

# Michael Faraday Discovery RE Curriculum Map 2023- 24



**Autumn 1**

**Autumn 2**

**Spring 1**

**Spring 2**

**Summer 1**

**Summer 2**

**Nursery and Reception**

EYFS explore major religious festivals and events throughout the year. They read stories, have activities and carpet sessions around the celebrations. They compare them and share their own experiences of celebrations.

**Year 1**

**Theme: Creation Stories from around the world**  
**Concept: God/Creation**  
**Key Question: Does God want Christians to take care of the world?**  
**Religion: Range**

**Places of Worship**

**Theme: Jesus as a friend**  
**Concept: Incarnation**  
**Key Question: Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?**  
**Religion: Christianity**  
**Discovery RE**

**Religion and Rituals**

**Theme: Shabbat**  
**Key Question: Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?**  
**Religion: Judaism**

**Theme: Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur**  
**Key Question: Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?**  
**Religion: Judaism**

**Year 2**

**Theme: What did Jesus teach?**  
**Concept: Gospel**  
**Key Question: Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?**  
**Religion: Christianity.**  
**Discovery RE**

**Places of Worship**

**Theme: Prayer at home**  
**Key Question: Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/her everyday life?**  
**Religion: Islam**

**Ceremonies**

**Theme: Community and Belonging**  
**Key Question: Does going to a mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?**  
**Religion: Islam**

**Theme: Hajj**  
**Key Question: Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?**  
**Religion: Islam**

**Year 3**

**Theme: Divali**  
**Key Question: Would celebrating Diwali at home and in the community bring a feeling of belonging to a Hindu child?**  
**Religion: Hinduism**

**Light and Dark**

**Theme: Jesus' Miracles**  
**Concept: Incarnation**  
**Key Question: Could Jesus really heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation?**  
**Religion: Christianity**  
**Discovery RE**

**Signs and Symbols**

**Theme: Hindu Beliefs**  
**Key Question: How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?**  
**Religion: Hinduism**

**Theme: Pilgrimage to the River Ganges**  
**Key Question: Would visiting the River Ganges feel special to a non-Hindu?**  
**Religion: Hinduism**

<p><b>Year 4</b></p>	<p>Theme: Buddha's teachings Key Question: Is it possible for everyone to be happy? Religion: Buddhism</p>	<p>Faith Today</p>	<p>Theme: The 8-fold path Key Question: Can the Buddha's teachings make the world a better place? Religion: Buddhism</p>	<p>People of Faith</p>	<p>Theme: The 8-fold path Key Question: What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life? Religion: Buddhism</p>	<p>Theme: Prayer and Worship Key Question: Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians? Religion: Christianity Discovery RE</p>
<p><b>Year 5</b></p>	<p>*Theme: Belief into action Key Question: How far would a Sikh go for his/her religion? Religion: Sikhism</p>	<p>Worship</p>	<p>Theme: Beliefs and moral values Key Question: Are Sikh stories important today? Religion: Sikhism</p>	<p>Peace</p>	<p>*Theme: Prayer and Worship Key Question: What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God? Religion: Sikhism</p>	<p>Theme: Beliefs and Practices Key Question: What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God? Religion: Christianity Discovery RE</p>
<p><b>Year 6</b></p>	<p>Theme: Beliefs and Practices Key Question: What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God? Religion: Islam</p>	<p>Creation Stories</p>	<p>Theme: Beliefs and Meaning Concept: Salvation Key Question: Is anything ever eternal? Religion: Christianity Discovery RE</p>	<p>What matters most?</p>	<p>Theme: Beliefs and moral values Key Question: Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives? Religion Islam NB: This enquiry is taught in 2 sections over the term</p>	

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