RE progression grid EYFS - Y6

	Believing	Belonging	Behaving	Reflecting, responding and making links			
	Core knowledge and understanding of texts, stories and key beliefs	Practice and participation in faith communities; diversity of beliefs in action personally, locally and globally		Comparing and contrasting, evaluating and appraising and making connections to their own and others'lives			
EYFS	Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class; Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society; Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling.						
Year 1 KO 1-Is everybody special? KO2- Should we celebrate Harvest or Christmas? KO3 -How should we care for the world? KO4- Should everyone follow Jesus? KO5- Can stories change people? KO6-Do we need shared special places?	Recognise the core beliefs of the religion(s) studied e.g. creation, salvation incarnation; belief in one God (Christianity & Judaism). Recall a variety of religious stories used for different purposes. To recall the story of Jesus. Parables are stories told by Jesus with meaning. To know why Christians celebrate Christmas. Christians believe that Jesus is a gift from God. Recall the creation story To explain that Christians believe Jesus performed miracles. Explore how Prophets told stories to encourage people to turn to God.	Give simple examples of how the stories and beliefs influence the behaviour of believers. Discuss how people show they belong to a group Discuss why Christians choose to be baptised. Understand that Christians believe we should look after our world. Identify that Jesus is a role model for Christians: he set an example for how Christians should live their lives. Discuss how the stories of Zacchaeus and Joseph show great changes in the characters and are meant to inspire change in the listener. Discuss how shared special places make people feel like they belong.	Identify some elements of practice that arise from these beliefs. To identify Baptism as practise of Christians. Identify how Christians celebrate the birth of Jesus at Christmas. Know how and why Christians celebrate Harvest. Identify there is a connection between the belief in God as the creator and Christian ideas about caring for the world. Know that Jesus is a role model for Christians. He set an example for how Christians should live their lives- we should look after each other and the world. Acknowledge that stories are still told today and thatChristians continue to refer to the Bible throughout their life. Explain places of worship:synagogue is a place of worship for Jews. Christians go to Church.	Talk about their own experiences in the light of the religious knowledge gained. Express their own opinions appropriately. Talk about the differences that beliefs make to the way believers live. Make simple comparisons to their own lives. Discuss what groups they belong to. Understand that not everyone celebrates the same festivals. Compare Harvest to the Jewish festival of Sukkot. Compare to the Jewish creation story. Understand that there are lots of different leaders. Stories can invoke change and this change can be good or bad. Discuss there are different special places for different religions and beliefs.			

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KO 1 -Who should you follow?

KO2- Should you wear symbols?

KO3- Does everyone celebrate New Year?

KO4-Why is Easter important for the church?

KO5-Are some stories more important than others?

KO6- Where should you spend the weekend?

Give a simple account of the core beliefs of the religions studied.

Retell a selection of key stories, making links to the core beliefs.

Retell a story about a leader in the Bible. (Exodus- the journey of Moses where he led the Israelites to freedom)

Recall how Moses and Johsua were chosen by God to lead people out of Egypt (Exodus 1-2 and Joshua. Why were they good leaders?

Recall the 10 commandments that were given to Moses.

Know that Rosh Hashanah marks the anniversary of the creation of the world.

Retell the Easter story.

Know that lent is the period of time leading up to Easter.

Recall a selection of stories from the Old Testament.

Recall the creation story and the importance of Sabbath.

Give examples of the festivals/rituals that link to key beliefs (e.g. Christmas, Easter, Passover, Sukkot)

Identify some clothing that has symbolic meaning.

Identify a range of Christian and Jewish symbols.

Recognise that symbols can communicate meaning.

Explore the symbols of Hanukkah and compare these to Christmas. .

Explore the celebration of Rosh Hashanah (the Jewish New Year).

Recall that Easter celebrate the resurrection of Christ.

Recall that Sabbath is a Jewish day of rest.

Give examples of how beliefs are linked to worship and prayer.

Understand the 10 commandments should be followed today.

Explore a vicar's or a Rabbi's on their views of leadership.

Identify symbols that are seen in worship and prayer.

Suggest reasons why people choose to wear symbols.

Recall some of the rituals during Rosh Hashanah.

Explore how Easter and Lent is celebrated.

Simply explain how Sabbath is spent.

Talk about their own experiences in the light of the religious knowledge gained.

Express their own opinions appropriately.

Talk about the differences that beliefs make to the way believers live.

Make simple comparisons to their own lives

Identify leaders in society and identity what makes them special/a good leader. Understand that Moses is considered an important prophet in Christianity and Judaism. Compare these leaders to Moses and Joshua

Express their opinions and design a symbol for an event or festival

Compare Rosh Hashanah to New Year celebrations in the UK.

Compare how Easter is celebrated differently to non-christians.

Discuss which of the stories have the most important messages for Christians/Jews.

Discuss how the stories may be interpreted by different people.

Discuss the importance of spending time together as a family and resting.

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KO 1- Do Christians have to take communion?

KO2-Is light a good symbol for celebration?

