



What are the aims and intentions of this curriculum?

That children:

- Develop their understanding of Christianity and of Hinduism
- Understand the religious identify of our locality
- Begin to use their own feelings, ideas and beliefs to form own opinions

Term	Topic	Key Learning (Knowledge & Skills)	Vocabulary
Autumn	<b>How do Hindus worship?</b>	To know what a shrine is and where it is in a Hindu home To know what puja is and when it takes place To know what happens in a Mandir To know rituals that are involved in worship To know some features of Hindu Gods Describe (objects on shrine, worship, gods) Explain (uses of objects) Compare (worship at home and in the Mandir)	Ramayana, mandir, puja, arti, murti, shrine, symbol, Rama, Sita, Divali, Hindu, Brahaman, celebration, worship, community, Hanuman, Lakshmi, diva, Hindu, Hinduism, religion,
	<b>How and why is Advent important to Christians?</b>	To know what Advent is and how it is celebrated by Christians Describe (events and objects used to celebrate Advent)	Advent ,altar cloth, prophets, church, countdown
Spring	<b>What can we learn about Christian worship and beliefs by visiting churches?</b>	To know what a sign/ symbol is To know the meaning of everyday signs/ symbols To know the meaning of some Christian symbols To know features of a church Describe (signs and symbols, events in church) Compare worship Identify ( similarities and differences between churches)	denominations, worship, cross, crucifix, candles, church, symbol, sign, chalice, rosary, Eucharist,



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	<b>What do Christians remember on Palm Sunday?</b>	To know events of Palm Sunday Explain (events in church, worship)	Jesus, temple, palm branch, Palm Sunday, Holy week
<b>Summer</b>	<b>What do Hindus believe?</b>	To know what Hindus believe To know how Hindus worship To know some of the many Gods that Hindus worship Identify (how and why Hindus choose to worship different Gods at different times) Describe (gods and their features) Explain (what Hindus believe)	Brahman, ahimsa, Brahma, Vishnu, Durga, Shiva, Kali, Ganesh, Parvati, reincarnation, karma