## RE – Knowledge Progression

	Knowledge			Vocabulary
FS2	Knows why religious venues are sp	pecial to members of their commu	nity,	Diwali, Hanukkah,
	Know that people have different b	eliefs and celebrate special times in	different ways.	Celebrations, religion,
	Know about the different member	s of their community. For example	– families (make up),	religious, venue, worship,
	occupations.		· · · · ·	beliefs, community,
		members, experiences.		
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YI and Y2	Know some of the events of the	Can talk about some Christian	Know some of the things	Christianity:
	Christmas story in order.	symbols used at Christmas and	Christians do with their families	God, Jesus, Bible, Christian
Understand who I	Know the names of the key	their link to the Christmas	at Christmas.	Place of Worship, Church,
am and my	people involved in the Christmas	story – e.g. star, lights and	Can explain that Christmas is	Communion. Bread and
uniqueness as a	story.	candles, holly, bells, gifts	important to Christians because	wine
person in a family		Knows some symbols and	that is when they celebrate the	Christmas:
and community.	Know that Jewish people have	actions that show two people	birth of Jesus who they believe	Festival, nativity, Jesus,
Understand how	Moses as one of their religious	are getting married such as	to be God's gift to the world.	Mary, Joseph, angel,
and why	leaders.	rings, special clothes, prayers or	Know that Christians might say	shepherds, saviour, gold,
celebrations are	Retell the story of Moses as a	promises.	that they belong to Christianity	frankincense, myrrh,
important in	baby.		and/or to God.	precious, Gift from God,
religion.	Retell the story of Moses, God	Know what a synagogue and	Can name some special days	Nazareth, Bethlehem,
0	and the Ten Commandments.	Torah are.	and talk about what happens on	stable, The 3 Wise Men
Explore how and			them.	
why some stories	Know that Christians follow a	Know that Christian symbols	Know that Hanukkah is the	Judaism, God, Jewish
are sacred and	religion called Christianity and	include a cross, which	Jewish festival of lights.	Bible, Torah,
important in	that Jews follow a religion called	represents Jesus, a dove, which		Holy Book
religion.	Judaism.	represents the Holy Spirit and a	Know that part of the Christian	Miracle
•		fish.	service includes drinking wine	Freedom, Bravery, Trust
Understand how	Know that Hanukkah celebrates a	Know that Christian symbols	and eating bread and that these	
and why symbols	miracle that happened in	can be found in a church.	remind Christians of the Last	Religion, faith,
express religious	Jerusalem over 2,000 years ago		Supper, when Jesus shared wine	Star of David, symbol,
meaning	and retell a simple version of the		and bread with his friends.	followers, Prayer,
-	story.			Commandments
				Leader
				Haly Sagrad
				Holy, Sacred

	Cross, Dove, Fish Easter, Holy Communion Last supper, disciples

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Y3 and Y4	Retell the story of Diwali.	Know that many religions make	Know that many Hindus use	Christianity
	Understand that Christians base	use of sacred art.	Rangoli patterns during Diwali	Symbols, symbolic, Holy,
How do Christians	many of their beliefs on Bible	Know that some religions (e.g.	to represent the happiness,	Sacred. Spiritual
and Hindus use art,	stories, including psalms.	Islam) forbid the use of	positivity and liveliness of their	·
buildings and music	Know that Jesus is an inspiration	figurative representations.	household.	Hinduism, Deities
in worship and	to Christians.	Know some of the recurring	Know that music is important	
community?	To know that Jesus was known as	symbols in Hindu sacred art,	to many Christians and is often	Hymns, Worship, Psalm
	a teacher and taught through	such as lotus flowers and extra	used as part of their worship.	
Christian stories:	parables.	limbs.	Know that a psalm is a sacred	Inspiration, Heroes
what makes Jesus	Know that a parable is a simple	Know that Christians often	song or hymn used in Christian	Beliefs, Gospels, Parables
an inspiring leader?	story used to illustrate a moral or	worship in a church and that	or Jewish worship.	Blessed, Beatitudes
	spiritual lesson, as told by Jesus in	Hindus often worship in a	Know that a mantra is a sacred	Miracles
Worship,	the Gospels.	Mandir.	Hindu syllable, word or verse	Stained glass windows
pilgrimage and	Know that Jesus delivered the	Know that many Christians	that is often repeated.	_
sacred places:	Beatitudes (a set of teachings to	believe that Jesus chose	Know that art and music is	Pilgrimage
where, how and	guide Christians' behaviour) in	symbols to represent himself.	often used in Hinduism for	Passover, freedom and
why people	the Sermon on the Mount.	Name some of these. (Bread,	expression and celebration, to	slavery
worship, including	Know that a miracle is an event	light, door, shepherd, vine)	evoke the presence of God and	Mahatma (great soul)
at particular sites.	not explicable by natural or	Know that some places are of	to make the worshiper feel	
	scientific laws.	particular significance in the	closer to God.	Creation story, Genesis
Inspirational	Know that many Christians	religious life of some people.	Know that people from many	
people: figures	believe that Jesus performed	Name places that Hindus visit	religions will make religious	Brahma, evolution
from whom	miracles.	on a pilgrimage.	journeys (pilgrimages) as part of	
believers find	Retell the story of Passover,	Know that Bethlehem is	their faith and practice.	
inspiration	focussing on Moses as an	currently a place of pilgrimage	Know about the actions and	
	inspirational leader, taking the	for many Christians.	achievements of Martin Luther	
Beliefs and	Jewish people to freedom.		King and develop understanding	
questions: how	Learn stories from the life of		of the impact of his work.	
people's beliefs	Gandhi and be able to explain		Learn about Christian and	
about God, the	why his life might be considered		Hindu celebrations and	
world and others	inspirational.		commitments by describing	
impact on their	Learn about the creation stories		some spiritual ways of	
lives	from the Christianity and		celebrating Christian and Hindu	
	Hinduism.		festivals.	