KO3-Is a Hindu child free to choose their beliefs?

KO4- Does Easter make sense without Passover?

KO5-Does Jesus have authority for everyone?

KO6-Can made up stories tell the truth?

Identify the role of some religious figures in the core beliefs and stories (Jesus, Moses, Rama, etc)

Identify different types of texts within sacred writings (laws, narratives, prayers, poems, story).

Explore the Bible passage from 1 Corinthians 11:23-29

Identify the role of Rama in Diwali and how this symbolises good triumphing over evil.

Identify the moral in the story of King Shibi and Shravan

Identify the role of Moses in Passover and the role of Jesus in Easter.

Explore events from Jesus' life that show his authority (Jesus in the temple, calling the disciples, stilling the storm).

Know that Jesus taught his disciples and crowds using parables.

Identify the key practices of a faith and some of the differences between denominations or sects.

Know that Communion, also called Eucharist, is a Christian ritual. Identify what happens in a communion.

Explore Diwali and in particular how and why light is used in the celebration.

Know the 5 daily duties of a HIndu.

Know in Hinduism, the concepts of Dharma, Karma, Moksha and Samsara are the principles of life.

Know that Jews celebrate Passover. Recall that Easter is celebrated by Christians.

Know parables are still used today to teach Christians and recall some of these.

Describe how beliefs influence worship and lifestyle.

Know that Christians participate in a ritual called Communion to show the togetherness of God and Christians.

Know that Hindus light lamps almost daily.

Use the 5 daily duties and 4 concepts to explain how a Hindu child is expected to live their life.

Explore the events and celebrations surrounding Passover.

Acknowledge that the stories of Jesus show his authority. Due to this authority, Christians trust and obey Jesus.

Recognise the difference between stories that are meant to be true and those that are not. Raise questions and suggest answers about the way that the key beliefs studied influence the attitudes and values of wider society.

Make links between the teachings of religious figures and current leaders.

Suggest how the stories and teachings studied might make a difference to the way the pupils think and behave.

Discuss whether communion is necessary to feel a sense of togetherness.

Compare the similarities and differences between Diwali, Hanukkah and Christmas.

Reflect on how the stories, duties and concepts shared may make a difference to how they think or behave.

Compare the following of Jesus to society's acceptance of other current world leaders.

Reflect on the parables shared and consider how these link to how children live their lives.

Year 4

KO1- Do Murtis help HIndus understand God?

KO2- Should Christians worship Mary?

KO3-ls a holy journey necessary for believers?

KO4-Should believers give things up?

KO5-Did Jesus really perform miracles?

KO6-Does prayer change things?

Describe the lives of the most important religious figures and their place within the belief system.

Suggest meaning for the various kinds of writing found within sacred texts.

Explore the stories of deities and how they are represented as Murtis.

Identify Mary's importance in the Christian story.

Explore bible stories and symbols of Christian beliefs about Mary.

Explore the story of Lent and the time that Jesus spent in the wilderness.

Describe some of the stories recounting the miracles Jesus performed.

Identify the importance of God in the lives of Christians and that as a result Christians pray to God. Make links between the texts studied and the practice of faith in the community.

Describe the 4 ways in which Hindus use Murtis to worship.

Describe some of the ways different churches respond to Mary.

Link the story of Jesus (particularly that of his death) to Christians pilgrimages to Jerusalem.

Explore the story behind Kumbh and make links to the Hindu pilgrimage for the festival of Kumbh Mela.

Know that Christians celebrate lent in recognition of the story of Jesus' time in the wilderness.

Link how the stories of Jesus' miracles strengthen faith and are re-told frequently.

Explore the Lord's Prayer and other prayers. Suggest the meaning behind different types of prayer.

Describe the beliefs that have the greatest impact on practice.

Investigate why Hindus choose to worship particular Murtis.

Describe the impact that MAry has on the lives of many believers, referring to the festivals that are celebrated.

Describe that Christians go on pilgrimages because of their belief in Jesus. Explore what a Chrisitan pilgrimage would consist of.

Describe the pilgrimage that Hindus go to for Kumbh.

Explore and describe how Christians celebrate Lent.

Describe how the miracles of Jesus provide guidance on how Chrisitans should live their lives: they should have compassion and faith.

Describe that Christians believe they should pray to God as part of everyday life. Explore how a Christian prays. Raise questions and suggest answers about the way that the key beliefs studied influence the attitudes and values of wider society.

Make links between the teachings of religious figures and current leaders.

Suggest how the stories and teachings studied might make a difference to the way the pupils think and behave

Reflect on the stories of the deities. Will these affect the way you think or behave?

Make links between any current leaders to the deities.

Compare the pilgrimages of Hindus and Christians

Suggest how pilgrimages and holidays are different and which is more valuable

Reflect on the story of Jesus in the wilderness and the story of Lent: has this made a difference to how you think or how you may behave?

Reflect on some of the miracles and discuss the value pupils themselves place on compassion and faith.

Reflect on pupil's own opinion on prayer and whether the learning has made a difference.

