ideas for task Nursery: draw a picture on a favourite day Reception: Cut and stick days of the week choosing the favourite day and drawing or writing why is it their favourite	Discover: recognise and name Hanukkah; the story of oil lamp in the Temple.	Respect: Recognise and talk about how Jewish people show care.	Nursery and Reception: Special days Jewish Hanukkah Lamp Light Reception: Menorah	
Y1 – Why are stories important? Stories	Look: To recognise different people in families Discover: Recognise, name and talk about Abraham	Discover: Recognise, name and talk about Moses	Discover and respect: Begin to retell the story of Moses	Stories Abraham moses leaders Jewish desert, promised, Pharaoh	
Y2 – Why is shabbat important? Prayer/home	Look: To know what 'Shabbat' is Discover: Name 'Shabbat' and describe it as a special day for Jewish families	Discover: Describe how each member of the family takes part in Shabbat	Discover and respect: Show respect for the traditions and customs of Jewish families	Creation shabbat challah Havdalah spice box Kiddush	
Y3 – What is a special place? Places of worship	Look: To understand why people have special places Discover: Describe a synagogue and give reasons why it is a special place of worship	Discover: Describe how the synagogue is a community centre	Discover: and respect: Understand the importance of the synagogue	worship synagogue shul, rabbi Shabbat Sefer Torah	bimah kippah tallit prayer shawl kiddush



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Y4 – How is the Torah looked after? Holy books	Look: To consider the importance of books Discover: Describe how the Torah is the Jewish special book	Discover Begin to understand the importance of the Torah	Discover and respect Understand the importance of the Torah	Books Tenakh Sefer torah Hebrew scroll scribe yad ark Bar/ bat mitzvah	
Y5 – Why would Jews want to celebrate Pesach in Jerusalem? Beliefs and festivals	Look: To know why we have times for remembering Discover: Understand the story of Exodus	Discover: To describe the celebration of Passover/Pesach	Discover: Understand the belief in one God:	remembering, Passover seder Pesach kosher matzah bitter herbs charoset lamb Shema mezuzah	
Y6 – How do the Jewish people make a new start? Belonging and values	Look: To describe why we make new starts Discover: Know what Rosh Hashanah is	Discover: Know what Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur are	Discover and respect: Understand Yom Kippur and the link to atonement	Rosh Hashanah teshuvah Yom Kippur shofar forgiveness confession responsibility fasting sins repentance	



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Sikhism

Age Group	Theme	Topic	Look	Learning outcomes Discover	Respect
Early Years (Reception and Year 1)	Special days/ritual objects	Recognising Sikhs	Special clothes and sharing	Sikhs' dress Prasad, Diwali	Sikhs share with everyone
Year 1	Stories	Guru Nanak	Enjoy stories	Guru Nanak	Guru Nanak was a wise teacher
Year 2	Prayer/home	Sikh daily life	Our families	Sikh daily life	Family life and prayer is important for Sikhs
Year 3	Places for worship	Gurdwara, langer Amritsar	Welcoming people	The gurdwara	Special places of worship for Sikhs



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Year 4	Holy Books	Guru Granth Sahib	important books	Guru Granth sahib and the Gurus	The gurus guide and teach the Sikhs
Year 5	Beliefs and festivals	Baisakhi, the Khalsa Mool Mantra	Belonging to a group	The Khalsa. One God	The Khalsa show the Sikh's commitment
Year 6	Belonging and values	Guidelines for living Sewa	Service to others	Commitment to service, Sewa	Sikhs' concern for others

RE – Sikhism	Lesson 1 – Look	Lesson 2 – Discover	Lesson 3 – Respect	Vocab
EYFS – Why do people wear special clothes? Special days/ ritual objects	Nursery Look: Know what special clothes are Reception Look: know special clothes that Sikhs wear	Discover: Talk about how Sikh's like to share	Discover and respect: Listen to how Sikh's celebrate Diwali	Special clothes Sikh Sikhism Turban Patka Prasad Diwali Share
Y1 – Stories	Introduce the faith of Sikhism and key facts – Pre learning sheet Look: Retell stories about people in your family Discover: Retell the story of Guru Nanak	Discover: Recognise what Guru Nanak teaches us about sharing	Respect: Recognise who was chosen by Guru Nanak to be the next leader.	Guru Nanak sharing Guru Angad
Y2 – How do Sikh families pray?	Introduce the faith of Sikhism and key facts Recap the story of Guru Nanak – Pre learning sheet.	Discover: Describe how Sikh families pray.	Respect: Describe what happens when a new baby is born in a Sikh family.	Kaur Singh Gurmukhi guru Granth Sahib Families



