



Hartford Junior School Religious Education Long Term Plan



	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Year 3 Sikhism	What texts are important to people of faith? Bible Torah Qur'an Key stories from each	How is Christmas celebrated around the world? Christmas trees and their symbolism. A special time for non-Christians too.	Sikhism – What makes Sikhism special? Gurdwara 5 Ks's Trip?	How do people pray and what is prayer? What prayer looks like in Christianity and Islam.	Sikhism – How do the teachings of Sikhism impact on how people choose to live their lives?	How can we make a difference in our world today? Faith charities and non-faith charities
Year 4 Hinduism	Hinduism - What makes Hinduism special? Temple Worship Key beliefs	Hinduism –What do Hindus celebrate? Diwali Significant of light and link to Christmas Trip/visitor	How do people of faith show their commitment and belonging to their faith? (People of faith unit plan)	Why is Easter the most important festival to Christians? Lent Bible Trip? Catholic church	What is peace? Look at peace and the similarities and differences across religions.	What makes a good deed? Good Samaritan Ramadan
Year 5 Buddhism	Buddhism – What makes Buddhism special? Buddha Temples and Shrines 4 Noble Truths Enlightenment	Buddhism – What do Buddhists celebrate? Wesak Dharma Day Buddhism around the world Trip/visitor	How do people of different faiths celebrate their faith through art and music? Look at how different religions depict religious figures/stories in art.	What does it mean to be a person of faith today?	What do people believe about the creation of our world? Why should I care about it today? Different religions/cultures Science/evolution (How was the world created – Unit plan)	How should we treat each other? (Unit plan) Ten Commandments
Year 6 Humanism Judaism	What can we learn from stories of faith? How stories from different religions influence the way in which people live today.	What does it mean to be a Christian? Different denominations Teachings Life today	What do Humanists believe? Values Celebrations What is Atheism? What do you believe?	What does it mean to be a Jew? Jesus was a Jew. Different groups – traditional/progressive. Shabbat, Shalom, Sukkot. Festivals – Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur. Bar/Bat Mitzvah Trip/visitor synagogue Explore the Torah. How is it similar to the Bible?	What happens when we die? Reincarnation Rebirth Heaven Atheism/ Humanism	Who in the world today shows courage, faith and commitment? Challenges people of faith have faced. Current examples of people of faith.