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Year 3 and 4	Jewish Celebrations To recap facts about Judaism and Jewish beliefs. To find out about the Jewish festival of Passover. To find out about the Jewish festival of Sukkot. To find out about the festival of Purim. To find out about the festival of Hanukkah. To find out about the festival of Rosh Hashanah.		What is the Bible? To identify and describe ways in which the Bible is important for Christians. To find out how Christians use the Bible at home and at church. To find out about the different kinds of writing in the Bible and why each is important. To learn about what makes a book special to different people. To find out how different genres of writing in the Bible show different aspects of God. To investigate the Old and New Testaments of the Bible		Sikh Rites of Passage To find out who Sikhs are and what they believe. To find out about the naming ceremonies of Sikh children. To find out about the Sikh baptismal ceremony of Amrit. To find out about Sikh marriage ceremonies. To find out about Sikh funerals and beliefs on life after death.	
Year 5 and 6	Buddhist Worship and Beliefs To find out who Buddha was and why he is important to Buddhists today. To find out about some of the Buddhism. core beliefs and teachings of To learn about the Four Noble Truths and the Eightfold Path. To find out about the Buddhist beliefs of karma and reincarnation. To find out where Buddhists worship and the role of symbols within worship. To investigate the ways in which Buddhists worship		Stories of Hinduism To understand that Hindus believe God is represented in different forms. To explore how Krishna is represented in Hindu stories. To explore Hindu teachings on success. To explore the theme of punishment and forgiveness in a Hindu story. To explore a Hindu teaching about telling the truth		Belief in our Community To find out about the different beliefs of religious and non-religious communities in our local area. To consider the ways in which belonging to a religious community can help people. To find out about the impact faith and beliefs have had on the lives of inspirational figures. To consider the difficulties for people of different religious beliefs living in non-religious communities. To think about what makes it difficult to live life according to our own beliefs	

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Year 3 and 4	Islamic Rites of Passage To understand what Islam is and what the five pillars are. To explore Muslim birth ceremonies and naming days. To find out about the Islamic marriage ceremony. To find out about Muslim funeral ceremonies. To understand the importance of the Hajj for a Muslim person.		Why is Easter important? To learn about the events of Palm Sunday. To learn about the significance of the Last Supper. To learn about the events that led up to Jesus being arrested. To find out about the events and emotions surrounding the crucifixion of Jesus. To find out about the events of the resurrection and to explore Christian beliefs in life after death. To learn about the meaning of 'Messiah' for Jesus and to summarise the events of Holy Week. <i>Now Press Play- Easter Story.</i>		Identity and Belonging To understand how drama is used To reinforce important teachings and stories in religions. To consider the ways in which we express our identity. To consider differences between the beliefs of different groups and communities, and how we can show tolerance and understanding. To explore ways in which a sense of belonging is shaped by our relationships and environment. To consider some of the responsibilities of belonging to a global community. To consider the importance of sharing in our global community.	
Year 5 and 6	What is a church? To consider what is written in the Bible about the foundation of the Christian church. To consider ways in which churches reflect local culture. To consider how churches help Christians worship. To identify ways in which churches serve their communities. To consider ways in which local churches form part of a global community. To reflect on what has been learned about the Christian.		Sikh Worship and Community To find out what Sikhs believe and some of the features of Sikh worship. To find out how Sikhs worship through prayer. To find out how children are welcomed in to the Sikh community. To explore the Sikh tradition of the langar. To explore the Sikh practice of sewa.		What happens when we die? To understand that sadness is felt by everyone at some points during their lives. To understand how the death of a person is marked and commemorated in different religions and communities. To express your own ideas, and understand the ideas of others, about what happens when a person dies. To understand that it is important To express the emotions that you feel. To think of practical ways of remembering someone who has died.	