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RE – Sikhism	Lesson 1 – Look	Lesson 2 – Discover	Lesson 3 – Respect	Vocab
Prayer/home – Sikh Daily Life	Look: Give examples of who is in our families Discover: Describe importance of family life to Sikhs			respect
Y3 – How are places of worship used? Places of Worship Gurdwara, langar, Amritsar	Introduce the faith of Sikhism and key facts Recap the story of Guru Nanak Recap prayer life of a Sikh – Pre learning sheet Look: Describe how people are made to feel welcome Discover: Describe the Gurdwara and how it is used	Discover: Retell the story of Guru Nanak and the poor and rich man, make links to the langer	Discover and respect: Describe the Amritsar: the golden temple	Welcome khanda Langar karad prasad Amritsar
Y4 – What is the holy book of Sikhs and why is it important? Holy Books Guru Granth Sahib	Introduce the faith of Sikhism and key facts Recap the story of Guru Nanak Recap prayer life of a Sikh Recap the Gurdwara and langar Pre learning sheet Look: Describe why books are important Discover: Describe what the Guru Granth Sahib is and why it is so important.	Discover: Retell the stories of the first 5 Gurus	Discover and Respect: Describe and show an understanding of Guru Gobind Singh.	Special clothes Sikh
Y5 – What are important beliefs to Sikhs? Beliefs and festivals	To develop an understanding of Sikhism making links to Christianity. Introduce the faith of Sikhism and key facts Recap the story of Guru Nanak Recap prayer life of a Sikh Recap the Gurdwara and langar Recap what a Sikhs special book is Pre learning sheet Look: Describe what it is like belong to a group	Discover: Show and understanding of the signs of the Khalsa	Discover and Respect: Show and understanding of the belief in one God by Sikh's	kacherra kirpan kara kanga kesh Baisaki Khalsa Amrit



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	Discover: Show an understanding of Baisakhi			Ik Onkar mool mantra
Y6 – Why are acts of service important to Sikh's Belonging and values	Introduce the faith of Sikhism and key facts Recap the story of Guru Nanak Recap prayer life of a Sikh Recap the Gurdwara and langar Recap what a Sikhs special book is Recap signs of Khalsa Pre learning sheet Look: Describe what guidelines for life are Discover: Show an understanding of guidelines for living for Sikhs	Discover: Describe acts of service for Sikh's	Discover and Respect: Describe the Sikh's concern for the earth	service Sewa, Nam japna, Kirat karma Vand chhakna ecology

Islam

Age Group	Theme	Topic	Look	Learning outcomes Discover	Respect
Early Years (Reception and Year 1)	Special days/ ritual objects	Prayer mats	Special objects	Prayer mats and the Qur'an	What is special for Muslims?
Year 1	Stories	Muhammad	Special stories	Muhammad	Muhammad is important for Muslim people



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Year 2	Prayer/home	Prayer at home	Quiet times	Prayer five times a day	Prayer is important for Muslims
Year 3	Places for worship	The mosque	Special building	Friday is a day of special prayer. Call to prayer	How Muslim people worship
Year 4	Holy books	The Qur'an	Important books	The Qur'an 99 beautiful names of God	The importance of the Qur'an for Muslims
Year 5	Beliefs and festivals	Ramadan and Pilgrimage	Special times	Shahadah Ramadan, Id-ul-Fitr Id-ul-Adha Hajj	Respect for the special occasions for Muslims
Year 6	Belonging and values	Guidance for Muslims	Guidance in life	The five pillar Zakat	What is important for Muslims?