Year 5

KO1- Do Muslims need the Quran?

KO2-Does God communicate with man?

KO3- Does the community of the mosque help Muslims live better lives?

KO4-Was the death of Jesus worth the sacrifice?

KO5-Are you inspired?

KO6- What is best for our world? Does religion help people decide? Identify and describe the role of sacred texts in establishing belief systems and influencing religious leaders.

Use technical & religious language to identify the different writings within sacred texts

Identify and describe the Quran as a sacred text.

Identify and describe how the Bible shows that God communicated through dreams, visions, angels and on occasion directly face to face.

Identify that an Imam leads based on the teachings of the Quran.

Know that the story of the death of Jesus represents his sacrifice for others and the redemption of sins for the world.

Describe the story from the Bible of Pentecost.

Identify that different religious texts teach that people should look after the world and help the poor. Make clear links between the texts and concepts studied and common practice across denominations.

Explore how the Quran is used as part of the daily life of a Muslim (in Mosques and at home).

Recall that there are two divisions in the Muslim faith but both follow the Quran.

Identify that the Quran is part of daily life within a Mosque.

Make links to Jesus' sacrifice on the cross and how believers live life walking in loving obedience: a love derived from Christ's dying love

Identify that Chrisitans believe they receive the Holy Spirit when they are Baptised.

Identify that the Holy Spirit teaches, guides and helps them make the right choices.

Identify that Christians and Muslims believe that those less fortunate should be helped based on readings from the Bible and Quran. Describe the actions of believers in their communities, locally and globally that arise from their beliefs.

Describe the 5 pillars of Islam and how this impacts believers.

Describe how Christians belief in God communicating with man strengthens their faith and impacts their daily life through prayer and use of the Bible.

Explore and describe Mosques and how they function.

Describe how Pentecost is celebrated.

Explore different charities that have been founded by Christians and/or Muslims.

Describe tithe and how this affects the wider community.

Identify the key ideas from the faiths studied so far that believers may find helpful or inspiring.

Weigh up the impact that believers' actions have on their communities, locally and globally and comment on how positive this may be.

Compare religious ideas to the opportunities and problems of the wider world.

Identify and discuss which of the five pillars pupils find inspiring. Compare this to their views on Christianity.

Discuss how the belief that God communicates with man impacts the problems the world is currently or has previously faced.

Make links between the Mosque and how Muslims behave towards each other.

Evaluate how Christian's belief in the Holy Spirit can have a positive impact on communities, locally and globally.

Evaluate the impact that Christians and Muslims beliefs in helping others has a positive impact.

Year 6

KO1-Are saints encouraging role models?

KO2-Is "God made man" a good way to understand the Christmas story?

KO3-Do clothes express beliefs?

KO4-Is the resurrection important to Chrisitans?

KO5-Can we know what God is like?

KO6-Does it matter what we believe about creation?

Recognise the role of inspiration in the creation of sacred texts and the lives of leaders.

Explain the connections between sacred texts and beliefs using theological terms.

Explore saints and discuss how their actions were inspired by their own beliefs.

Understand that incarnation represents that Jesus was God in human form (the Christmas story) and allowed the process of salvation to begin. Explore the Gospels of the Bible.

Explore sacred texts and their description of resurrection.

Know that the Bible and the Quran were written to share the inspiring messages of God.

Explore the extracts from the Bible and Quran that show what God is like.

Compare two texts about creation.

Show how believers put their beliefs into practice in different ways (e.g. different denominations and sects).

Describe how saints act on their own beliefs and that these continue to inspire and influence people today.

Know that celebrating Christmas is one way that Christians acknowledge that God is incarnate.

Know that Christians can put their faith into practice (by believing in God incarnate) by attending church, reading the Bible, singing carols or creating artwork.

Explain that believers dress in certain ways to demonstrate their beliefs. Show that this can be reflected in the wearing of religious symbols.

Explore a Chrisitan funeral and how it reflects their beliefs.

Compare the resurrection of Jesus with Hindu's view on resurrection.

Compare symbols and words to show understanding of God. (Christians and Muslims).

Show understanding of why Chrisitians or another faith group might engage in environmental issues.

Show how inspiration might play a part in how believers interpret the texts.

Explore depictions of saints and link these to their stories.

Explore different paintings, cards and carols that have been created as a result of reading texts about incarnation.

Compare different religious clothing to show how belief in God has inspired people differently.

Explore different paintings of heaven and link this to sacred texts.

Link a faith story/passage of scripture to the characteristics or nature of God.

Discuss needing to care for the environment and what the motivations are for doing so.

Identify the key ideas from the faiths studied so far that believers may find helpful or inspiring.

Weigh up the impact that believers' actions have on their communities, locally and globally and comment on how positive this may be.

Compare religious ideas to the opportunities and problems of the wider world.

Discuss which saint is the most helpful or inspiring.

Evaluate how clothing can give believers a sense of belonging.

Discuss how belief in resurrection can be positive for believers today.

Compare believers' views on the need to look after the world with the issues the world is facing today.