

Subject Area: Key Stage 3 Religious Education

Year	Term 1A – Creation and Covenant Knowledge, skills and key concepts	Term 1B – Prophecy and Promise Knowledge, skills and key concepts	Term 2A – Galilee to Jerusalem Knowledge, skills and key concepts	Term 2B – Desert to Garden Knowledge, skills and key concepts	Term 3A – To the ends of the Earth Knowledge, skills and key concepts	Term 3B – Dialogue and Encounter Knowledge, skills and key concepts
Year 7	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Students will be able to demonstrate that they know/can;	<p>We cannot fully understand God – God is a mystery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Revelation is the ways that God shows himself to us ○ The Bible is the Christian scripture and is a form of revelation ○ The Bible contains the Old Testament and the New Testament ○ The Bible is interpreted differently by different groups of Christians; ○ Prayer is communication with God ○ Stewardship is important to Christians, and how we can be good stewards 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Find a Bible reference ○ The Bible was written in different languages by many authors over a period of time ○ The Bible has been translated into many different languages and formats ○ The Bible is the word of God ○ The Bible is used in prayer and liturgy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jesus is God incarnate ○ Jesus is known by different titles – Son of God, Christ and Lord ○ Trinity is the belief that there is 1 God known through father son and Holy spirit ○ Jesus is the perfect role model of a human being 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ what a sacrament is ○ Eucharist is the 'source and summit' of Christian life; Catholics believe Jesus is present in the eucharist ○ Eucharist is very important for Catholics ○ the importance of eucharist to Carlo Acutis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The holy spirit is the 3rd part of the trinity ○ St Luke's accounts of Pentecost ○ why a young Christian might choose to be confirmed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Importance of different denominations and different religions working together ○ What it is like living as a Jewish person in the UK today – what beliefs and teachings influence their life?

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Year 8	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Students will be able to demonstrate that they know/can;	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> sin is an action against the law of God Humans are special creations of God; ‘imago dei’ Humans should follow God’s law which he has given us 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The OT prophets are important The OT prophecies Jesus Reflect on how they can listen for and speak God’s word 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> That the gospels are the ‘good news’ about Jesus Christ Jesus taught in parables and performed miracles Jesus cared for the marginalised Understand that we are called to follow Jesus’ examples 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What the problem of evil is, and some responses to it Jesus suffering is important to Christians Lent is important to Christians; know reason(s) why 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The resurrection is important to Christians; reason(s) why St Paul taught about the resurrection Christians believe eternal life is available to all 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What Vatican II was What does it mean to be a Sikh in Britain today?
Year 9	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Students will be able to demonstrate that they know/can;	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We are created by God in his image Humans have inalienable dignity Marriage is important to Christians; reason(s) why 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mary is important to Catholics Reason(s) why How this devotion is shown 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is distinctive about Mark’s gospel Christians believe we all have a vocation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jesus is the new covenant Forgiveness and justice are very important for Christians; reason(s) why Reflect on how realistic this is 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ‘the Church’ is the entire community of Christians Saints are important to Catholics St Paul was an important figure in the early church 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inter faith dialogue is important What does it mean to live as a Muslim in the UK today?

- ***‘but could we, university-educated professionals, produce a curriculum that fed our students the content and knowledge we wished we had been served, including the ‘golden nuggets’ of learning which, perfectly sequenced, would drive the depth of understanding beyond our highest aspirations?’ - [Curriculum is Diet – Midland Knowledge Hub \(wordpress.com\)](https://www.midlandknowledgehub.wordpress.com)***
- ***‘The ‘Golden Nuggets’ are key substantive knowledge/disciplinary knowledge that we want the students to know and remember at the end of the unit of study’ - [Golden Nuggets. They’re ye-ha - HSAEL News - Harris Science Academy East London \(harrisscienceeastlondon.org.uk\)](https://www.hsa-el.org.uk/news)***

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