

TOWNVILLE INFANTS' SCHOOL

	Nursery	Reception	Year One	Year Two	
Wakefield Agreed Syllabus for RE	Foundation Stage – Discovering the World Believing F1 Which stories are special and why? F2 Which people are special and why?		Believing - Who is a Christian and what do they believe? - Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? - Who is a Jewish and what do they believe? - What can we learn from sacred books? Christians/Muslims and/or Jewish people		
	Expressing F3 Which places are special and why? F4 Which times are special and why?		Expressing - What makes some places sacred? Christians/Muslims and/or Jewish people - How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times? Christians/Muslims and/or Jewish people -		
	Living F5 Where do we be F6 What is special	elong? about our world and why?		to belong to a faith community? Christians/Muslims and/or Jewish people for others and the world, and why does it matter?	

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Believing	EYFS Statements	Which Stories are special and why?	Who is a Christian and what do they	Who is a Christian and what do
		Talk about some religious stories	believe?	they believe?
	Use a wider range	Recognise some religious words, e.g. about God	Talk about some simple ideas about	Make links between what Jesus
	of vocabulary	Identify some of their own feelings in the stories they	Christian beliefs about God and Jesus.	taught and what Christians believe
		hear	Re-tell a story that shows what	and do.
	Begin to make	Identify a sacred text e.g. Bible, Qur'an	Christians might think about God, in	
	sense of their own	Talk about what Jesus teaches about keeping promises	words, drama and pictures, suggesting	Who is a Muslim and what do
	life-story and	and say why keeping promises is a good thing to do.	what it means.	they believe?
	family's history.		Talk about issues of good and bad,	Talk about some simple ideas
		Which people are special and why?	right and wrong arising from the	about Muslim beliefs about God,
	Know that there are	Talk about people who are special to them	stories.	making links with some of the 99
	different countries	Say what makes their family and friends special to	Ask some questions about believing in	Names of Allah).
	in the world and	them	God and offer some ideas of their own.	Re-tell a story about the life of the
	talk about the	Identify some of the qualities of a good friend		Prophet Muhammad.
	differences they			



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	have experienced or seen in photos.	Recall and talk about stories of Jesus as a friend to others Recall a story about a special person in Sikhism and talk about what can be learnt from it. EYFS Statements Learn new vocabulary. Listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to	Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? Talk about the fact that Muslims believe in God (Allah) and follow the example of the Prophet Muhammad Identify some ways Muslims mark Ramadan and celebrate Eid-ul-Fitr Recognise that Muslims do not draw Allah or the Prophet, but use	Recognise some objects used by Muslims and suggest why they are important. Identify some ways Muslims mark Ramadan and celebrate Eid-ul-Fitr and how this might make them feel. Find out about and respond with ideas to examples of cooperation
		develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary. See themselves as a valuable individual. Talk about members of their immediate family and community. Name and describe people who are familiar to them. Understand that some places are special to members of their community. ELG: Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class	calligraphy to say what God is like. Who is Jewish and what do they believe? Talk about the fact that Jewish people believe in God Recognise that some Jewish people remember God in different ways (eg mezuzah, on Shabbat)	Who is Jewish and what do they believe? Talk about how the mezuzah in the home reminds Jewish people about God Talk about how Shabbat is a special day of the week for Jewish people, and give some examples of what they might do to celebrate Shabbat Re-tell a story that shows what Jewish people at the festival of Chanukah might think about God,
Expressi	Understand 'why' questions, like: "Why do you think the caterpillar got so fat?"	Which places are special and why? Talk about somewhere that is special to themselves, saying why Be aware that some religious people have places which have special meaning for them Talk about the things that are special and valued in a place of worship Identify some significant features of sacred places	What can we learn from sacred books? Talk about some of the stories that are used in religion and why people still read them Recognise some ways in which Christians, Muslims and Jewish people treat their sacred books	suggesting what it means What can we learn from sacred books? Recognise that sacred texts contain stories which are special to many people and should be treated with resect Re-tell stories from the Christian Bible and stories from another



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Be able to express a point of view and to debate when they disagree with an adult or a friend, using words as well as actions.

Notice and ask questions about differences, such as skin colour, types of hair, gender, special needs and disabilities, and so on Recognise a place of worship - Get to know and use appropriate words to talk about their thoughts and feelings when visiting a church

Which times are special and why?

Give examples of special occasions that they and others have experienced and suggest features of a good celebration.

Say why Sukkot is a special time for Jewish people.
Say why Diwali is a special time for Hindus.
Recall a simple story connected with Diwali.
Say why Christmas is a special time for Christians.
Recall a simple story connected with Christmas.
Give examples of special occasions and suggest aspects of celebration that are found in more than one religious festival.

Recall simple stories connected with festivals. Say why festivals are special times for members of faith communities

EYFS Statements

Use new vocabulary through the day.
Ask questions to find out more
Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences.

Talk with others to solve conflicts
Build constructive and respectful relationships.
Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.

Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways.

What makes some places sacred?

Identify special objects and symbols found in a place where people worship and be able to say something about what they mean and how they are used.

Talk about ways in which stories, objects, symbols and actions used in churches, mosques and/or synagogues show what people believe.

Ask good questions during a school visit about what happens in a church, synagogue or mosque

How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times?

