

Larkspur Primary - R.E. Subject Overview



	Autumn	Spring	Summer	Cultural Capital <small>E.g. visits, visitors, extra curricular opportunities</small>
Early Years Christianity & different faiths	Key themes covered throughout the year Special People Christmas Celebrations Easter Learning through Stories			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A visit to a local Christian church • Visits from people of different faiths.
Year 1 Christianity & Judaism	Creation Story Does God want Christians to look after the world? Christmas What gifts would Christians in my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather than in Bethlehem?	Jesus as a friend Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship? Easter—Palm Sunday Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?	Shabbat Is Shabbat important to Jewish children? Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit to a local Christian church • Visit from a local Christian religious leader • Visit from people from the Jewish faith
Year 2 Christianity & Islam	What did Jesus teach? Is it possible to be kind to people all of the time? Christmas - Jesus as a gift from God Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	Prayer at home Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/her everyday life? Easter—Resurrection How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his resurrection?	Community and Belonging Does going to a Mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging? Hajj Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit to a local Christian church • Visit from a local Christian religious leader • Visit to a Mosque • Visit from an Islamic religious leader • Visits from people of Christian and Islamic faith
Year 3 Christianity & Hinduism	Divali Would celebrating Divali at home and in the community bring a feeling of belonging to a Hindu child? Christmas Has Christmas lost its true meaning?	Jesus' Miracles Could Jesus heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation? Easter—Forgiveness What is 'good' about Good Friday?	Hindu Beliefs How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything? Humanism How could Humanists lead good lives?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit to a local Christian church • Visit from a local Christian religious leader • Visit to a Mandir • Visit from a Hindu religious leader • Visits from people of Christian and Hindu faith
Year 4 Christianity & Judaism	Belief's and Practices How special is the relationship Jews have with God? Christmas What is the most significant part of the nativity story for Christians today?	Passover How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do? Easter Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	Rites of Passage and Good Works What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God? Prayer and Worship Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit to a local Christian church • Visit from a local Christian religious leader • Visit from a Jewish religious leader • Visits from people of Christian and Jewish faith
Year 5 Christianity & Hinduism	Prayer and Worship What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God? Christmas Is the Christmas story true?	Hindu Beliefs How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything? Easter How significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die?	Beliefs and Moral Values Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindu's lead good lives? Beliefs in Practice What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit to a local Christian church • Visit from a local Christian religious leader • Visit to a Mandir • Visit from a Hindu religious leader • Visits from people of Christian and Hindu faith
Year 6 Christianity & Islam	Beliefs and Practices What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God? Christmas Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?	Beliefs and meaning Is anything ever eternal? Easter Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?	Beliefs and Moral Values Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit to a local Christian church • Visit from a local Christian religious leader • Visit to a Mosque • Visit from a Islamic religious leader • Visits from people of Christian and Muslim faith