RE - Progression of Skills Following Pan-Berkshire RE curriculum

Skills	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	CHRISTIANITY & JUDAISM			CHRISTIANITY & HINDUISM		CHRISTIANITY & SIKHISM	CHRISTIANITY & ISLAM
	In the EYFS, the RE should be aligned to the most recent EYFS framework.	Is everybody special?	Who should you follow?	Does taking bread and wine show that	Do Murtis help Hindus understand God?	Do Sikhs need the Guru Granth Sahib?	Are saints encouraging role models?
Autumn 1		Key Concepts: Community; baptism; the Golden Rule Key Objective: to explore how and why people choose to belong to groups and religions and the difference that makes to their lives.	Key Concepts: Judaism; Moses & Joshua; Rabbi; Vicar Key Objectives: To find out about religious leaders and how and why they are followed To learn some stories about religious leaders and their significance for believers.	someone is a Christian? Key Concepts: Communion; Commitment; Church Key Objective: to explore the ritual of communion and other ways of belonging to the church	Key Concepts: God; Brahman; Trimurti; Murtis; Avatars Key Objective: to explore how Hindus express their beliefs through images of deities and symbols	Key Concepts: Sacred text; Gurus Key Objective: to explore different ways of showing belief with special reference to Sikhism	Key Concepts: Persecution; Saints; Commitment; Martyr; Faith Key Objective: to explore reasons behind the persecution of saints/believers; to compare the saints to the person and persecution of Jesus
Autumn 2	It is expected that learning will be experiential and thematic during the EYFS.	Should we celebrate Harvest or Christmas? Key Concepts: Christianity; Harvest; Christmas; Judaism; Sukkot; Giving thanks Key Objective: to explore and compare reasons for celebrating Harvest and Christmas To learn that not everyone celebrates the same festivals	Do religious symbols mean the same to everyone? Key Concepts: Symbols; Belonging; Key Objectives: To explore the variety of ways people can express beliefs by what they wear To explore the different meanings behind symbols	Is light a good symbol for celebration? Key Concepts: Light; Belief; Advent; Diwali; Chanukah Key Objective: to understand the significance of light as a symbol of belief	Does the Christmas narrative need Mary? Key Concepts: God; Virgin Mary; Christ; Icon Key Objective: to explore the role of Mary in Christian life and in the Christmas story in particular	Does God communicate with Humans? Key Concepts: Sacred text; Prophecy; Revelation, Incarnation Key Objective: to understand the Christmas story from a Biblical viewpoint	Is "God made man" a good way to understand the Christmas story? Key Concepts: Christ; Incarnation; Emmanuel Key Objective: to explore the concept of incarnation in the Christmas story; to compare the Biblical narrative with a traditional Christmas story

Spring 1	Does Creation help people understand God? Key Concepts: Creation, God, Christianity, Judaism Key Objective: to understand Christian and or Jewish beliefs about Creation and the character of God	Is it important to celebrate the New Year? Key Concepts: Celebration; New Year; Rosh Hashanah; Key Objective: to explore the ways that different people and different faiths celebrate New Year	Is a Hindu child free to choose how to live? Key Concepts: Hindu; Belief; Commandments – Dharma (a person's duty, doing the right thing in a given situation) and Karma (the law of cause and effect) Key Objective: to explore the impact Hindu beliefs have on the life of a child, especially the 5 daily duties; Hindu family life and worship in the home; to explore the consequences of actions and choices.	Is a holy journey necessary for believers? Key Concepts: Hindu; Christianity; Pilgrimage; Worship Key Objective: to explore the holy journeys made by believers; the reasons and impact for such journeys	Does the community of the Gurdwara help Sikhs lead better lives? Key Concepts: Gurdwara; Community Key Objective: to explore how the Gurdwara influences the life and belief of Sikhs	Do clothes express beliefs? Key Concepts: Islam; Judaism, Modest dress code, (Sikh 5 Ks – if desired) Key Objective: to explore whether clothing rules and restrictions can express belief and give people a sense of identity
Spring 2	Should everyone follow Jesus? Key Concepts: Christianity; Easter; Leaders; Rabbi; Vicar Key Objective: to explore the reasons why people follow Jesus, with reference to the Easter story	How should the Church celebrate Easter? Key Concepts: Easter; Baptism; Church. Key Objective: to explore how and why the church celebrates Easter	Does Easter make sense without Passover? Key Concepts: Judaism; Christianity; Freedom; Passover; Last Supper Key Objective: to explore the connections between Passover and Easter, particularly the Last Supper	Should believers give things up? Key Concepts: Christianity; Lent; Giving things up, Carnival Key Objective: to explore Lent and its significance for Christian belief and practice	Christianity: Was the death of Jesus a worthwhile sacrifice? Key Concepts: Christianity; Sacrifice; Sin; Redemption, Atonement, Salvation, Grace Key Objective: to explore the significance of death of Jesus at Easter for Christians	Is the resurrection important to Christians? Key Concepts: Resurrection; Reincarnation; Funeral; Heaven Key Objective: to explore the resurrection of Jesus, the Easter narrative and concepts of life after death
Summer 1	Are some stories more important than others?	Can stories change people? Key Concepts: Christianity; Judaism;	Does Jesus have authority for everyone?	Did Jesus really do miracles?	Are you inspired? Key Concepts: Christ; Holy Spirit;	Can we know what God is like? Key Concepts:

	Key Concepts: Christianity; Judaism; Old Testament; Moral stories; God; Faith Key Objective: to explore some Old Testament stories and find what can be learned from them	Old Testament (story of Joseph); New Testament (story of Zacchaeus) Key Objective: to explore the way that Old Testament and New Testament stories influence readers and listeners and the reasons for the inclusion of stories.	Key Concepts: Authority; Jesus, Gospel; Obedience, trust, faith Key Objective: to explore the life and teachings of Jesus from the perspective of his authority; to examine the authority that Jesus has for Christians today	Key Concepts: Miracles, faith, belief, doubt Key Objective: to explore at least two miracles of Jesus and evaluate them from the view of a believer and a sceptic	Inspiration; Pentecost Key Objective: to explore the person and work of the Holy Spirit; to find out what inspires Christians in the past and today	God; Prayer; Faith; Shahadah; Revelation Key Objective: to explore different views of God and how some people believe they can know God or know about God and why some do not believe at all
Summer 2	Do we need shared special places? Key Concepts: Judaism; Sacred space; Synagogue Key Objective: to explore the significance and role of the synagogue for Jews; become aware of the role of the home for Jews	How should you spend the weekend? Key Concepts: Judaism; Shabbat; Creation Key Objective: to explore the practice of observing Shabbat and the implications for Jewish believers and children.	Can made-up stories tell the truth? Key Concepts: Truth; Parable; Fable; Myth Key Objective: to explore how Jesus taught truths through story and why he chose to do this	Does prayer change things? Key Concepts: Prayer (sin/salvation/miracle) Key Objective: to explore the reasons why believers pray and what they believe the results are	What is best for our world? Does religion help people decide? Key Concepts: Inspiration; Christianity; Sikhism; Charity; Vand Chhakna; Seva, Langar Key Objective: to explore how and why believers help others through charity and service	Does it matter what we believe about creation? Key Concepts: Multi faith; Creation; Care for world Stewardship, Tawhid, Aum, Creator Key Objective: to explore different views of creation and consider the consequences of holding certain beliefs