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EYFS - Why is the Qur'an so important to Muslims? Special days/ritual objects	Nursery: To recognise special objects Reception: To talk about a precious object	Discover: To talk about special objects for Muslims	Respect: To show respect for special objects	Special object Precious Prayer Mat Book	
Year 1 - What do you think the stories tell us about Muhammad? Stories	Look: To know that families have special stories Discover: To recognise the story of Muhammad	Discover: To retell the story of Muhammad	Discover and respect: To retell the messages of Muhammad	Muhammad Makkah Ka'bah Qur'an	
Year 2 - What shows you that family life is important for Muslims? Prayer/home	Look: To know why people need quiet times Discover: To describe how Muslims pray at home	Discover: To describe the rules in a Muslims home	Discover and respect: To describe important things to a Muslim family	prayer Allah wudu Halal	
Year 3 - How would you recognise a mosque? Places of worship	Look: To identify special buildings Discover: To recognise a Muslim's special place	Discover: To explore a Muslims special place	Discover and respect: To describe activities in the Mosque	Wudu, mosque imam, Makkah Arabic, Mosque minaret muezzin mihrab	
Year 4 - Why is the Qur'an so important to Muslims? Holy Books	Look: To describe why books are important Discover: To describe a Muslims special book- Qur'an	Discover: To explain the importance of the Qur'an	Discover and Respect: To describe why Allah has 99 beautiful names	Qur'an subhas	
Year 5 - Why is Hajj so important to Muslims? Beliefs and festivals	Look: To describe special times Discover: To understand the special time of Ramadan	Discover: To explore the festival of Eid-ul-Fitr	Discover and respect: To explore why Muslims pilgrim to Makkah	Ramadan fasting Eid-ul-Fitr Pilgrimage	Makkah hajj Eid-ul- Adha



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Year 6 - What is important for Muslims? Belongings and values	Look – To describe where we get guidance for life from Discover – To describe the 5 pillars of Islam	Discover – To understand Zaka	Discover – To understand Allah's care for creation	Guidance shahada salah	Zaka Sawm Hajj

Hinduism

Age Group	Theme	Topic	Look	Learning outcomes Discover	Respect
Early Years (Reception and Year 1)	Special days/ ritual objects	Diwali	We all celebrate	Diwali	Diwali is important for Hindu people
Year 1	Stories	Krishna and Ganesh Raksha Bandan	Stories we enjoy	Krishna and Ganesh Raksha Bandan	Shared stories bring people together
Year 2	Prayer/home	Prayer at home Puja	Quiet times	Puja	Prayer is part of Hindu life
Year 3	Places for worship	The Mandir	Special places	The Mandir	How Hindu people worship
Year 4	Holy books	Vedas and Bhagavad-Gita	Special books	Vedas and Bhagavad-Gita	Sacred writings guide people's lives



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Year 5	Beliefs and festivals	Braham Belief in one God Pilgrimage	What is important?	Hindu believe in one God, pilgrimage	Respect for the beliefs of Hindus
Year 6	Belonging and values	Karma	Rules for life	Karma and Dharma	Hindus care for creation



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EYFS - Who is Rama, Sita and Hanuman? Special days/ritual objects	Nursery: Look: To talk about times when we celebrate Reception: Look: To talk about how and why we celebrate	Discover: To listen to the story of Diwali, the festival of light	Respect: To show respect for why Diwali is important for Hindu people	Celebrating Diwali Rama Sita Lights Hanuman	
Year 1 - Why do Hindu's worship Ganesh? Stories	Look: To talk about favourite stories Discover: To talk about the story of Ganesh	Discover: To retell the story of the birth of Krishna.	Discover and respect: To respond to the story of Rakhi	stories Krishna Ganesh Raksha Bandhan Rakhi	
Year 2 - Why would someone have a home shine? Prayer/home	Look: To understand how quiet times are used for prayer Discover: To describe a Hindu's home shrine	Discover: To describe how Hindu's pray at home	Discover and respect: To describe the importance of a Hindu's home	Puja arti shrine	diva aum mala
Year 3 - How do Hindu's show worship and love for their gods? Places of worship	Look: To describe special places Discover: To explore a Hindu's special place, the mandir	Discover: To describe the inside of the mandir	Discover and respect: To describe Puja and arti in the mandir	special places temple mandir murti	namaste arti (aarti) aum prasad
Year 4 - Why is the Hindu's book important to them? Holy Books	Look: To give reasons for a special book Discover: To describe a Hindu's holy book	Discover: To explain how we can learn from scripture	Discover and Respect: To describe how Hindu's search for truth through stories	Vedas Sanskrit Bhagavad-Gita	
Year 5 - What is special about Brahman? Beliefs and festivals	Look: To discuss what is important in life Discover: To understand the Hindu belief in one supreme God	Discover: To explore the story of Brahman	Discover and Respect: To understand why some Hindus make a pilgrimage	Brahman supreme God pilgrimage Ganges	
Year 6 - How does the belief in dharma and karma affect the way Hindu's lead their lives?	Look: To show an understanding of why we need rules. Discover: To describe what karma is	Discover: To understand and describe Dharma	Discover and Respect: To understand why Hindu's care for creation	Karma duty salvation Dharma	



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Belongings and values				Moksha aum