

Year 1 and 2 Cycle A	Agreed Syllabus F2 Which People are Special and Why? Y1 1.2 How do we show we care for others? Why does it matter? Y2 2.3 What does it mean to belong?	Agreed Syllabus Y1 1.1 Who celebrates what and why? UC - Incarnation Unit 1.3 - Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Unit F2 – Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas?	UC - Gospel Unit 1.4 - What is the good news that Jesus brings? Agreed Syllabus F3 What places are special and why? Y1 1.3 Stories of Jesus: what can we learn from them?	UC - Salvation Unit F3- Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden? Unit 1.5 Why does Easter matter to Christians?	UC – God/Creation Unit F1 – Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians? Unit 1.2 Who made the world?	UC – God Unit 1.1- What do Christians believe God is like?
Key Concepts	Religion, Christian, Jewish, Humanist,	Celebrations Christian, Hindu, Jewish	Gospel, Good News, Christianity	Salvation, Christian, Easter	Creation, God, Christianity, Humanism.	God, Christianity, parables, forgiveness
Key Vocabulary	friend, special people Jesus Bible Kindness Generosity Cooperation Belonging Values synagogue, church, symbol, God, Bible, Golden Rule ('do to others as you would like them to do to you'), worship, holiness, sacred	celebrations special time birthday Christmas Hanukkah Shabbat Diwali Bethlehem, Advent, Jesus, Mary, Joseph, nativity	Gospel, Jesus, forgiveness, peace, Religion, Christian, church, Bible, symbol, thankful, faith, belief, Easter, God	Salvation, Easter, Palm Sunday, Jesus, cross, palm leaves, Good Friday, tomb, hot cross buns, forgiveness, Shrove Tuesday, Ash Wednesday, saving	'create', 'creation' 'creator' God, Pray, Christian, Charity, Creation, Universe	God, Love, Forgiveness, sorry, prayer, bible



Substantive Knowledge	Who is special to you and what makes them special to you Who is special in the local community Why Jesus is a special person for Christians You belong in a family, to a school and in the community. Ways of belonging in Christianity e.g. Christenings and Baptism	Birthdays Different faiths have different celebrations Why Christmas is a special time for Christians A simplified version of the Christmas story Christians believe God came to Earth in human form as Jesus. Christians believe Jesus came to show that all people are precious and special to God. Christians believe that Jesus is God and that he was born as a baby in Bethlehem. Advent for Christians is a time for getting ready for Jesus' coming	Christians believe Jesus brings good news for all people. For Christians, this good news includes being loved by God, and being forgiven for bad things. Christians believe Jesus is a friend to the poor and friendless. Christians believe Jesus' teachings make people think hard about how to live and show them the right way.	Christians remember Jesus' last week at Easter. Jesus' name means 'He saves'. Christians believe Jesus came to show God's love. Christians try to show love to others. Easter is very important in the 'big story' of the Bible. Jesus showed that he was willing to forgive all people, even for putting him on the cross . Christians believe Jesus builds a bridge between God and humans. Christians believe Jesus rose from the dead, giving people hope of a new life.	The word God is a name. Christians believe God is the creator of the universe. Christians believe God made our wonderful world and so we should look after it. God created the universe. The Earth and everything in it are important to God. God has a unique relationship with human beings as their Creator and Sustainer. Humans should care for the world because it belongs to God.	Christians believe in God, and that they find out about God in the Bible. Christians believe God is loving, kind, fair, and also Lord and King; and there are some stories that show this. Christians worship God, and try to live in ways that please him
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Knowledge Progression Map Statements	I know how to: -talk about similarities and differences between myself and others, among families, communities andtraditions; -begin to know about my own cultures and beliefs and those of other people; -explore, observe and find out about places and objects that matter in different cultures and beliefs. I know about my uniqueness as a person in a family and community. I know about caring for others and can talk about values such as goodness, kindness, generosity, sharing. I know about belonging in a family, to a school and in the community. I know about ways of belonging in Christianity	EYFS I know how to: - listen with enjoyment to stories, songs and poems from different communities and traditions and respond with relevant comments, questions or actions; - use talk to organise, sequence and clarify thinking, ideas, feelings and events; - answer 'who', 'how' and 'why' questions about my experiences in response to stories, experiences or events from different traditions and communities; talk about how I and others show feelings; - develop my own narratives in relation to stories I hear from different communities I know that Christians believe God created the universe and that the Earth and everything in it are important to God. I know that Christians celebrate Jesus' birth, and Advent for Christians is a time for getting ready for Jesus' coming.	I know that Christians believe Jesus brings good news for all people and that this good news includes being loved by God, and being forgiven for bad things. I know about some stories of Jesus, e.g. the Shepherds coming to the Manger, Healing the Ten Lepers, Calming the Storm on Lake Galilee, Feeding the 5000. I know about some stories Jesus told, e.g. The Lost Coin, the Lost Son. I know that these stories matter to Christians because of who they believe Jesus was: God come to earth, with the power to help people in many ways.	Y1 I know that Easter is very important in the 'big story' of the Bible. Y2 I know that Christians believe Jesus rose from the dead, giving people hope of a new life	Y1 I know that Christians believe God created the universe and that the Earth and everything in it are important to God. Y2 I know that Christians believe God has a unique relationship with human beings as their Creator and sustainer	Y1 I know that Christians believein God, and that they find out about God in the Bible. Y2I know that Christians believe Jesus' teachings make people think hard about how to live and show them the right way. Y2 I know that Christians believe God is loving, kind, fair and also Lord and King; and there are some stories that show this.
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