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KAS/ UC Unit	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Creation	<p>Christians believe that the word 'God' is important as the name of someone very important. Christians believe that God is the Creator of the universe and all that is in it, including people and animals.</p> <p>Christians show that God is important to them in church when they gather to pray to God and to sing his praise. Christians are taught to respect God's name and use it with love and care because God is holy and great. Christians believe that they should care for God's world.</p>	<p>Christians believe in God, and they find out about God in the Bible.</p> <p>Christians believe God is loving, kind, fair and forgiving, and also Lord and King.</p> <p>Some stories show these Christian beliefs.</p> <p>Christians worship God and try to live in ways that please him.</p>	<p>Christians believe God created the universe.</p> <p>Christians believe the Earth and everything in it are important to God.</p> <p>Christians believe God has a unique relationship with human beings as their Creator and Sustainer.</p> <p>Christians believe humans should care for the world because it belongs to God.</p>		<p>Christians believe God the Creator cares for all creation, including human beings. Christians believe as human beings are part of God's good creation, they do best when they listen to God.</p> <p>The Bible shows Christians that God wants to help people to be close to him – he keeps his relationship with them, gives them guidelines on good ways to live (such as the Ten Commandments). [Building block from EYFS: Christians believe God made our wonderful world and so we should look after it.]</p>		<p>There is much debate and some controversy around the relationship between the accounts of creation in Genesis and contemporary scientific accounts. These debates and controversies relate to the purpose and interpretation of the texts. For example, does reading Genesis as a poetic account conflict with scientific accounts? There are many scientists throughout history and now who are Christians.</p> <p>The discoveries of science make Christians wonder even more about the power and majesty of the Creator</p>



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Incantation	<p>Christians believe God came to Earth in human form as Jesus.</p> <p>Christians believe that Jesus was a special baby because he came from God.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus came to show that all people are precious and special to God.</p> <p>Christians find the nativity story in the Bible.</p> <p>Christians perform nativity plays to help children remember story of the birth of Jesus.</p>	<p>(Core)</p> <p>Christians believe that Jesus is God and that he was born as a baby in Bethlehem.</p> <p>The Bible points out that his birth showed that he was extraordinary (for example, he is worshipped as a king, in Matthew) and that he came to bring good news (for example, to the poor, in Luke).</p> <p>Christians celebrate Jesus' birth; Advent for Christians is a time of getting ready for Jesus' coming.</p>	<p>(Digging Deeper)</p> <p>Christians believe that Jesus is God and that he was born as a baby in Bethlehem.</p> <p>The Bible points out that his birth showed he was extraordinary (for example, he is worshipped as a king, in Matthew) and that he came to bring good news (for example, to the poor, in Luke).</p> <p>Christians celebrate Jesus' birth; Advent for Christians is a time of getting ready for Jesus' coming.</p>	<p>Christians believe God is Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.</p> <p>Christians believe The Father creates; he sends the Son who saves his people; the Son sends the Holy Spirit to his followers.</p> <p>Christians find that understanding God is challenging; people spend their whole lives learning more and more about God.</p> <p>Christians really want to try to understand God better and so try to describe God using symbols, similes and metaphors, in song, story, poems and art.</p> <p>Christians worship God as Trinity. It is a huge idea to grasp and Christians have created art to help to express this belief.</p> <p>Christians believe the Holy Spirit is God's power at work in the world and in their lives today, enabling them to follow Jesus.</p>	<p>Christians believe God is Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.</p> <p>Christians believe the Father creates; he sends the Son who saves his people; the Son sends the Holy Spirit to his followers.</p> <p>Jesus, the Son of God, is seen by Christians as revealing what God the Father is like.</p> <p>Understanding God is challenging; people spend their whole lives learning more and more about God.</p> <p>Christians believe the Holy Spirit is God's power at work in the world and in their lives today, enabling them to follow Jesus.</p>	<p>Jesus was Jewish.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus is God in the flesh.</p> <p>They believe that his birth, life, death and resurrection were part of a longer plan by God to restore the relationship between humans and God.</p> <p>The Old Testament talks about a 'rescuer' or 'anointed one' — a messiah. Some texts talk about what this 'messiah' would be like.</p> <p>Christians believe that Jesus fulfilled these expectations, and that he is the Messiah. (Jewish people do not think Jesus is the Messiah.)</p> <p>Christians see Jesus as their Saviour (See Salvation).</p>	
