Learning, Growing, Achieving - TOGETHER

St Meryl School

Progression in Religious Education Vocabulary

EYFS

Enquiry	Special People - What makes people special?	Christmas - What is Christmas?	Celebrations - How do people celebrate?	Easter - What is Easter?	Story Time - What can we learn from stories?	Special Places - What makes places special?
Vocabulary	Families Friends Role Models Christianity Judaism Jesus Moses	Christianity Mary Joseph Frankincense Myrrh Giving Shepherds Wise Men	Sanatana Dharma Nowruz Holi Vishnu New Year	Christianity Jesus Palm Sunday The Last Supper Cross Tomb	Christianity Islam Sanatana Dharma Sikhi Parable Allah Brahmin Sadhana Guru Nanak	Christianity Islam Judaism Church Font Altar Lectern Mosque Minaret Musalla Mihrab Minbar Qur'an Synagogue Ark Torah Prayer Shawls Kippah

Year 1						
Enquiry	Creation Story - Does God want Christians to look after the world?	Christmas Story - What gifts might Christians in my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather than in Bethlehem?	Prayer and worship - Does visiting the synagogue help Jewish children feel closer to God?	Easter - Palm Sunday Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?	Shabbat - Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?	Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur - Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?
Vocabulary	Christianity Creation Story	Christianity Mary	Judaism	Christianity Palm Sunday	Judaism Challah	Rosh Hashanah

	Adam Eve	Joseph Gift Account Bible Gold Frankincense Myrrh Wise Men Anointing Incarnate/incarnation Magi	Synagogue or Shul Torah Star of David Ark Yad Torah Scrolls Hebrew Bimah Ner tamid Tallit Kippah Rabbi Mezuzah Western Wall/Wailing Wall Jerusalem Temple Reform Orthodox Mantle Mitzvah Sofer Tanakh Yad Sefer Torah	Palm cross Special Important Admire/admiration Qualities Celebrity Saviour Disciples Messiah Romans Judas Miracle Tomb	Priority Routine Sacrifice Creation Sabbath Commandment Shabbat Torah Blessings Challah bread Shabbat candle Kiddush cup Rabbi Kippah Havdalah candle Spice box Shalom	Yom Kippur Shofar

Year 2						
Enquiry	Introduction to Humanism - What do Humanists believe?	Christmas - Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	Prayer at home - Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/her everyday life?	Easter - How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after His crucifixion?	Prayer - Does going to a Mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?	Community and Belonging - Does going to a mosque give Muslims as sense of belonging?
Vocabulary	Humanism Golden Rule	Christianity Salvation	Islam Salah	Christianity Easter Egg	Islam Salah	Islam Hajj

	Humanism Humanist Non-religious Worldview Big bang Curiosity Evolution/evolved Happy Human	Charity Forgiveness Environment Pollution Recycling Reduce Repair Respect Reuse Saviour Advent Calendar Diverse / diversity Expecting Preparation Bible Forgiveness Gift Healing Kindness Love	Allah Qur'an Makkah Commitment Prayer (Salat/Salah) Muslims thankfulness self-discipline respect Mosque Dome, Minaret Washroom	Hot cross bun Resurrection arrest Crucifix/crucifuxion Easter Garden of Gethsemane Palm Sunday Spring Symbol Emmaus resurrection saviour Heaven Last Supper	Allah Qur'an Makkah Ka'bah Imam Prayer mat Washroom Quibba Shoe rack Mihrab Minaret Minbar	journey preparation Ka'bah Makkah pilgrimage Grand Mosque Mina Arafat belonging commitment Ummah Wudu

		Symbol/symbolise				

Year 3						
Enquiry	Divali - Would celebrating Divali at home and in the community bring a feeling of belonging to a Sanatani child?	Christmas - Has Christmas lost its true meaning?	Jesus' miracles - Could Jesus really heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation?	Easter - What is "good" about Good Friday?	Sanatani Beliefs - How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?	Pilgrimage to the River Ganges - Would visiting the River Ganges make a person a better Sanatani?

