RE at The Mead Primary School

Year group	T1	T2	T3	T4	T5	T6
Nursery	Key Question: *What makes people special?*	Key Question: *What is Christmas?*	Key Question: *How do people celebrate?*	Key Question: *What is Easter?*	Key Question: *What can we learn from stories?*	Key Question: *What makes places special?*
YR	**Christianity** Key Question: *What makes people special?*	**Christianity / Judaism/ Hannukah** Key Question: *What is Christmas?*	**Hinduism / Islam** Key Question: *How do people celebrate?*	**Christianity** Key Question: *What is Easter?*	**Christianity / Islam / Hinduism / Sikhism** Key Question: *What can we learn from stories?*	**Christianity / Islam / Judaism** Key Question: *What makes places special?*
Y1	**Christianity** Theme: *Creation Story* Concept: *God/ Creation* Key Question: *Does God want Christians to look after the world?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Christmas* Concept: *Incarnation* Key Question: *What gifts might Christians in my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather that in Bethlehem?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Jesus as a friend* Concept: *Incarnation* Key Question: *Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Palm Sunday* Concept: *Salvation* Key Question: *Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?*	**Judaism** Theme: *Worship and Shabbat* Key Question: *Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?*	**Judaism** Theme: *Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur* Key Question: *Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?*
Y2	**Christianity** Theme: *Good Samaritan* Concept: *Gospel* Key Question: *What did Jesus teach? Is it possible to be kind to everyone all the time?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Christmas – Jesus as a gift from God* Concept: *Incarnation* Key Question: *Why did Christians believe that God gave Jesus to the world?*	**Islam** Theme: *Prayer at home* Key Question: *Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/her everyday life?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Easter - resurrection* Concept: *Salvation* Key Question: *How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after he died?*	**Islam** Theme: *Mosques* Concept: *Community and belonging* Key Question: *Does going to mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging?* **Humanism** Theme: *Celebrations*	**Islam** Theme: *Hajj* Key Question: *Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?*

					Key Question: *What do humanists believe?*	
Y3	**Hinduism** Theme: *Diwali* Key Question: *Would celebrating Divali at home and in the community bring a feeling of belonging to a Hindu child?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Christmas* Concept: *Incarnation* Key Question: *Has Christmas lost its true meaning?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Jesus' Miracles* Key Question: *Could Jesus heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Easter - forgiveness* Concept: *Salvation* Key Question: *What is 'good' about Good Friday?*	**Hinduism** Theme: *Hindu beliefs* Key Question: *How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?*	**Hinduism** Theme: *Pilgrimage to the River Ganges* Key Question: *Would visiting the River Ganges feel special to non-Hindu?*
Y4	**Buddhism** Theme: *Buddha's teachings* Key Question: *Is it possible for everyone to be happy?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Incarnation* Concept: *Incarnation* Key Question: *What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today?*	**Buddhism** Theme: *The 8-fold path* Key Question: *Can the Buddha's teachings make the world a better place?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Easter* Concept: *Salvation* Key Question: *Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?*	**Buddhism** Theme: *The 8-fold path* Key Question: *What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life?* **Humanism** Theme: *Empathy* Key Question: *How can humanists lead good lives?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Prayer and worship* Key Question: *Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians?*
Y5	**Hinduism** Theme: *Prayer and worship* Key Question: *What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Christmas* Key Question: *Is the Christmas story true?*	**Hinduism** Theme: *Hindu beliefs* Key Question: *How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Easter – forgiveness and salvation* Key Question: *How significant is it for Christians to believe*	**Hinduism** Theme: *Beliefs and moral values* Key Question: *Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha*	**Christianity** Theme: *Beliefs and practices* Key Question: *What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?*

				God intended Jesus to die?	*help Hindus to lead good lives?*	
Y6	**Islam** Theme: *Practices and beliefs* Key Question: *What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Christmas* Concept: *Incarnation* Key Question: *How significant is it that Mary was Jesus's mother?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Beliefs and meaning* Concept: *Salvation* Key Question: *Is anything ever eternal?*	**Christianity** Theme: *Easter* Concept: *Gospel* Key Question: *Is Christianity a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus died?*	**Islam** Theme: Morals, beliefs and values Key Question: *Does belief in Akhira (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?* **Humanism** Theme; Empathy *Key Question: What do humanists believe is important?*	