



Hartford Infant and Preschool & Hartford Junior School Religious Education Long Term Plan



	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Year R Christianity	Festivals – What happens at a celebration or Festival? Birthdays, Diwali , Eid	Festivals – What happens at Christmas? Families Around the world	Ourselves – Where do I belong? We are unique Family Class/School/Groups	Our Community – Where do I belong? Local community Easter Church visit	Special books -What can we learn from stories from different religions? Bible Qur'an	Family Celebrations – What happens when a baby is born? Christening/Baptism Aqiqah
Year 1 Judaism Christianity	Harvest – Who celebrates Harvest? Introduce Judaism and Sukkot (Unit Plan)	Celebrations – Why do we have celebrations? Why is Christmas important to Christians? Hannukah Diwali	Judaism – What makes Judaism special? Family life, special clothes, places of worship, Shabbat, Torah, Holy day.	People in Christianity – Who is Jesus? Why is he special? Easter	Places in Christianity – What makes a Church a special place for Christians? Church visit	People and the World Around us – what does our world look like? (Unit plan) Different faiths How we should treat each other
Year 2 Islam Christianity	Daily life for Christians and Muslims – What makes a Christian/Muslim person special? What do they do as a family? 5 pillars of Islam	Celebrations – What special times do different religions celebrate? Eid Diwali Christmas	Places in Christianity – Why does belonging to a church make Christians feel special? Special places Features of a church	Religious people – Who is Jesus and why is he important to Christians? Who is the prophet Muhammad and why is he important to Muslims?	Islam – What makes Islam special? What happens in a mosque? Mosque visit	Special books – Why is the Bible important to Christians? Why is the Quran important to Muslims? Key stories from the Bible and Quran
Year 3 Sikhism Christianity	What texts are important to people of faith? Bible Torah Qur'an Key stories from each	How is Christmas celebrated around the world? Christmas trees and their symbolism. A special time for non-Christians too.	Sikhism – What makes Sikhism special? Gurdwara 5 Ks's Trip/Visitor if possible	How do people pray and what is prayer? What prayer looks like in Christianity , Islam and Judaism .	Sikhism – How do the teachings of Sikhism impact on how people choose to live their lives? Origins of Sikhism Modern life	How can we make a difference in our world today? Faith charities and non-faith charities
Year 4 Hinduism Christianity	Hinduism - What makes Hinduism special? Temple Worship Key beliefs	Hinduism –What do Hindus celebrate? Diwali Significant of light and link to Christmas Trip/visitor if possible	How do people of faith show their commitment and belonging to their faith? (People of faith unit plan)	Why is Easter the most important festival to Christians? Lent Bible Catholic church visit	What is peace? Look at peace and the similarities and differences across religions.	What makes a good deed? Good Samaritan Ramadan
Year 5 Buddhism Christianity	Buddhism – What makes Buddhism special? Buddha Temples and Shrines 4 Noble Truths Enlightenment	Buddhism – What do Buddhists celebrate? Wesak Dharma Day Buddhism around the world Trip/visitor if possible	How do people of different faiths celebrate their faith through art and music? Look at how different religions depict religious figures/stories in art.	What does it mean to be a person of faith today? Commitment Belonging Daily life	What do people believe about the creation of our world? Why should I care about it today? (Unit plan) Different religions/cultures Science/evolution	How should we treat each other? (Unit plan) Ten Commandments Golden Rule Humanism
Year 6 Humanism Judaism Christianity	What can we learn from stories of faith? How stories from different religions influence the way in which people live today.	What does it mean to be a Christian? Different denominations Teachings Life today	What do Humanists believe? Values Celebrations What is Atheism? What do you believe? Humanist visitor	What does it mean to be a Jew? Jesus was a Jew. Different groups – traditional/progressive. Shabbat, Shalom, Sukkot. Festivals – Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur. Bar/Bat Mitzvah Trip/visitor if possible. Explore the Torah. How is it similar to the Bible?	What happens when we die? Reincarnation Karma Rebirth Heaven Atheism/ Humanism	Who in the world today shows courage, faith and commitment? Challenges people of faith have faced. Current examples of people of faith.