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Y5 and Y6 – Year	Know that the Christian Bible is	Know that Llindy workin is	Know about the Five Pillars of	lelene Mueline
I Term I		Know that Hindu worship is often individual rather than	Islam; understand what these	Islam, Muslim Old Testament, New
i renn i	made up of many books and that			Testament
Evelone whet	these are split into the Old and New Testaments.	communal and that many Hindus will have a shrine at	say about Allah and about how Muslims should lead their lives.	
Explore what sacred texts and	Learn about the concept of the			Trinity, Holy Spirit
	•	home.	(i.e. belief in just one god, ritual	Pentecost, Christmas
other sources say	Christian Trinity: know that many	Know some of the items on a	prayers five times each day,	Quran, Five Pillars of Islam Vedas. Brahman
about God, the	Christians believe that there is	puja tray and their significance.	charity for the poor and needy,	
world and human	one God, who is Father, Son and	(e.g. a bell to invite god into the	fasting during the month of	Trimurti. Brahma, Vishnu,
life.	Holy Spirit.	home, a lamp as a symbol of	Ramadan, pilgrimage to Mecca	Shiva Miladaa Nahi
Evelone have	Know about key events in some	god's presence, incense to	at least once in their lifetime). Know about some occasions	Milad un Nabi Althimh Xayuma al din
Explore how	bible stories – e.g. Moses, Jesus'	purify the air, water to show	which are sacred to believers,	Akhirah, Yawm al-din,
religions and beliefs	Birth, Easter, Pentecost	respect to the gods and red		Jannah, Jahannam
respond to global issues of human	Know that the Islamic holy book	kum kum powder as a sign of	including Christmas, Diwali and Milad un Nabi.	Heaven, Hell, Judgement,
	is the Qur'an.	respect and devotion).		Purgatory
rights, fairness,	Know that the Hindi sacred texts	Know that people who belong	Know that there are usually	Sheol, Gan Eden
social justice and	include the Vedas.	to different religions often	stories behind to religious festivals and that these are	atman, Swark, Narak,
the importance of	Know that for Hindus, Brahman	worship in a specific building and that these often have		Samsara, karma, moksha Milad un Nabi
the environment.	takes many forms. Brahman can	common features.	often linked to the symbolism	
Understand how	be male, female and even animal.		and practices associated with the festival.	Gospels The Colden Bule
	Know that three of the most	Know some of the features of a		The Golden Rule
religious families	significant forms of Brahman are	church, mosque and synagogue.	Know that many Christians follow the 'Golden Rule' 'do to	Shahadah, Salat Daitiga Muntia Duia Mandin
and communities	Brahma, Vishnu and Shiva, making	Know about some of the		Deities, Murtis. Puja, Mandir
practise their faith, and the	up the Hindu Trimurti.	traditions and rituals linked to	others what you would have	Diva lamp
contributions this	Know that many religious people believe in a form of life after	these religious buildings.	them do to you' as set out in	Aarti Church Maagua Suragagua
			the Bible.	Church, Mosque, Synagogue
makes to local life.	death and that some religions –		Know that many Christians	nave, aisle, transept, font,
Independent what is	e.g. Christianity, Islam and		know 'The Lord's Prayer' by	vestry, pews
Understand what is	Judaism – include a form of		heart and that many believe that	muezzin, wudu, minbar,
expected of a	judgement with a final place of		it was originally taught by Jesus.	minaret, mihrab
person in following	paradise or suffering.		Know that charity and caring	torah, menorah, bimah, ark, ner tabid
a religion or belief.	Know that some religions – e.g. Hinduism – include belief in a		for the poor and needy is an	
			important aspect of both Islam	confirmation, bar mitzvah,
	form of death and rebirth –		and Christianity.	bat mitzvah
	reincarnation.			

of at least one Retell the story and understand	y of the Passover	Know that Christians believe that Jesus gave sermons (speeches) to his followers and that Christian leaders give sermons within church services. Learn about the four aims in Hindu life (i.e. artha (wealth), kama (desire), dharma (righteousness/duty) and moksha (liberation).) Know that puja is the name for Hindu worship, and that it often involves images (murtis) and prayers (mantras). Know about some religious ceremonies which are common to a number of religions and	
		to a number of religions and some religious ceremonies which are specific to certain religions – e.g. weddings, bar	