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Gospel		<p>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.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus is a friend to the poor and friendless.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus' teachings make people think hard about how to live and show them the right way.</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus is a friend to the poor and friendless.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus' teachings make people think hard about how to live and show them the right way.</p>		<p>Christians believe Jesus challenges everyone about how to live — he sets the example for loving God and your neighbour, putting others first. Jesus shows love and forgiveness to unlikely people.</p> <p>Christians try to be like Jesus — they want to know him better and better.</p> <p>Christians try to put his teaching and example into practice in lots of ways, from church worship to social justice.</p>		<p>Christians believe the good news is not just about setting an example for good behaviour and challenging bad behaviour: it is that Jesus offers a way to heal the damage done by human sin.</p> <p>Christians see that Jesus' teachings and example cut across expectations — the Sermon on the Mount is an example of this, where Jesus' values favour serving the weak and vulnerable, not making people comfortable.</p> <p>Christians believe that they should bring this good news to life in the world in different ways, within their church family, in their personal lives, with family, with their neighbours, in the local, national and global community.</p>
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Salvation	<p>Christians remember how the crowds welcomed Jesus on Palm Sunday</p> <p>Christians remember the sadness of Jesus dying on Good Friday.</p> <p>Christians remember the surprise and happiness of Easter Sunday because Jesus did not stay dead.</p> <p>Christians use special symbols and have special customs connected to Jesus' death and resurrection over the Easter period.</p> <p>Christians believe that the cross is a very special symbol reminding them that they can be glad to have Jesus to help them to make a new start when they do things wrong.</p>	<p>Christians believe Easter is very important in the 'big story' of the Bible.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus rose again, giving people hope of a new life.</p>	<p>Christians believe Easter is very important in the 'big story' of the Bible.</p> <p>Jesus showed that he was willing to forgive all people, even for putting him on the cross.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus builds a bridge between God and humans.</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus rose again, giving people hope of a new life.</p>	<p>Christians see Holy Week as the culmination of Jesus' earthly life, leading to his death and resurrection.</p> <p>The various events of Holy Week, such as the Last Supper, were important in showing the disciples what Jesus came to earth to do.</p> <p>Christians today trust that Jesus really did rise from the dead, and so is still alive today.</p> <p>Christians remember and celebrate Jesus' last week, death and resurrection.</p>	<p>Christians see Holy Week as the culmination of Jesus' earthly life, leading to his death and resurrection.</p> <p>The various events of Holy Week, such as the Last Supper, were important in showing the disciples what Jesus came to do.</p> <p>Christians today trust that Jesus really did rise from the dead, and so is still alive today.</p> <p>Christians remember and celebrate Jesus' last week, death and resurrection.</p>	<p>Christians read the 'big story' of the Bible as pointing out the need for God to save people. This salvation includes the ongoing restoration of humans' relationship with God.</p> <p>The Gospels give accounts of Jesus' death and resurrection.</p> <p>The New Testament says that Jesus' death was somehow 'for us'.</p> <p>Christians interpret this in a variety of ways: for example, as a sacrifice for sin; as a victory over sin, death and the devil; paying the punishment as a substitute for everyone's sins; rescuing the lost and leading them to God; leading from darkness to light.</p> <p>Christians remember Jesus' sacrifice through the service of Holy Communion (also called the Lord's Supper, the Eucharist or the Mass).</p>	<p>Christians read the 'big story' of the Bible as pointing out the need for God to save people. This salvation includes the ongoing restoration of humans' relationship with God.</p> <p>The Gospels give accounts of Jesus' death and resurrection.</p> <p>Belief in Jesus' resurrection confirms to Christians that Jesus is the incarnate Son of God, but also that death is not the end.</p> <p>This belief gives Christians hope for life with God, starting now and continuing in a new life (heaven).</p>
