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Cycle A+B						
Year	**Autumn 1**	**Autumn 2**	**Spring 1**	**Spring 2**	**Summer 1**	**Summer 2**
EYFS	**Christians** Why is the word God so important to Christians?	**Christians** Why is Christmas special for Christians?	**Thematic** Being Special: Where do we belong?	**Christians** Why is Easter special for Christians?	**Thematic** Which places are special and why?	**Thematic** Which stories are special and why?
	Diwali *Christmas* *Hanukkah*		*Easter* *Eid*			

Cycle A 2026-2027						
	Autumn		**Spring**		**Summer**	
KS1	**Christians** Who do Christians say made the world?	**Christians** What do Christians believe God is like?	**Jews** Who is Jewish and how do they live?		**Thematic** What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	**Thematic** How should we care for the world and others, and why does it matter?

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LKS2	**Christians** What do Christians learn from the Creation story?	**Christians** What is it like for someone to follow God?	**Muslims** How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?	**Jews** How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jews?	**Christians** What kind of a world did Jesus want?	**Thematic** How and why do people try to make the world a better place?
UKS2	**Christians** What does it mean if Christians believe God is holy and loving?	**Muslims** What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	**Christians** Why do Christians believe that Jesus is the Messiah?	**Jews** Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people?	**Christians** How do Christians decide how to live? 'What would Jesus do?'	**Thematic** What matters most to Humanists and Christians?

Cycle B 2027-2028

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
KS1	**Muslims** Who is a Muslim and how do they live?	**Christians** Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	**Muslims** Who is a Muslim and how do they live?	**Christians** Why does Easter matter to Christians?	**Christians** What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings?	**Thematic** What makes some places sacred to believers?

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LKS2	**Christians** What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important for Christians?	**Hindus** What do Hindus believe that God is like?	**Hindus** What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?	**Christians** Why do Christians call the day Jesus did 'Good Friday'?	**Christians** For Christians, what was the impact of Pentecost?	**Thematic** How and why do people mark the significant events of life?
UKS2	**Christians** Creating and Science: conflicting or complementary?	**Christians** How does faith help people when life gets hard?	**Hindus** Why do Hindus try to be good?	**Christians** What do Christians believe Jesus did to 'save' people?	**Christians** For Christians, what kind of king was Jesus?	**Thematic** Why do some people believe in God and some people not?