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| Cycle A (2022- 2023) | EYFS | KS1 | LKS2 | UKS2 |
| Autumn 1 | UC: F1 Creation- Why is the word ‘God’ so important to Christians? | UC: 1.2 Creation- Who made the world? | UC: 2a.1 Creation and Fall. What do Christians learn from the creation story? | UC: 2b.3 People of God - How can following God bring freedom and justice? |
| Autumn 2 | UC: F2 Incarnation- Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas? | UC: 1.3 Incarnation- Why does Christmas matter to Christians? | AS: L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communities? (Christmas /Diwali) | UC: 2b.5Gospel- What would Jesus do? |
| Spring 1 | AS: F2 Which people are special and why? | AS: 1.3 Who is Jewish and what do they believe? | AS: L2.1 What do different people believe about God? | AS: U2.6 What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? |
| Spring 2 | UC: F3 Salvation- Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden? | UC: F1 What do Christians believe God is like? | AS: L2.8 What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? | AS: U2.3 What do religions say to us when life gets hard? |
| Summer 1 | AS: F6 – What is special about our world | AS: 1.8 – How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter? | UC: 2a.6 Kingdom of God. When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost? | UC: 2b.1 God -What does it mean if God is loving and holy? |
| Summer 2 | AS: F4- What places are special and why? | AS: 1.5 In what way is a synagogue important to believers? | AS: L2.9 What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong? | UC: 2b.6 Salvation -What did Jesus do to save human beings? |

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| Cycle B (2023– 2024) | EYFS | KS1 | LKS2 | UKS2 |
| Autumn 1 | AS: F1 Which stories are special and why | AS: 1.3 Who is Christian and what do they believe? | UC: 2a.3 Incarnation What is the Trinity? | UC: 2b.2 Creation- Creation and science. Conflicting or complementary? |
| Autumn 2 | UC: F2 Incarnation- Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas? | UC: 1.4 Gospel - What is the good news Jesus brings? | UC: 2a.4 Gospel What kind of world did Jesus want? | UC: 2b.8 Kingdom of God- What kind of king is Jesus? |
| Spring 1 | AS: F4 What times are special and why? | AS: 1.3 Who is Muslim and what do they believe? | UC: 2a.2 People What is it like to follow God? | AS: U2.4 If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? |
| Spring 2 | UC: F3 Salvation- Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden? | UC: 1.5 Salvation- Why does Easter Matter to Christians? | UC: 2a.5 Salvation Why do Christians call the day Jesus died ‘Good Friday’? | UC: 2b.4 Incarnation- Was Jesus the Messiah? |
| Summer 1 | AS: F5 Being special: where do we belong? | AS: 1.4 What can we learn from sacred books? | AS: L2.6 Why do some people think that life is a journey and what significant experiences mark this? | UC: 2b.7 Salvation- What difference does the resurrection make to Christians? |
| Summer 2 |  |  | AS: 1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith community? | AS: U2.5 Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? |

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| Cycle C (2024– 2025) | EYFS | KS1 | LKS2 | UKS2 |
| Autumn 1 |  |  | AS: L2.8 What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? |  |
| Autumn 2 |  |  | AS: 1.6 How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times? |  |
| Spring 1 |  |  | UC: 1.1 God – What do Christians believe God is like? |  |
| Spring 2 |  |  | UC: 1.4 Gospel – What is the good news that Jesus brings? |  |
| Summer 1 |  |  | AS: L2.4 Why do people pray? |  |
| Summer 2 |  |  | AS: L2.3 Why is Jesus inspiring to some people? |  |

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Supplemented with resources from other places when necessary. [Religious education (RE) resources - FREE, KS1, KS2, KS3. KS4 (natre.org.uk)](https://www.natre.org.uk/resources/?AgeGroupIDs%5B%5D=2&AgeGroupIDs%5B%5D=3)

Educational enrichment: The Open Centre Derby – workshops and visits.