



Mersey Park Primary School R.E. Overview 2022-2023



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Creation Stories	Know that some people come together to celebrate advent, Diwali and Christmas.	People in the community that help us. The role of Imam, Rabbi and Priest.	Celebrations Chinese New Year, Mothers' Day, Easter.	Animals in religions. How to look after animals.	Different religions and communities
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Year 1 Theme: festivals and celebrations	Creation stories. Concept of different faiths and beliefs. Harvest	Festivals – advent, Diwali, Christmas.	Friendship and kindness in the bible e.g. Martha and Mary, Zacchaeus	Water: Noah and the Ark; baptisms (John the Baptist), Miracles Palm Sunday.	Judaism – the Sabbath, routines and rituals and celebrations	Stories used to teach morals The Sea in the Bible – Jonah and the Whale, the great catch, fishers of men.
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Year 2 Theme: kindness and rules	Kindness. The Good Samaritan, Love your enemies, treat others like they want to be treated. The Kindness Tree Mindfulness- be kind to yourself	How people saved the world and saved people. Jesus being born to save the world. <i>Mother Teresa, Jesus' miracles</i>	Passover. Special meals. Judaism the Passover meal. <i>Seder meal, prayer shawls, The Torah</i>	Easter: Ash Wednesday, Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday-the last supper and the trial of Jesus	Five pillars of Islam. Key features of a mosque. Compare and contrast Islam and Christianity.	Know that most people have rules to live by Rules in Judaism, Islam and Christianity. <i>Moses and the 10 commandments</i>
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Year 3 Theme: ancient religions and beliefs. Concept of Holy. Spirituality.	Moses. The 10 plagues of Egypt. The parting of the Red Sea, The burning bush.	Angels, archangels, cherubs. Angel Gabriel- Nativity story	The origins of different religions. Gods and deities in different religions. <i>Humanism, Hinduism, Sikhism, Buddhism</i>	Easter. The trial, garden of Gethsemane, the crucifixion. Betrayal. Resurrection <i>The Lord's Prayer</i>	Hinduism. Gods, holy, sacred River Ganges. Idea of cleansing.	Holy sites in ancient religions. The idea of holy and concept of pilgrimage. <i>Jerusalem- holy land, Vatican City, Mecca, Bodh Gaya</i>
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Year 4 Theme: stories with meanings. Morality.	The gospels. Parables in Matthew, Mark Luke and John.	Parables in Sikhism. Guru Nanek	Celtic religion Crosses in different forms. St. Patrick, St. Cuthbert Animal imagery	Saints Christopher, St. Theresa. St. George. St. Andrew, St. Mary	Islam, parables, prayers, festivals and main beliefs. Ramadan	Know the role of a bishop and an archbishop Parts of a church and Cathedral
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Year 5 Theme: religious symbolism.	Sectarianism. Catholics and Protestants. Orthodox Christians. Key similarities between them. Key symbols. <i>Baptism in these religions</i>	The symbolism, rites and rituals in weddings in Christianity, Sikhism and Hinduism.	Religious symbols in art and in different religious festivities e.g. Star of David, the Khanda, The Crescent and Star	Prophecy and prophets: Abraham, Mohammed, Jesus, Moses, Isaiah.	Death and funerals. How different religions treat their dead. Christian, Hindu, Muslims, Jews	Judaism. Rabbi, Rites of passage. Symbolism in a synagogue. Know about the rites and rituals of Judaism
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Year 6 Theme: spirituality. Sacrifice.	The concept of a spirit and soul. Mother Earth and the idea of spirituality in different religions. Meditation	The different versions of the Christmas story. The spirituality of Christmas.	Lent and fasting. Self-sacrifice in different religions. Jainism	The last supper, betrayal, denial, The crucifixion – sacrifice. The Resurrection	Buddhism. The 4 noble truths. Peace and non-violence. Know how some Buddhists live in the modern world.	Religious Leaders and Beliefs- from all religions studied. Similarities and differences
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