



Bowes Learning Quest

Long Term Subject Maps

RE	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	Religion: Judaism and Christianity Theme: Special people What makes people special?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Christmas What is Christmas?	Religion: Hinduism Theme: Celebrations How do people celebrate?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Easter What is Easter?	Religion: Sikhism, Christianity, Islam, Sikhism Theme: Stories What can we learn from stories?	Religion: Judaism, Christianity, Islam Theme: Special places What makes places special?
Reception	Religion: Judaism Theme: Special People What makes people special?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Christmas What is Christmas?	Religion: Hinduism Theme: Celebrations How do people celebrate?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Easter What is Easter?	Religion: Islam Theme: Special Places What makes places special?	Religion: Sikhism Theme: Stories What can we learn from stories?
Year 1	Religion: Christianity Theme: Creation Story Does God want Christians to look after the world?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Christmas What gifts might Christians in my town have given to Jesus if he had been born here rather than Bethlehem?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Jesus is a friend Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?	Religion: Judaism Theme: Shabbat Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?	Religion: Judaism Theme: Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?
Year 2	Religion: Christianity Theme: What did Jesus teach? Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Christmas – Jesus as a gift from God Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	Religion: Islam Theme: Prayer at home Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/her everyday life?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Easter – resurrection How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion?	Religion: Islam Theme: Community and Belonging Does going to a Mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?	Religion: Judaism Theme: Rites of Passage and good works What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?
Year 3	Religion: Hinduism Theme: Divali Would celebrating Divali at home and in the community bring a feeling of belonging to a Hindu child?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Incarnation Has Christmas lost its true meaning?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Incarnation Could Jesus heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Easter – Forgiveness What is 'good' about Good Friday?	Religion: Sikhism Theme: Sharing and Community Do Sikhs think it is important to share?	Religion: Hinduism Theme: Beliefs How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything



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Year 4	Religion: Buddhism Theme: Buddha's teachings Is it possible for everyone to be happy?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Christmas What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today?	Religion: Judaism Theme: Passover How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Easter Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	Religion: Islam Theme: The prophet Muhammed How important is the prophet Muhammed to Muslims?	Religion: Judaism Theme Rites of passage and good works What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?
Year 5	Religion: Hinduism Theme: Prayer and Worship What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Christmas Is the Christmas story true?	Religion: Sikhism Theme: Beliefs and moral values Are Sikh stories important today?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Easter How significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die?	Religion: Islam Theme: The Qur'an How does the Qur'an influence Muslims today?	Religion: Sikhism Theme Prayer and worship What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God
Year 6	Religion: Sikhism Year 5 Unit Theme: Beliefs and moral values Are Sikh's stories important today?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Christmas Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?	Religion: Hinduism Theme: Beliefs and moral values Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives?	Religion: Christianity Theme: Easter Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?	Religion: Islam Theme: Beliefs and moral values Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives? <i>* This enquiry is taught in two sections over the term</i>	