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People of God				<p>Christians believe the Old Testament tells the story of a particular group of people, the children of Israel known as the People of God – and their relationship with God. The People of God try to live in the way God wants, following his commands and worshipping him. They believe he promises to stay with them and Bible stories show how God keeps his promises.</p>		<p>Jesus was Jewish. Christians believe Jesus is God in the flesh. They believe that his birth, life, death and resurrection were part of a longer plan by God to restore the relationship between humans and God. The Old Testament talks about a 'rescuer' or 'anointed one' – a messiah. Some texts talk about what this 'messiah' would be like. Christians believe that Jesus fulfilled these expectations, and that he is the Messiah. (Jewish people do not think Jesus is the Messiah.) Christians see Jesus as their Saviour (See Salvation).</p>	
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Kingdom of God				<p>Christians believe that Jesus inaugurated the 'Kingdom of God' – i.e. Jesus' whole life was a demonstration of his belief that God is King, not just in heaven but here and now ('Your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven').</p> <p>Christians believe Jesus is still alive, and rules in their hearts and lives by the Holy Spirit, if they let him.</p> <p>Christians believe that after Jesus returned to be with God the Father, he sent the Holy Spirit at Pentecost to help the Church to make Jesus' invisible Kingdom visible by living lives that reflect the love of God.</p> <p>Christians celebrate Pentecost as the beginning of the Church.</p>			<p>Christians believe Jesus told many parables about the Kingdom of God. These suggest that God's rule has begun, through the life, teaching and example of Jesus, and subsequently through the lives of Christians who live in obedience to God.</p> <p>The Kingdom is compared to a feast where all are invited to join in. Not everyone chooses to do so.</p> <p>Many Christians try to extend the Kingdom of God by challenging unjust social structures in their locality and in the world.</p>
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God						<p>Christians believe God is omnipotent, omniscient and eternal, and that this means God is worth worshipping.</p> <p>Christians believe God is both holy and loving, and Christians have to balance ideas of God being angered by sin and injustice (see Fall) but also loving, forgiving, and full of grace.</p> <p>Christians do not all agree about what God is like, but try to follow his path, as they see it in the Bible or through Church teaching.</p> <p>Christians believe getting to know God is like getting to know a person rather than learning information</p>	
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World Faiths	World Faith stories	Judaism	Islam	Sikhism (T2&6)	Hinduism	Judaism	Islam
	<p>Jewish people believe in one God, who forgives people when they say sorry. Their stories are written in the Torah.</p> <p>Muslim people believe in one God, Allah, who made the world and wants people to care for it. Their stories are written in the Qur'an.</p> <p>Hindu people believe in one supreme God Brahman in the forms of many gods and goddesses. Their stories are written in many books.</p>	<p>The mezuzah in the home reminds Jewish people about God. Shabbat is a special day of the week for Jewish people. Jewish people read the story of Chanukah. Chanukah is a special time for Jewish people. The Synagogue is a special place for Jewish people.</p>	<p>Know some Muslim beliefs about God, making links with some of the 99 Names of Allah</p> <p>Know about the life of the Prophet Muhammad and recognise some objects used by Muslims.</p> <p>Some questions about God are hard to answer.</p> <p>Know some examples of cooperation between people who are different.</p> <p>There are links between what the Holy Qur'an says and how Muslims behave.</p> <p>Know some ways Muslims pray, worship and celebrate.</p> <p>Muslims believe in God (Allah) and follow the example of the Prophet Muhammad.</p> <p>Muslims mark Ramadan and celebrate Eid-ul-Fitr.</p>	<p>Sikhs believe that there is only one God, who they have several names for. (Waheguru)</p> <p>Sikhs try to put the teachings and examples of the 10 gurus into daily practice by living a good life, treating everyone equally and sharing all they have. It is important for Sikh's to belong to a community of believers called the Khalsa.