

# UNDERSTANDING CHRISTIANITY WHOLE SCHOOL OVERVIEW



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>FS</b>	<b>F1- Creation</b> Why is the word God so important to Christians?	<b>F2- Incarnation</b> Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas?	<b>Celebrations</b> -Why do we celebrate special times? Islam/Christianity	<b>F3- Salvation</b> Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter Garden?	<b>Special People</b>	<b>Special Places</b>
<b>YEAR 1</b>	<b>1.2- Creation</b> Who made our world?	<b>Belonging-</b> What does it mean to belong? Christianity	<b>1.1-God</b> What do Christians believe God is like?	<b>Leaders/ teachers-</b> Who is an inspiring person and who inspires you? Christianity	<b>Celebrations</b> -How does being a Muslim make a difference to family and celebration? Islam	<b>Believing</b> - Why is God important for Muslims? Islam
<b>YEAR 2</b>	<b>Myself-</b> How should we care for others? Christianity/ Islam	<b>1.3- Incarnation</b> Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	<b>The Trinity-</b> How do Christians show their understanding of the Trinity; God in three persons?	<b>1.5- Salvation</b> Why does Easter matter to Christians?	<b>Symbols-</b> Why and how do special places and symbols help people show what they believe? Christianity/ Islam	<b>1.4 Gospel</b> What is the good news that Jesus brings?
<b>YEAR 3</b>	<b>2a.1- Creation</b> What do Christians learn from the creation story?	<b>Symbols and religious expression</b> -What are the deeper meanings of festivals? Christianity	<b>2a.2-People of God</b> What is it like to follow God?	<b>Salvation</b> - What do Christians believe about the sacrifice of Jesus?	<b>Journey of Life and Death-</b> Why do believers often see life as a journey and what significant experiences mark this? Christianity and Hinduism	<b>Inspiring people-</b> Who was Guru Nanak? Why and how do people follow him? Sikhism
<b>YEAR 4</b>	<b>2a.4- Gospel</b> What kind of world did Jesus want?	<b>2a.3- Incarnation</b> What is the Trinity?	<b>Symbols and religious expression-</b> What are the deeper meanings of festivals? Hinduism	<b>2a.5- Salvation</b> Why do Christians call the day Jesus died ' Good Friday'?	<b>2a.6- Kingdom of God</b> When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost?	<b>Teachings and authority-</b> What makes some books sacred, how are they used and why do they matter to believers? Christianity and Judaism
<b>YEAR 5</b>	<b>2b.2-</b>	<b>Symbols and</b>	<b>2b.3-People of</b>	<b>2b.6-</b>	<b>2b.8-</b>	<b>Worship, pilgrimage</b>

	<b>Creation</b> Creation and science	<b>religious expression</b> -How do art, architecture and poetry express religious beliefs and ideas? Christianity and Hinduism	<b>God</b> How can following God bring freedom and justice?	<b>Salvation</b>	<b>Kingdom of God</b> What kind of King is Jesus?	<b>and special places-</b> Why is pilgrimage important to some religious believers? Christianity, Islam and Hinduism
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<b>YEAR 6</b>	<b>Beliefs in action-</b> Justice and poverty: can religions help to build a fair world? Christianity, Hinduism and Sikhism	<b>2b.4- Incarnation</b> Was Jesus the Messiah?	<b>Teachings and authority-</b> What makes some books sacred, how are they used and why do they matter to believers? Christianity and Judaism	<b>2b.7- Salvation</b> What difference does the resurrection make for Christians?	<b>Journey of life and death-</b> Why do people believe in life after death and what difference does it make? Christianity and Hinduism	<b>2b.5- Gospel</b> What would Jesus do?
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