



Woodlands Park Primary and Nursery School

RE Curriculum Map 2021/2022



Term	Early Years Not limited to terms	Year One	Year Two	Years 3 and 4 (Robins) Cycle A	Years 4 and 5 (Otters) Cycle A	Years 5 and 6 (Wolves) Cycle A
Autumn 1	<p>FAMILIES BOOK HOOK – ‘Monkey Puzzle’ by Julia Donaldson & Axel Scheffler encourage children to make links between different cultures, religions and beliefs using specific festivals as a starting point. FESTIVALS – Easter and Christmas (The Nativity Story), Diwali (The Story of Rama and Sita), Chinese Lunar New Year (The Chinese Zodiac Story) (introduce other festivals that are appropriate to cohort or to a particular line of enquiry e.g. Holi, Eid, Hannukah) Themes: family, luck, new beginnings, adversity, good deeds, gift giving. Use a combination of books, fiction and non-fiction, and online clips to support the development of knowledge and understanding. CBeebies Celebrating Chinese Lunar New Year https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c8ssHXZ9_qU CBeebies Celebrating Diwali https://www.bbc.co.uk/ceebies/watch/my-first-festivals-diwali</p> <p>provided with access to fiction and non-fiction books and images that celebrate difference, culture, religion and individuality e.g. Eric Underwood as a black male ballet dancer (The Royal Ballet’s Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland)</p> <p>BOOK HOOKS – ‘Julian is a Mermaid’ by Jessica Love, ‘Amazing Grace’ by Mary Hoffman ‘Crescent Moons and Pointed Minarets’ by Hena Khan ‘Golden Domes and Silver Lanterns’ by Hena Khan</p> <p>provided with a range of appropriate storytelling and role play resources to explore within pretend play e.g. cookware and utensils, small world resources to act out Chinese Zodiac Race, storytelling props to retell The Nativity Story (link to own performance in EYFS Nativity)</p>	<p>Our Wonderful World identify things that make our world special. explore the Jewish, Christian and Islamic creation stories. explore the Hindu creation story. explore different accounts of the creation of the sky and Heaven. explore different accounts of the creation of plants.</p>	<p>What do Hindus Celebrate? find out what Hindus believe. find out about special occasions in a Hindu childhood samskaras find out what happens at a Hindu wedding. find out about the Hindu festival of Diwali. find out about the Hindu festival of Raksha Bandhan.</p>	<p>Hindu Worship at home and in the Mandir learn about some important aspects of Hindu beliefs in God. identify some characteristics of Hindu gods and goddesses. understand why a shrine is a special place in a Hindu home. understand why puja is important for Hindus, and how it is practised at home. explore Hindu worship in the mandir. evaluate what you have learned about Hindu worship at home and in the mandir.</p>	<p>Stories of Hinduism understand that Hindus believe God is represented in different forms. explore how Krishna is represented in Hindu stories. explore Hindu teachings on success. explore the theme of punishment and forgiveness in a Hindu story. explore a Hindu teaching about telling the truth.</p>	<p>Buddhist Worship and Beliefs find out who Buddha was and why he is important to Buddhists today. find out about some of the core beliefs and teachings of Buddhism. learn about the Four Noble Truths and the Eightfold Path. Exploring the teachings of Buddha in greater depth, find out about the Buddhist beliefs of karma and reincarnation. find out where Buddhists worship and the role of symbols within worship. investigate the ways in which Buddhists worship</p>
Autumn 2	<p>provided with access to fiction and non-fiction books and images that celebrate difference, culture, religion and individuality e.g. Eric Underwood as a black male ballet dancer (The Royal Ballet’s Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland)</p> <p>BOOK HOOKS – ‘Julian is a Mermaid’ by Jessica Love, ‘Amazing Grace’ by Mary Hoffman ‘Crescent Moons and Pointed Minarets’ by Hena Khan ‘Golden Domes and Silver Lanterns’ by Hena Khan</p> <p>provided with a range of appropriate storytelling and role play resources to explore within pretend play e.g. cookware and utensils, small world resources to act out Chinese Zodiac Race, storytelling props to retell The Nativity Story (link to own performance in EYFS Nativity)</p>	<p>What Did Jesus Teach Us? find out about the - life of Jesus. - parable of the lost son. - parable of the good Samaritan. find out what Jesus taught at the Sermon on the Mount. explore what we can learn from the actions of Jesus. summarise what Jesus taught people</p>	<p>Christmas Celebrations think about what we celebrate and how we celebrate. able to recount the Christmas story. explore how Christians celebrate Christmas. investigate how Christmas is celebrated by Christians around the world. recap and summarise what we have learnt about Christmas.</p>	<p>Christmas Journeys learn about the importance of Bethlehem to Christians and to find out what a pilgrimage is. find out about Mary and Joseph’s journey to Bethlehem. find out about some of the key features of the nativity story. find out how religious ideas can be expressed through music and art. learn about how the emotions of the people in the story is the same emotions as people have today.</p>	<p>Where Did The Bible Come From? ask and respond to questions about the Bible. learn about the history of the Bible and some of its features. investigate the contents of the Bible. learn about different translations of the Bible and what it means for Christians today. understand the difference between literal and symbolic truth and to reflect on personal emotions.</p>	<p>What Is A Church? consider what is written in the Bible about the foundation of the Christian church. consider ways in which churches reflect local culture. consider how churches help Christians worship. identify ways in which churches serve their communities. consider ways in which local churches form part of a global community. reflect on what has been learned about the Christian church.</p>
Spring 1	<p>provided with a range of appropriate storytelling and role play resources to explore within pretend play e.g. cookware and utensils, small world resources to act out Chinese Zodiac Race, storytelling props to retell The Nativity Story (link to own performance in EYFS Nativity)</p>	<p>Special places describe a place that is special to them.</p>	<p>What do Sikhs believe? Find out about the origins of Sikhism, core Sikh beliefs</p>	<p>Jewish Celebrations recap facts about Judaism and Jewish beliefs. find out about the Jewish festival of Passover.</p>	<p>Jewish Worship and Community find out about some of the key features of worship in Judaism.</p>	<p>Expressing Faith Through The Arts recognise that expressing faith involves feelings and emotions.</p>

