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EYFS	Personal, Social and Emotional Development • See themselves as a valuable individual • Think about the perspectives of others • Show sensitivity to their own and others' needs			Understanding the World • Talk about members of their immediate family and community • Name and describe people who are familiar to them • Understand that some places are special to members of their community • Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways • Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society. • Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling. • Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.		
	Autumn Term 1	**Autumn Term 2**	**Spring Term 1**	**Spring Term 2**	**Summer Term 1**	**Summer Term 2**
Year 1	**The Natural World Unit**	**Christianity 1** **The Bible and Christmas**	**Who am I? / Belonging Unit**	**Islam 1** **Prophet Muhammad (PBUH)**	**Christianity 2** **A local church visit**	**Hinduism 1** **God**
Year 2	**Christianity 3** **The Life & Teachings of Jesus**	**Hinduism 2** **Hindu beliefs and home**	**Right and Wrong**	**Christianity 4** **Easter and symbols**	**Sharing Food**	**Islam 2** **Five pillars of Islam**
Year 3	**Buddhism 1** **The Buddha** **Buddhism 2** **Living as a Buddhist**	**Christmas** **(Extra Focus)**	**Judaism 1** **Shabbat – a day of rest**	**Christianity 5** **The Bible Christian visit / visitor**	**Hinduism 3** **God and Beliefs**	**Peace Unit**
Year 4	**Additional unit** **Faith Today**	**Judaism 2** **Festivals in Jewish Life**	**The journey of Life and Death Unit**	**Christianity 6** **Local Christian places of Worship**	**Islam 3** **Ramadan and Eid ul Fitr**	**Islam 4** **Hajj and Eid ul Adha** **Hinduism 4 Pilgrimage**
Year 5	**Secular World View** **Humanism**	**Christianity 7** **Christian celebrations**	**Christianity 8** **Jesus the human and divine**	**Sikhism 1** **Sikh beliefs** **Sikhism 2** **Sikh teachings and Life**	**Buddhism 3** **Following the Buddha's teaching** **Buddhism 4** **The Buddhist community worldwide**	**Additional unit** **Justice and Freedom**
Year 6	**Sikhism 3** **The Gurdwara and the Guru Granth Sahib** **Sikhism 4** **Belonging to the Sikh Community**	**Christianity 9** **Leading a Christian life**	**Judaism 3** **Abraham** **Judaism 4** **Prayer and worship of God**	**Understanding faith and beliefs in Lewisham**		

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