

Rendlesham Primary School Religious Education Curriculum

	Key Stage 1	Lower Key Stage 2	Upper Key Stage 2	Core Knowledge
CONFLICT Autumn	Why should I say sorry? Taking responsibility, learning from mistakes.	Should we always forgive? Helping children to develop a positive sense of themselves, to respect others and to understand appropriate behaviour.	Should we all be equal? Hindu Caste system, Jews Holocaust	Responsibility
PLANET EARTH Spring	How do Christians believe the world began? The creation story, Adam and Eve.	If there is a God why do bad things happen in religious stories? Natural disaster stories in Christianity and other faiths (floods, locusts, plagues etc)	If there is a God why do bad things happen to people? What do religious texts teach Christians about sin?	The effect of religion on our planet
BRITAIN Summer	Are we all the same? Similarities and differences between each other.	Is it OK to be different? To compare different ways of life. e.g food, holidays.	What does it mean to be multicultural? What has made Britain multicultural, to understand and respect diversity.	Equality and diversity
HUMAN KIND Autumn	Who is important to you? Parents, teachers etc Inspirational people	Do all religions have an inspirational figure? Jesus, Mohamed etc	Why are some people seen to be inspirational in religion? Mother Theresa, Ghandi, Dali Lama, Pope.	Inspirational people
INVENTIONS Spring	Where can we worship? Features of a Christian Church.	Do all places of worship look the same? Similarities/ differences between different holy buildings.	Do you need a religious building to worship? Sacred spaces,	Religious buildings
CIVILISATIONS Summer	What stories are in the bible? Study of key bible stories.	What do key stories in holy books have in common? Building links between different religious teachings.	Why is story telling important in religion? To understand how these story's teach morals, traditions, customs and beliefs to others.	Important stories