RE CURRICULUM MAP

Year 1



Year 1 Autumn 1	Unit: 1.1 Harvest. How can we help those who do not have a good harvest? To raise awareness that we harvest food all around the world and that we usually have plenty but others do not. To discuss what our response as	 Why do we celebrate Harvest Festival? Where does our food come from? Which foods do you enjoy the most? How can we help those who do not have a good harvest? Why should we help those who do not have a 	To take part in a harvest festival service in school or Church. Looking at Christian Aid (or equivalent) materials.	By the end of this topic, the children will use this vocabulary Key Vocabulary Harvest, Harvest Festival and Christian Aid
	Christians should be to the need of others.	good harvest? Empathise Investigate Enquire		Christian Values Responsibility Justice Compassion Generosity
Autumn 2	Unit: 1.2 God and creation and Christmas To give children the opportunity to develop their perceptions and	 What do we know and believe about God the creator of the world? I wonder how God felt when he had made the world? How have the actions of people spoilt the world? 	Listening to the story of Creation, taking time to look at God's beautiful creation, writing prayers of thanks and praise.	Key Vocabulary God, Creation, Genesis, pollution, world, environment, psalm and hymns.

	understanding of God. To provide an opportunity for reflection on feelings of awe, wonder, delight and mystery in relation to the natural world.	What do you feel about the wonder of creation? What are your favourite things that God created? Investigate Reflect Interpret		Christian Values Creativity Respect Reverence
Spring 1	Unit: 1.4 Jesus was special To enjoy exploring these Bible stories that reveal Jesus' power and divine nature. To talk about how and why Jesus was special.	 What does special mean? Jesus was special. How? Why? What made Jesus special? Who were the special friends of Jesus and how did they try to follow his teachings? How do we make and build friendships? Empathy Deficiency	Discussing Friendship Relating the feelings and experiences of the characters in the stories with their own feelings and experiences.	Key Vocabulary Jesus, Son of God, friendship, miracle and disciple. Christian Values
		Reflection Interpretation		Friendship Compassion Trust

Spring 2	Unit 1.5 Easter Celebrating New life and New Beginnings To give children an opportunity to reflect upon the miracles of nature and new life during springtime. For pupils to hear and be able to retell the Easter Story. To make links between the transformation of plants and animals and the Easter story in order to develop an understanding of the resurrection.	 What do you think is the most important part of the Easter Story? In what way is the Easter Story about new life? How do you think people feel when someone they love has died? How does the life cycle of a butterfly reflect the events of Easter? In what way is Easter a new beginning? Reflect Investigate 	To create an Easter garden. To hear, discuss and retell the events of the Easter Story. To study the miracle of the life cycle of a butterfly, plant, frog etc.	Key Vocabulary Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Jesus, new life, Holy Week, disciples, Mary, resurrection, garden and tomb. Christian Values Faith Hope Love Joy
Summer 1	Unit: 1.7 Why is baptism special? • To deepen children's understanding of what it means to belong through exploring the celebration of baptism and the ways in which people	 What does it mean to 'belong?' What is baptism? Why are some people baptised? Why is baptism special? What is a promise? Where is it kept? How is it kept? What makes you feel as if you are part of God's family? 	The re-enactment of a baptism service. Hearing the Story of Jesus being baptised by John. Exploring the objects in the chatterbox and the religious traditions of at least 2 other faiths.	Key Vocabulary Baptism, font, Christening, Vicar/Minister, Priest, Godparents, water and belonging.

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of faith welcome	 How do people of faith 	
babies.	welcome new babies?	
	Investigate	Christian Values
	Apply	Faith
	Empathise	Love
	Emputiise	Love

Summer 2	

Unit: 1.8 Joseph

- To explore one of the most well-known epic stories of the Old Testament.
- To help pupils to talk about the actions and feelings of the characters and relate them to their own experiences.
- To consider what we can learn from this story.
- To learn more about the nature and characteristics of God.

Unit: 1.9 My world, Jesus' world

 To help children understand that Jesus lived a long time ago and that the world we live in

Unit 1.8

- How do we know God was with Joseph?
- I wonder how Joseph was feeling?
- I wonder why Joseph was a Bible hero?
- I wonder what we can learn from this story?

Unit 1.9

- Where did Jesus grow up?
- What style of clothes did Jesus wear?
- What toys did he have?
- Did Jesus have a mobile phone?
- Did Jesus eat chips?
- If you could travel back in time to Jesus' world, what would you like to see?
- Did Jesus go to school?
- Did Jesus go to the cinema?

Unit 1.8

Retelling the story of Joseph through drama, art and objects.

Unit 1.9

Reading Bible stories that highlight the differences between our world and Jesus' world.

Role play and food tasting. Creating a book of comparisons.

Unit 1.8 Key Vocabulary

Joseph, Jacob, brothers, dreams, coat, Egypt and forgiveness.

Unit 1.9 Key Vocabulary

Jesus, Jerusalem and Nazareth

is very different to	Unit 1.8	Unit 1.8
Jesus' world over	Empathise	Christian Values
2000 years ago.	Interpret	Forgiveness
	Reflect	Love
		Humility
	Unit 1.9	
	Investigate	Unit 1.9
	Enquire	Christian Values
		Creativity