Identify some ways Christians celebrate Christmas/ Easter/Harvest/ Pentecost and some ways a festival is celebrated in another religion Re-tell stories connected with Christmas/

Easter/ Harvest/ Pentecost and a festival in another religion and say why these are important to believers. Ask questions and suggest answers about stories to do with Christian festivals and a story from a festival in another religion.

Collect examples of what people do, give, sing, remember or think about at

faith; suggest the meaning of these stories

Ask and suggest answers to questions arising from stories Jesus told and from another religion

Talk about issues of good and bad, right and wrong arising from the stories

What makes some places sacred?

Show that they have begun to be aware that some people regularly worship God in different ways and in different places

How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times?

Suggest meanings for some symbols and actions used in religious celebrations, including Easter/ Christmas, Chanukah and/ or Eid-ul-Fitr..

Identify some similarities and differences between the celebrations studied



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		ELG: Participate in small group, class and one-to-one	the religious celebrations studied, and	
		discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently	say why they matter to believers	
		introduced vocabulary		
Living	EYFS Statements	Where do we belong?	What does it mean to belong to a	What does it mean to belong to a
	Enjoys joining in	Re-tell religious stories making connections with	faith community?	faith community?
	with family customs	personal experiences	Recognise and name some symbols of	Give examples of ways in which
	and routines	Share and record occasions when things have	belonging from my own experience,	believers express their identity and
	Talk about how	happened in their lives that made them feel special	for Christians and at least one other	belonging within faith
	they belong to	Recall simply what happens at a traditional Christian	religion, suggesting what these might	communities, responding
	their family and	infant baptism and dedication	mean and why they matter to	sensitively to differences.
	how as a family	Recall simply what happens when a baby is welcomed	believers.	Identify some similarities and
	they celebrate	into Islam	Give an account of what happens at a	differences between the
	special occasions		traditional Christian infant baptism	ceremonies studied
		What is special about our world?	/dedication and suggest what the	
	EYFS Statements	Talk about things they find interesting, puzzling or	actions and symbols mean.	How should we care for others
		wonderful and also about their own experiences and	Identify two ways people show they	and the world, and why does it
	Begin to	feelings about the world	belong to each other when they get	matter?
	understand the	Re-tell stories, talking about what they say about the	married.	Re-tell Bible stories and stories
	need to respect and	world, God, human beings	Respond to examples of co-operation	from another faith about caring
	care for the natural	Think about the wonders of the natural world,	between different people	for others and the world.
	environment and all	expressing ideas and feelings		Identify ways that some people
	living things	I can express ideas about how to look after animals	How should we care for others and	make a response to God by caring
		and plants	the world, and why does it matter?	for others and the world.
	Continue	Talk about what people do to mess up the world and	Talk about how religions teach that	Talk about issues of good and
	developing positive	what they do to look after it	people are valuable, giving simple	bad, right and wrong arising from
	attitudes about the		examples.	the stories.
	differences	EYFS Statements	Recognise that some people believe	Talk about some texts from
	between people.		God created the world and so we	different religions that promote
		Describe events in some detail.	should look after it.	the 'Golden Rule', and think about
		Develop their sense of responsibility and membership		what would happen if people
		of a community		followed this idea more.
		Think about the perspectives of others.		Use creative ways to express their
				own ideas about the creation story



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		Recognise some similarities and differences between		and what it says about what God	
		life in this country and life in other countries.		is like.	
Кеу	God, Christmas,	Christianity	Christianity	•	
Vocabulary	birthday, Easter,	Christian, The Bible, God, Jesus, Christmas, baptism,	Christian, The Bible, God, Christmas, baptism, christening, church, Old Testament, Jesus, miracle, altar, cross, crucifix, font, lectern, candles and the		
	celebrate, special,	christening, candle dedication, church, Easter, disciple			
	belong	Islam	symbol of light, Samaritan Easter, betray, holy, service		
	Muslim, mosque, Prophet Muhammad,		Sunday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Pentecost,		
		Judaism	shepherd, parable		
	Jewish, Sukkot Hinduism Hindu, Diwali, Rakshan Bandhan, Rakhi Sikhism Sikh, Guru Nanak General		Islam		
			Muslim, Allah, Muhammad, Kaaba, mosque, wudu, calligraphy, muezzin,		
		symbol, celebrate, believe, special, sacred book,	p, prophet, minaret, charity, faith, geometric, creator, Eid-ul-Fitr, Ramadan,		
		festival, celebration, religion, belonging, worship,			
		artefacts, place of worship, holy, friendship, caring,			
unique, valuable, sign, wonder, creation Judaism		Judaism			
			Jewish, Hanukah, Shabbat, Pesach, synagogue, Torah, chuppah, Ark, kippah,		
		allit, tefellin, Ner Tamid, Torah scroll, tzitzit (tassels), hanukkiah, bimah			
			mezuzah, Chanukah, Shema, precious, .	Seder plate, kosher, Shabbat Shalom,	
			dreidel, chanukiah, menorah, Tzedekah	mantle, yad, Hebrew, slaves,	
Tenakh, tikkun olan, Tu'B'shevat General		Tenakh, tikkun olan, Tu'B'shevat			
		General			
			symbol, sign, celebrate, believe, special	, sacred book, miracle, prayer, angel,	
			festival, celebration, religion, belonging	, promise, worship, artefacts, place	
			of worship, sacred, holy, precious, uniqu	ue unique, Golden Rule	