



# Moorside Primary School

## RE Year 2 Overview

Autumn	Spring	Summer
Expressing religious meaning	Different ways of giving thanks to God	Showing care and concern
<p>Identify and find out about the meanings of symbols for God. Pupils use photos or religious artefacts identifying the group to which these belong.</p> <p>Why is a light/water/a tree such an important religious symbol?</p> <p>Explore symbols of two different religious traditions, looking for similarities such as light, water, trees.</p> <p>What is important about the design of some places of worship?</p>	<p>Invite a faith visitor to school or visit a place of worship to explore prayer, worship and reflection with pupils.</p> <p>How do different religions say 'thank you' to God?</p> <p>In what way do different religious people share actions when praying?</p>	<p>How have people of faith influenced the world by their actions?</p> <p>How can faith stories guide people in their choices of what is right or wrong?</p> <p>Explore a Christian charity that focuses on justice and fairness.</p> <p>Why do we need rules anyway? Pupils explore what rules an individual or organisation might need and why.</p> <p>How do we know how and when to be good?</p>
Muslim prayer and action	The Lord's Prayer	Whose community?
<p>Why do some people pray to Allah for help?</p> <p>How and why do some Muslims wash and pray in a daily pattern?</p> <p>Why does a prayer mat become holy when a Muslim prays on it?</p> <p>What makes a place holy?</p>	<p>Why do Christians all over the world pray 'The Lord's Prayer'?</p> <p>Explore the Lord's Prayer through images.</p>	<p>What makes human beings so unique?</p> <p>How we can live together when we are all so different?</p> <p>Pupils share ideas on how we know that people come from different religions.</p> <p>Pupils explore the relationship between humans, their environment and other living things.</p> <p>How do the religious groups in your local community look after people and the world?</p> <p>What is carried out locally for the benefit of the whole community? Should everyone in the world take responsibility for looking after each other?</p>
Festivals including Christmas	The Easter Story	Who made the world and other big questions
<p>How do festivals bring people together?</p> <p>What are the ingredients of a festival?</p> <p>Why does Christmas matter to Christians?</p> <p>What events are Christians remembering and believing when they celebrate Christmas?</p>	<p>What is the good news that Jesus brings?</p> <p>What events are Christians remembering and believing when they celebrate Easter?</p>	<p>What do many Christians, Muslims and Jews believe about how the world was made?</p> <p>Who made the world?</p> <p>How is the victory of good over evil expressed in a range of religions and worldviews? Eg. the story of Diwali, Purim, Bilal (Muslim call to prayer)</p> <p>What might heaven be like? Explore themes from the Spirited Arts competition (<a href="http://www.natre.org.uk">www.natre.org.uk</a>)</p>
	Shabbat and Passover	
	<p>Why does Shabbat have a special place in Jewish families?</p> <p>How and why do people celebrate special and holy times eg Passover and Easter.</p>	



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