</p> <p>Khalsa Sikhs wear 5 articles of faith which reminds them of their faith and duty as a Sikh.</p> <p>Sikhs can worship at any time or day, at home or in the Gurdwara.</p> <p>Sikhs are expected to pray three times a day and mediate and recite words from the holy scriptures</p> <p>Sikh people respect and regard The Guru Granth Sahib as a living Guru.</p> <p>The Gurdwara is place that is welcome and</p>	<p>Hindus show their faith in different ways.</p> <p>Hindu beliefs and teachings talk about aims and duties in life</p> <p>Hindus express their faith through puja, aarti and bhajans.</p> <p>Know the actions of Hindus in helping others and ways in which people of other faiths and beliefs, including pupils themselves, help others.</p> <p>Journeys</p> <p>Some people see life as a journey there are key milestones on this journey.</p> <p>There are Christian, Jewish, Hindu and Humanist ceremonies of commitment with rituals.</p> <p>Marking the milestones of life are important for people.</p>	<p>There are connections between Jewish practice teaching from the Torah and their beliefs about God.</p> <p>Jewish festivals impact Jewish people today.</p> <p>The role of women varies within Judaism.</p> <p>Jewish people believe in one God and that the Shema prayer gives details of the ways in which Jewish people should live, worship God and pray.</p> <p>Jewish people follow the teachings of the Torah. It teaches them how to pray, worship and how to treat others.</p> <p>Yom Kippur and Rosh Hashanah are the holiest days for Jewish people, where they ask for forgiveness at the start of their new year.</p> <p>Jewish people celebrate Pesach each</p>	<p>Muslim people practice their beliefs in relation to the five pillars of Islam especially Sawm (fasting) and Hajj (pilgrimage) and are important within the Muslim faith.</p> <p>The Holy Qur'an is significant to Muslim people.</p> <p>Muslim people use forms of guidance.</p> <p>The five pillars of Islam are practised by Muslim people including by Muslim people living in Britain today</p> <p>Muslim people believe that they must fast during daylight hours during the month of Ramadan in order to understand more about self-discipline, self-restraint and generosity and to spend time in prayer (Sawm)</p> <p>Muslim people believe that it is their duty</p>



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				<p>open to everyone and is known as the 'doorway to the house of God' All Sikhs are encouraged by their Guru (Guru Granth Sahib) to perform Seva or Selfless Service. Vaisakhi is the biggest and most important Sikh festival, where they remember the founding of the Khalsa and the Sikh New Year.</p>	<p>There are similarities and differences between ceremonies of commitment. Be able to discuss the value and challenge of religious and nonreligious commitment in Britain today.</p>	<p>year to remember God's rescue and faithfulness to the Israelites. Tzedakah means 'healing the world' which is an important value in the Jewish faith as they are all challenged to care for the world that God gave them and the people who live upon it.</p> <p>Islam</p> <p>Muslim beliefs about God, making some links with some of the 99 Names of Allah. Muslim people read stories about the life of the Prophet Muhammad. Muslim people practice their beliefs in relation to the five pillars of Islam and analyse their importance within the Muslim faith Name some objects and places used by Muslim people and</p>	<p>to perform hajj (pilgrimage) to Mecca, the most sacred Muslim site, at least once in their lifetime if they are able That the five pillars of Islam are both valuable and challenging for Muslim people and that they make a difference to individuals but also to the whole of the Muslim community (Ummah).</p> <p>Art and Architecture Make connections between examples of religious creativity (buildings and art) Know the value of sacred buildings and art. Some believers see generosity and charity as more important than buildings and art. Apply ideas about values and from scriptures to the title question</p>
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						<p>evaluate why they are important</p> <p>Muslim people all over the world build their lives on the beliefs expressed in the five pillars of Islam</p> <p>Muslim people believe in the Oneness of God (Tawhid)</p> <p>Muslim people believe that the Prophet Muhammad (PBUH) is the prophet of Allah</p> <p>The Shahadah is the key statement of belief held by Muslim people</p> <p>Muslim people believe that they have a duty to pray five times every day (Salah)</p> <p>Zakah is the generous giving of money which Muslims believe that they have a duty to give to those in need</p> <p>The mosque is an important place of prayer, learning and meeting for the Muslim community</p>	
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