	<p>and sharing of BOOK - 'Mortimer's Christmas' by Karma Wilson UW (BIE) children encouraged to explore what being different means and what makes them special including homes within JIGSAW PSHE CELEBRATING DIFFERENCE PUZZLE (TERM 2) PIECES 2, 3 & 4</p>	<p>know that some religious people have a place that is special to them. learn about: Christians', Muslims', Buddhists' special places.</p>	<p>significance of the 5 Ks. Find out why Sikhs meditate</p>	<p>find out about the Jewish festival of Sukkot. find out about the festival of Purim. find out about the festival of Hanukkah. find out about the festival of Rosh Hashanah</p>	<p>understand the significance of prayer in Judaism. find out the meaning of Jewish rituals in relation to joining the Jewish community. find out how belonging to a faith community affects your actions. explore how faith is expressed through worship.</p>	<p>find out how music can be a form of religious expression in many religions. understand how colour can be used to express religious feelings and ideas. understand how art can be sacred and spiritual for believers. find out how Islamic art helps Muslims to worship. understand how drama is used to reinforce important teachings and stories in religions.</p>
Spring 2		<p>Easter Beginnings understand that some people celebrate new beginnings. find out about the Easter story. understand how Christians prepare for Easter. understand how Christians celebrate Easter. learn about traditions during Easter.</p>	<p>Christian Rites of Passage understand what a rite of passage is. understand what happens at a Baptism ceremony. learn about Holy Communion. explore a Christian marriage ceremony. explore the death and funeral ceremony of a Christian person.</p>	<p>Why Is Easter Important? learn about the events of Palm Sunday. learn about the significance of the Last Supper. learn about the events that led up to Jesus being arrested. find out about the events and emotions surrounding the crucifixion of Jesus. find out about the events of the resurrection and to explore Christian beliefs in life after death. learn about the meaning of 'Messiah' for Jesus and to summarise the events of Holy Week.</p>	<p>What do we know about Jesus? learn that representations of Jesus vary and to explore some of the reasons for this. learn that pictures of Jesus tell us about people's personal beliefs about him. find out what Jesus was like as a person from the Gospels. explore other people's view of Jesus from the Bible. explore the symbolic language used to describe Jesus in the Bible. consolidate knowledge of Jesus and reflect on your own response to what we have found out about him.</p>	<p>Stories of Christianity explore the themes of the Bible and identify familiar stories. explore the story of Ruth and Naomi. explore the story of Daniel and relate this to religious persecution today. explore the parables of Jesus. find out about Christian baptism through the story of John the Baptist. Find out about Paul and the early church.</p>
Summer 1		<p>Special Books share special books. find out which books are special for different religions. find out about the special book for Jewish people. find out about the special book for Christian people. find out about the special book for Muslim people</p>	<p>Who was Buddha? understand how Siddhartha Gautama came to be known as 'the Buddha'. recognise Buddhist symbols which explain why Buddha was special. explain the meaning of a Buddhist parable. explain what Buddha taught Buddhists about how to live their lives. recognise where and how Buddhists worship. understand how and why the life of the Buddha is celebrated during Vesak.</p>	<p>Buddhist Festivals Why is Buddhism special? gather, select and organise ideas about Buddhism. Vesak - understand why Buddhists give offerings during Vesak. The Ploughing Festival - understand how and why significant moments in the life of the Buddha is celebrated. Loy Krathong - understand how and why Buddhists pay respect to the Buddha. Songkran - know how activities during the festival relates to the</p>	<p>Belief In Our Community find out about the different beliefs of religious and non-religious communities in our local area. consider the ways in which belonging to a religious community can help people. find out about the impact faith and beliefs have had on the lives of inspirational figures. consider the difficulties for people of different religious beliefs living in non-religious communities.</p>	<p>What Happens When We Die understand that sadness is felt by everyone at some points during their lives. understand how the death of a person is marked and commemorated in and communities. express your own ideas, and understand the ideas of others, about what happens when a person dies. understand that it is important to express the emotions that you feel. think of practical ways of remembering someone who has died.</p>

