

R.E Long-Term Planning KS1/KS2 Natre and DDS links)

Year A – 2025-2026								
Term	Group 1	Key Questions	Group 2	Key Questions	Group 3	Key Questions	EYFS Key Questions	
Autumn 1 Followers of God	1.1	Who is a Christian and what do they believe? (DDS) Who do Christians say made the world? (Creation) Natre U 7	L2.1	What do Christians believe about God?(DDS) What is it like for someone to follow God? (People of God) Natre U19	U2.1	Why do some people think God exists? Focus on Christianity (DDS) What does it mean if Christians believe God is holy and loving? (Gospel) Natre U31	Being Special Where do we belong? (Thematic) Natre U3	
Autumn 2 Incarnation Christmas	1.6	How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times? (DDS) What does Christmas matter to Christians? (Incarnation) Natre U8	L2.1	Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?(DDS) What is the Trinity and why is it important for Christians? (Incarnation/God) Natre U20	U2.1	What do other religions believe about God? (DDS) Why do Christians believe that Jesus was the Messiah? (Incarnation) Natre U38	Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas? (Why is Christmas special for Christians?) (Incarnation) Natre U2	
Spring 1	1.5	What makes some places sacred? (DDS) What makes places special to believers? (Thematic) Natre U18	L2.8	What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? L2.1	What do Hindus believe? (DDS) What do Hindus believe God is like? (Hindus) U27	Why do Hindus want to be good? (Hindus) Natre U39	Which stories are special and why? (Thematic) Natre U6	
Spring 2	1.1	Who is a Christian and what do they believe? (DDS) What do Christians believe God is like? (God) Natre U10	L2.4	Why do people pray? L2.7	What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today? Christian Festivals (Easter) What do Christians learn from the Creation story? (Creation and Fall) Natre U23	U2.4	If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? Why do people make pilgrimages? Creating an Easter pilgrimage route	Why do Christians put a cross on their Easter gardens? (Why is Easter special to Christians?) (Salvation) Natre U4
Summer 1	1.2	Who is a Jewish and what do they believe?(DDS) Who is Jewish and how do they live? (Judaism) Natre U9	L2.5	Festivals of Hindu / Muslim faiths – making connections (DDS) What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today? (Hindus) Natre U29	U2.7	What matters most to Christians? How can following God bring freedom and justice? (People and God) Natre U35	Why is the word God so important to Christians? (Creation) Natre U1	
Summer 2	1.7	What does it mean to belong to a faith community? (DDS) What does it mean to belong to a faith community? (Thematic) Natre U11	L2.6	Why do some people think that life is a journey and what significant experiences mark this? How and why do people make the significant events of life? (thematic) Natre U30	U2.7	What matters most to humanists? (DDC) What matters most to Humanists and Christians? (Thematic) Natre U36	Which places are special and why? (Thematic) Natre U5	

Year B 2024 -2025				
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	Y1/Y2	Y3/Y4	Y5/Y6	
Autumn 1	1.4 What can we learn from sacred books? (DDS) Christians – Good News Natre U13 What is the good news Christians believe Jesus brings (Gospel)?	L2.1 Why is Jesus inspiring to some people?(DDS) What kind of world did Jesus want? (Gospel) Natre U25	U2.2 What would Jesus do? Can we live by the values of Jesus in the 21 st century (DDS) Christians and how to live: what would Jesus do? (Gospel) Natre U37	Being Special Where do we belong? (Thematic) Natre U3
Autumn 2	1.1 Who is a Christian and what do they believe? (DDS) Christians – Good News Natre U14 What is the good news Christians believe Jesus brings (Gospel)?	For Christians, when Jesus, what was the impact of Pentecost? (Kingdom of God) Natre U26	U2.2 What do other religious leaders teach us. Can we live by the values of Jesus in the 21 st century? (DDS) For Christians, what kind of king is Jesus? (Kingdom of God) Natre U41	Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas? (Why is Christmas special for Christians?) (Incarnation) Natre U2
Spring 1	1.2 Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? (DDS) Who is Muslim? Natre U15 Who is a Muslim and how do they live? Part 1 (Islam)	How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim? (Islam) Natre U21	U2.5 Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? (DDS) Creation and Science, conflicting or complimentary (Creation/Fall) Natre U34	Which stories are special and why? (Thematic) Natre U6
Spring 2 Salvation Easter	1.6 How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times? (DDS) Why does Easter matter to Christians? (Salvation) Natre U16	L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communities?- Christian festivals (DDS) Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday? (Salvation) Natre U28	What difference does the resurrection make to Christians? (What do Christians believe Jesus did to save people?) (Salvation) Natre U40	Why do Christians put a cross on their Easter gardens? (Why is Easter special to Christians?) (Salvation) Natre U4
Summer 1	1.2 Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? (DDS) Who is Muslim? Natre U17 Who is a Muslim and how do they live? Part 2 (Islam)	How do festivals and family like show what matters to Jewish people? (Judaism) U22	U2.7 What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? (DDS) What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? Natre U32	Why is the word God so important to Christians? (Creation) Natre U1
Summer 2	1.8 How should we care for others and the world and why does it matter? (DDS) How should we care for the world and others and what does it matter? (Thematic) Natre U12	L2.5 Other religions and how they fit into a Christian society. (DDS) L2.9 What can we learn from religions about deciding what is right and wrong Christianity. (DDS) How and why do people try to make the world a better place? (Thematic) Natre U24	U2.8 What difference does it make to believe in ahisma (harmlessness), grace and / or Ummah (community)? (DDS) Why do some people believe in God and some not? How does faith help people when life gets hard? (thematic) Natre U42	Which places are special and why? (Thematic) Natre U5

NB : Some DCC themes run through units e.g sacred books, sacred times, sacred places