RE Overview 2022-2023 Believing Expressing Living

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|  | **Term 1**  **Harvest**  **Black History Month links** | | | **Term 2**  **Diwali**  **Christmas** | **Term 3**  **Lent** | **Term 4**  **Easter** | | **Term 5**  **Ramadan /Eid** | | **Term 6**  **Spirited Arts** | |
| **Year 1** | Who is a Christian and what do they believe? | | | How and why do we celebrate special times?  **Christmas** | What does it mean to belong to a faith community?  (Christianity/Islam) | How and why do we celebrate special times?  **Easter** | | What makes some places sacred?  Visit to St Mary’s church | | | |
| **Year 2** | How should we care for others and the world and why does it matter? | | | How and why do we celebrate special times?  **Christmas**  **Nativity** | Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? | How and why do we celebrate special times?  **Easter** | | Who is Jewish and what do they believe? | | | What can we learn from sacred books? |
| **Year 3** | What does it mean to be a Christian today?  Encounter Christianity group in or Branch church | | | | What do different people believe about God?  (Christians/Muslims/Hindus/Humanists)  Theologians | | | Why do people pray? (worship)  (Christians/Hindus/Muslims) | | | |
| **Year 4** | What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong? (Christianity/Judaism/Humanism) | Why are festivals important to religious communities?  Comparison to Christmas (Light)  Diwali | | | How should we live and who should inspire us?  John Wesley  LOCAL STUDY  Visit to John Wesley Chapel | | Jesus – how does he inspire us?  EASTER LINK  Branch community church | What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? | | | |
| **Year 5** | Why do some people believe God exists?  Philosophers | | Why are festivals important to religious communities?  Sociologists  How do people celebrate Christmas? | | What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?  Why are festivals important to religious communities?  Eid Visit to Mosque | | | What would Jesus do? Can we live by the values of Jesus in the 21st century? | | | |
| **Year 6** | What matters most to Christians and Humanists?  Worldviews | | | | What do religions say when life gets hard?  (Christians/Hindus/Humanists) | | | | Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity?(Christians/Muslims) | | |