Vocabulary	Sanatan Dharma Divali Ramayana Rama	Christianity Advent Bethlehem Christian	Christianity Health Injury Miracle	Christianity Saviour / salvation betray Communion	Sanatan Dharma Deity Murti Tri - murti	Sanatan Dharma Fertile Nutrients Aspect

	Sita Lakshmi Rangoli patterns Diva lamp Puja tray Mandir	Christmas Incarnation Meaning Stable Prince of Glory Lord of love Saviour of the World	Operation Sickness Healing Incarnation Leper Leprosy Blindness Paralysed	Covenant disciples Gospel Last Supper Easter Role-model Sacrifice Jesus Palm Sunday Cross Tomb Maundy Thursday Judas	Brahman Aum Brahma Vishnu Shiva essence Atman Ganesh Personification Arti Puja Lakshmi Omnipresent	Atman Brahman Deity God Supreme Sanatana Dharma Sanatani Impurity Pilgrimage Supreme Cremation Ganga Varanasi

Year 4						
Enquiry	Humanist Climate Action - What motivates Humanists to lead good lives?	Christmas - What is the most significant part of the Christmas story for Christians today?	Life of Buddha - Is it possible for everyone to be happy?	Easter - Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	Buddha's teachings - Could Buddha's teachings make the world a better place?	Belief into Practice What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life?

Vocabulary	Humanism Actions Choices Consequences Golden Rule Humanist non-religious worldview atoms Big bang curiosity evolution/evolved freedom gases	Christianity diverse/diversit y meaningful symbol cultural local represent worldwide universal incarnation secular Clergy Christingle frankincense	Buddhism prince Siddhartha Buddha meditation enlightenment teachings Bodhi tree 8-fold path Gautama Yasodhara	Christianity forgive/ness resentment diversity heaven kingdom Messiah paradise salvation / Saviour The Lord's Prayer The Last Supper Peter	Buddhism wonderful (proper definition) compassion suffering change Buddha Anicca Dukkha – suffering enlightenment meditation Bodhi 8-fold path	Buddhism choices consequences enlightenment Nirvana reincarnation meditation Buddha teachings mindfulness suffering Buddha 8-fold path

	problem solution worldview carbon climate freedom global warming	myrrh				

Year 5						
Enquiry	Belief into action - How far would a Sikh go for his/her religion?	Christmas - Is the Christmas story true?	Belief and Moral Values - Are Sikh stories important today?	Easter - How significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die?	Prayer and Worship - What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God?	Beliefs and Practices What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?
Vocabulary	Sikhi commitment ideal/ideology Gurus Khalsa Karah Prashad 5 Ks (Kirpan Kesh Kara Kangha Kachera) Baisakhi or Vaisakhi Sacrifice Amrit Dhari Guru Tegh Bahadur Ji courage integrity oppression	Christianity personal scientific scholar source substance communion confirmation denomination rites of passage belief incarnation advent	Sikhi Guru Guru Granth Sahib Guru Nanak Khalsa	Christianity crucifixion forgiveness incarnation life after death Pharisee resurrection salvation saviour Pilate Conscience Holy Week Herod Mount of Olives Garden of Gethsemane	Sikhi Guru Amrit Khalsa Karah Parshad 5 Ks (Kirpan Kesh Kara Kangha Kachera) Guru Granth Sahib Langar Harmandir Sahib (formally called The Golden Temple) Guru Nanak Seva/Sewa (Selfless Service) Gurdwara	Christianity Ten Commandments Confirmation Lord's Prayer

	Seva/Swea (Selfless Service) Vand ke Chakna (Sharing) Pilgrimage Harmandir Sahib (formally called The Golden Temple) Waheguru Langar Guru Nanak				commitment turban Waheguru Naam japna Vand Ke Chakna Kirat Karnee Akal Takhat Maharaja Ranjit Singh	

Year 6						
Enquiry	Humanist role models – How do inspirational people impact on how Humanists live today?	Christmas - Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why He was born?	Beliefs and Meaning - Is anything ever eternal?	Easter - Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?	Beliefs and Practices - What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?	Beliefs and Moral Values - Does belief in Akirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?

Vocabulary	Humanism actions impact inspiration role-model atheist Golden Rule Humanist Physics Nobel Prize non-religious worldview evolution naturalist	Christianity celebration meaningful reminders symbols traditions incarnation personal significant events	Christianity eternal eternity forever agape binding conditional consubstantial promise serious unconditional covenant law oath	Christianity legacy festival charity poverty starvation symbol British Values impact persecution prejudice respect Commandments Lent	Islam commitment belonging Allah Ramadan Qur'an Zakat charity purify Sawm (Fasting) afterlife Hajj Five Pillars	Islam Akhirah Qur'an Surah Ayat Hadith Akhirah Jihad strive struggle Allah vision Muhammad Five Pillars

	natural selection anatomist anthropologist archaeology palaeopathology skeleton ethical impact inspiration		Agape Ten Commandments	Ash Wednesday Shrove Tuesday fish symbol CAFOD		Ummah