

Heronsgate RE Curriculum 2022 - 2027

Year	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
R	Theme: Special People Key Question: What makes people special? Religions: Christianity, Judaism	Theme: Christmas Key Question: What is Christmas? Religion: Christianity Christian concept: Incarnation	Theme: Celebrations Key Question: How do people celebrate? Religions: Hinduism	Theme: Easter Key Question: What is Easter? Religion: Christianity Christian concept: Salvation	Theme: Story Time Key Question: What can we learn from stories? Religions: Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism	Theme: Special Places Key Question: What makes places special? Religions: Christianity, Islam, Judaism
1	Who am I? / Belonging What does it mean to belong in a religion?	Celebrations How important are celebrations?	Christianity 1 Does God want Christians to look after the world?	Christianity 2 Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?	Judaism 1 Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?	Judaism 2 Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?
2	Christianity 3 Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?	Christianity 4 Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	Judaism 3 How special is the relationship Jews have with God?	Christianity 5 How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion?	Islam 1 Does going to a mosque give Muslims a sense of belonging? <i>Visit to local mosque</i>	Islam 2 Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?
3	Hinduism 1 How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything? <i>Hindu visitor - Renu</i>	Hinduism 2 Would celebrating Diwali at home and in the community bring a feeling of belonging to a Hindu child?	How did the world begin? Do the patterns and rhythm in nature show evidence of God's creation?	Christianity 6 What is good about good Friday?	Sikhism 1 Do Sikhs think it is important to share?	Sikhism 2 What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God? <i>Sikh visitor or Gurdwara visit</i>
4	Christianity 7 Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians? <i>Visit to church (e.g. - local church or St Paul's cathedral)</i>	Christianity 8 What is the most significant part of the Nativity story for Christians today?	Worship What is worship and why do people engage in it?	Judaism 4 What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?	Buddhism 1 Could the Buddha's teachings make the world a better place?	Buddhism 2 What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life?
5	Peace How and why do people choose to live peaceful lives? <i>Link to Black History Month</i>	Christianity 9 What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?	Sikhism 3 Are Sikh stories important today?	Sikhism 4 What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God (Waheguru)?	Hinduism 3 What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God?	Hinduism 4 Do beliefs in karma, samsara and moksha help Hindus lead good lives?
6	Christianity 10 Is anything ever eternal?	Christianity 11 Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why He was born?	Islam 3 What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?	Islam 4 Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?	The End of Life's Journey How important it is for people to celebrate the lives of those they have lost?	Christianity 12 Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth? Understanding Faith in the Royal Borough of Greenwich