

Wellsprings School RE Progression map

Early Years Foundation		Year I and 2 (Key Stage I)	Year 3 and 4 (Lower Key Stage 2)	Year 5 and 6 (Upper Key Stage 2)
Stage	Cl			
Understanding the World	Christianity			
Children at the expected	Incarnation	Understand advent is when Christians	Recall stories of Jesus miracles -	Nativity in two gospels – Mary and Joseph's viewpoints
level of development will:		get ready for Christmas.	what do they say about Jesus?	Virgin birth – Jesus both human and divine
Describe their immediate		Recall and order Bible stories associated	Understand Christians believe Jesus	Reflect - why different accounts?
environment using		with Jesus' birth.	is the Son of God	Incarnation is belief Jesus fully God & fully human
knowledge from			-	Identify how belief Jesus 'God with us' helps Christians
observation, discussion,	Agape	Jesus taught people should be loving,	Christians try to be like Jesus and	Beatitudes -recall what Jesus said about selfless, unconditional
stories, non=fiction texts		kind and forgiving because this is what	obey his teachings	love
and maps;		God is like.	Recall story of Good Samaritan	Give examples of what Christians are doing today to live out
Know some similarities		Recall story of Unmerciful Servant	Know context & background of Good	these beliefs
and differences between		linking it to forgiveness in Lord's	Samaritan story	Give examples of ways Christian Church shows the love of God
different religious and		prayer.	How does story display disinterested	
cultural communities in		Reflect on implications of this story	love to all?	
this country; drawing on		for Christians today.		
their experiences and	God	Christians find out what God is like	Christians describe God as Father	Christians believe God is Love, compassionate, omniscient,
what has been read in		and how he wants people to live from	Son and Holy Spirit - Trinity.	omnipresent, almighty, holy
class;		the Bible.	Recall what happens at Infant and	Bible talks about what God is like and his relationship with people
Explain some similarities		Key beliefs of the Bible creation story.	Believers Baptism	Recognise Christians use evidence to support their belief in God
and differences between		Christians believe God expects humans		Everything created by God in harmony - humans duty to care
life in this country and		to care for His world.		for it
life in other countries,				Relevant questions evidence God & concept stewardship
drawing on knowledge	Salvation	Know the Christian Holy book is the	Recognise Christians call Jesus	Meaning of atonement - forgiving sin through death and
from stories, non-fiction		Bible and it is divided into two parts –	'Saviour'	resurrection; at-one-ment
texts and where		Old and New Testament.	Explain four claims of Christian	Christians emphasise Jesus is saviour of the world
appropriate – maps.		Recall and sequence last eight days of	Salvation story	How reconciliation works – common approach
		Jesus life.	Recall key features of story of	Reflect Easter celebrates Jesus dying to take punishment & pay
		Understand Christians believe because	Zacchaeus & its message	debt of sin.
		Jesus died they can be forgiven by	Recall story of Jesus death on the	Christians believe Jesus rose & have eternal life through faith in
		God.	cross	him

		Understand Christians believe Jesus rose from dead giving hope of new life.	Understand Christians believe because Jesus died they can be forgiven by God	
	Judaism		- 	
	Torah	Know what Torah is and what it means. Why is the Torah special? How do Jews show it is special? Basic details of Shabbat.	Key features of synagogue Why going to synagogue is important Basic details about what happens and how Torah is central Torah is written in Hebrew	Know what the tenakh is Why is Torah the important part of Tenakh? Know the content of Shema and how importance demonstrated Features of the Talmud and its importance The features of Shimchat Torah
	G-d and the Covenant	G-d created universe and details of story. The Jewish name for G-d Recognise Star of David and meaning. Why Israel is special.	Covenant with Abraham Exodus and receiving IO commandments Covenant involves being God's Chosen People and obeying commandments Passover as celebration of Exodus	Bar and Bat Mitzvah and their meaning Features of Abraham's story Meaning of covenant with Abraham Features of Yom Kippur How and why Shabbat is celebrated
	Islam		J	
	lman		Many revelations which are contained in the Qur'an Qur'an is copy of 'Mother of Book' How Qur'an shown respect God's message is straight path-Shariah Submission to Allah: Islam means "Submission" How praying 5 times a day is submitting to will of Allah	Allah has sent many prophets- who are respected. Muhammad is the final Message has been corrupted, need for Qur'an Key beliefs about Qur'an
	Submission to Allah			God's message is known as the Shariah Shari'a is taken from the Qur'an and the Sunnah Sunna provide Muslims with the practical interpretations Humans have the role of Khalifah Saum and Zakah illustrates the concept of Khalifah The story of Bilal and understand why it is important

Hin	nduism			
Dha	arma		Recall stories of the exile, return and reign of Rama Understand why Hindus light lamps to celebrate Divali. Know Dharma means 'right-living' and that the Hindu faith is called the 'Hindu Dharma'	Know about the term 'Hinduism'. Know about the Holi festival and recall the Holika story. Know the Hindu word for 'action' is 'karma'
Beli	lief – Deity		Know that Hindu holy books describe Rama and Krishna as 'Avatars'. Know that Hindus believe they can worship God in other divine forms (deities).	Understand about the Hindu books 'Vedas'. Recall the story of Shiva and the Ganges. Understand that Hinduism teaches that there is one Supreme being / person, Brahman. Recognise the symbol often associated with Hinduism: Aum.
Beli	lief - Atman		Recognise a form of Hindu worship — pu ja. Recognise the following terms — Mandir, shrine, pu ja, murti, Prasad and arti.	Recall the Hindu greeting Namaste and its meaning Understand Hindus belief in Reincarnation: the belief that when a body dies their atman (soul) may move onto another being. The continual cycle of Atman (Samsara) The type of life an Atman moves onto depends on its previous one (Law of Karma).
Hu	ımanism	Be familiar with the terms 'Humanist' and 'Atheist'. Know that of utmost importance for a Humanist is what human beings have achieved and can achieve as individuals and together to improve life for everyone and look after the world. Know that many Humanists are 'atheists'; they do not believe in a deity or deities. Know how a Humanist family might celebrate the birth of a child and/or the naming of a baby. Be able to recognise the 'happy human' symbol.	Recognise the terms 'material world' and 'secular' Be able to tell another person what is meant by 'Humanist' and 'atheist'. Be familiar with what the 'happy human' symbol means.	Be familiar with the term 'agnostic' Be able to say why Humanism is a life stance but not a religion. Know how secular Humanists regard life and death — know how they might celebrate marriage or death and how this differs from a religious ceremony. Be able to name 2 prominent Humanist scientists e.g. Marie Curie, Albert Einstein, and how Humanism informs music, songs etc. e.g. John Lennon's Imagine.