



Curriculum Overview

Subject: R.E



3 disciplines: **Theology: Thinking through believing** **Philosophy: Thinking through thinking** **Human/Social Science: Thinking through living**

	<u>Autumn</u>	<u>Spring</u>	<u>Summer</u> <u>SOUL SPACE WHOLE SCH ENRICHMENT</u>
Bears	<p><i>ELG Understanding the World :People and Communities</i> Celebrations and Traditions: -Birthdays, Bonfire Night, Remembrance Sunday Main Focus: -Christmas (Christianity) Why do Christians celebrate Christmas?</p>	<p><i>ELG Understanding the World: People and Communities</i> Celebrations and Traditions: -Chinese New Year Main Focus: Easter (Christianity) Why and how do Christians celebrate Easter?</p>	<p><i>ELG Understanding the World: People and Communities</i> Main Focus: Noah's Ark Story- link to Animal /Beach Topic (Christianity) What is right? What is wrong?</p>
Lions	Who is Jesus? (Christianity)	What special times do Hindu families celebrate?) (Hinduism)	How do Hindus celebrate the birth of new family members? (Hinduism)
	What does the nativity story teach Christians about Jesus? (Christianity)	What does the cross mean to Christians? (Christianity)	Why do people show they belong to their faith? (Christianity) (Judaism)

Tigers	Why do Jewish people go to the synagogue? (Judaism)	What is the Bible? (Christianity) (Judaism link)	How is the Passover celebrated? (Judaism)
	Why is light an important symbol? (Christianity)	What do Christians believe happen to Jesus at Easter? (Christianity)	Why do people have different views about the idea of God? (Multi/Humanist)
Turtles	What do Muslims believe about God? (Islam)	What is the Trinity? (Christianity)	How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything? (Hinduism)
	What difference does being a Muslim make to everyday life? (Islam)	What does sacrifice mean? (Christianity)	What is pilgrimage, and why do people go? (Islam) (Christianity)
Dolphins	Who was Muhammad and what is the Qur'an? (Islam)	How do Christians demonstrate their faith to others? (Christianity)	Who was Siddhartha Gautama? (Buddhism)
	How do Muslims express commitment to Islam? (Islam)	What do symbols express? (Main focus: Christianity link to Judaism and Hinduism)	What do we mean by faith? Is seeing believing? (Multi/Humanist)

Penguins	Why is Wesak (Festival) important to Buddhists? (Buddhism)	How do Buddhists demonstrate their faith to others based on teachings? (Buddhism)	How do Sikhs express their commitment? (Sikhism)
	What can we learn about the meaning of life from the great philosophers? (Christianity) (Buddhism)	Why do Christians call the day that Jesus died Good Friday? (Christianity)	Is believing in God reasonable? (Multi/Humanist)
Sharks	What does it mean to be human? Is being happy the greatest purpose in life? (Humanist/Christianity)	How do Buddhists explain the suffering in the world? (Buddhism)	Creation and science: conflicting or complementary? (Multi/Humanist)
	How has the belief in Jesus impacted on music and art through History? (Christianity)	Who is Gandhi and how does he influence Hindus? (Hinduism)	<u>Does religion bring peace or conflict?</u> (Multi/Humanist)