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| **Reception** | What do some religious people celebrate? | How do Christians celebrate Jesus’ birthday? | What natural things appear dead but are really alive? | What things do Christians do and eat at Easter? | What places are special to me at home and school? | What local place is special and holy to a religious family?  Which people are important in our lives? |
| **YEAR 1** | Which aspects of the natural world do some people and some religious people find wonderful? | Why is light important in everyday life and for some religious groups?  How and why is light used in the Christian celebration of Christmas? | What does belonging to a group mean?  What does it mean to belong to a Christian or other faith group? | What was important to Jesus?  What did Jesus give up for love? | What books are special to children and other religious groups?  Why is the Bible a holy and special book for Christians? | What stories are important to different religious groups? |
| **YEAR 2** | What signs and symbols do we see in everyday life and religions and what do they mean? | Why do people give gifts at Christmas? | Why do Christians go to church and what do they do there? | Why is Easter important for Christians? | Who are the important people in the lives of religious groups/people? | What are easy questions and why are some answers difficult? E.g.  Who is God, What is good/bad? |

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| **YEAR 3** | What was Muhammad’s life like? | How can God be described?  and  What messages were sent at Christmas by angels? | What was Jesus’ life like?  What stories did Jesus tell?  What did Jesus do? | How did Jesus overcome temptation?  How do Christians celebrate Lent and Easter? | What rules do Muslims follow?  What rules do Christians follow? | What meaning and significance are attached to special places and sacred spaces? |
| **YEAR 4** | What do Hindu’s teach their children about God? | What actions are symbolic in an act of worship in some Hindu homes?  and  How are advent and Christmas celebrated around the world? | Where do I belong?  How do Christians and Sikh communities welcome new babies? | How is food shared as park of Sikh and Christian worships?  How did Jesus share his Last Supper? | What makes a special book a scared book?  Why is the Bible scared for Christians? | What is the scared book for Sikhs and how is it handled?  What are the sacred books for Hindus?  What can we learn from Hindu stories? |
| **YEAR 5** | What rules do I follow?  How do Jewish rules of living affect every day Jewish lives? | How does light make people feel and what does light signify for me?  How is light symbolic in some religious celebrations? | Who are key figures in the Jewish religion?  What happens at the Jewish celebration of Passover? | What happened to Jesus over the course of Holy Week?  What themes do Passover and Easter have in common? | What sort of person is a religious leader?  Which are the important Jewish and Christian groups in your area? | To which questions do religions provide answers?  How do Jews celebrate creation? |
| **YEAR 6** | How do Christian and Buddhists live their lives?  What is important about The Buddha? | How do Buddhists try to follow the Buddha’s example?  What is the difference between the sacred and secular Christmas? | How do Christians and Buddhists express their faith in art, drama and song? | How is the life of Jesus relevant today?  Why do Christians remember Jesus particularly at Easter? | What might God be like?  What do Christians believe about God?  How do humans exercise responsibility for the environment? | Can desire cause suffering?  Why is there suffering in the world?  How do you overcome evil and promote goodness? |