

Saint Nathaniel's Academy

Curriculum Overview – Religious Education

Year Group	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
1	Key Concepts Creation	Key Concepts Incarnation	Key Concepts Jesus as a friend	Key Concepts Salvation	Key Concepts Understand the importance of religious festivals	Key Concepts Understand the importance of religious festivals
	Key Question: Who made the world?	Key Question: Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	Key Question: Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?	Key Question: Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Key Question: Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?	Key Question: Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?
	Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Religion: Christianity Discovery RE	Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Religion: Judaism Discovery RE	Religion: Judaism Discovery RE

2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Key Concepts Gospel	Key Concepts Gospels	Key Concepts Prayer	Key Concepts God	Key Concepts Practices and lifestyles	Key Concepts Practices and lifestyles
	Key Question: Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time? Religion: Christianity Discovery RE	Key Question: What is the good news that Jesus brings? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question: Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/her everyone life? Religion: Islam Discovery RE	Key Question: What do Christians believe God is like? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question: Does going to a mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging? Religion: Islam Discovery RE	Key Question: Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim? Religion: Islam Discovery RE

3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Key Concepts Beliefs and teachings	Key Concepts Incarnation	Key Concepts Creation and Fall	Key Concepts Salvation	Key Concepts Beliefs	Key Concepts Beliefs and teachings
	Key Question Would celebrating Divali at home and the community bring a feeling of belonging for a Hindu child? Religion: Hinduism Discovery RE	Key Question What is the Trinity? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question What do Christians learn from the creation story? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question How can Brahmins be everywhere and everything? Religion: Hinduism Discovery RE	Key Question Would visiting the River Ganges feel special to a non-Hindu? Religion: Hinduism Discovery RE

4	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Key Concepts Beliefs and Practices	Key Concepts People of God	Key Concepts Passover	Key Concepts Salvation	Key Concepts Rites of passage and good works	Key Concepts Kingdom of God
	Key Question How special is the relationship Jesus had with God? Religion: Judaism Discovery RE	Key Question What is it like for Christians to follow God? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question How important is it for Jewish people to do what God has asked them to do? Religion: Christianity Religion: Judaism Discovery RE	Key Question Is forgiveness always possible for Christians? Religion: Christianity Discovery RE	Key Question What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God? Religion: Judaism Discovery RE	Key Question When Jesus left what was the impact of Pentecost? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity

5	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Key Concepts Prayer and Worship	Key Concepts Incarnation	Key Concepts Hindu Beliefs	Key Concepts Salvation	Key Concepts Beliefs and moral values	Key Concepts God
	Key Question What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God? Religion: Hinduism Discovery RE	Key Question Was Jesus the Messiah? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything? Religion: Hinduism Discovery RE	Key Question What do Christians believe (what did) Jesus do to save human being? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives Religion: Hinduism Discovery RE	Key Question What does it mean (for Christians) if God is holy and loving? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity
6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Key Concepts Beliefs and Practice	Key Concepts Incarnation	Key Concepts Creation	Key Concepts Salvation	Key Concepts Beliefs and moral values	
	Key Question What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God? Religion: Islam Discovery RE	Key Question How significant is that Mary was Jesus' mother? Religion: Christianity Discovery RE	Key Question Creation and science: conflicting or complementary? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question What difference does the resurrection make to Christians? Religion: Christianity Understanding Christianity	Key Question Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives? Religion: Islam Discovery RE	