				teachings of the Buddha.	think about what makes it difficult to live life according to our own beliefs.	
Summer 2		<p>Why Is The Torah Special find out about what Judaism is and what Jews believe. find out how the Torah began on Mount Sinai. find out how the Torah is used by Jews today. explore some of the stories in the Torah and what they teach about God. find out about some of the laws in the Torah.</p>	<p>What do Muslims Celebrate? find out about the Islamic New Year. find out about the Day of Ashura celebrated after Islamic New Year. find out about Mawlid alNabi. The Prophet Muhammad's birthday. find out about Ramadan. find out about the Hajj.</p>	<p>Identity and Belonging understand how drama is used to reinforce important teachings and stories in religions. consider the ways in which we express our identity. consider differences between the beliefs of different groups and communities, and how we can show tolerance and understanding. explore ways in which a sense of belonging is shaped by our relationships and environment. consider some of the responsibilities of belonging to a global community. consider the importance of sharing in our global community.</p>	<p>Sikhs' Rites of Passage find out who Sikhs are and what they believe. find out about the naming ceremonies of Sikh children. find out about the Sikh baptismal ceremony of Amrit. find out about Sikh marriage ceremonies. find out about Sikh funerals and beliefs on life after death.</p>	<p>What Is The Quran?? identify the meaning of the word 'sacred' and to explore why the Qur'an is important to Muslims. know what the Qur'an teaches about God and to reflect on your own ideas about God - 'Bismillah' and 99 names for Allah know that the behaviour of Muslims is influenced by the Qur'an. study ways in which Muslim children learn about the Qur'an - Madrasah explain the significance of the Qur'an to Muslims today.</p>