#### <u>Overview</u>

RE is taught once per week per class.

AT EYFS/KS1 and 2 the focus is on enjoying well known stories (many that appear in both the Bible and Qur'an) and using these as the basis for art, music and writing. Moving into Classes 3 and 4, the majority of the stories taught will have a lesson, which links well with the PSHE syllabus. In and through Years 7, 8, and 9, we will begin to focus on organised religions, highlighting the similarities between them as well as the differences. More detail for most of these modules can be found in the Rotherham Agreed Syllabus, an electronic copy of which is on the Staff Area of the intranet. Years 10 and 11 will continue to use the ASDAN materials. Although the children will be learning about religion, much of the focus should be on promoting the British Values of Mutual Tolerance, Respectful Attitudes and Rule of Law.

Better links have been established with the church in Kilnhurst and in Swinton and we will continue to grow links with other places of worship to enhance the curriculum.

A list of resources and books that we have in school is also provided to help you plan lessons.

#### **RE Experiences**

When pupils leave in Year 11 they will have experienced some of the following:

They may have visited: a church; a mosque; a synagogue; a gurudwara; a Buddhist temple.

They may have met: a priest/minister; a rabbi; an imam; a Buddhist monk; a guru.

They will have celebrated: Christmas; Easter; Shrove Tuesday; Diwali; Hannukah; Eid-al-Fitr.

Year Group	Focus	Content
EYFS (OPH)	Enjoying and Knowing Religious Stories	<u>Autumn</u>
Year 1/2(JGA)	Enjoying and Knowing Religious Stories	- The Creation Story (Christianity and Islam)
		- Christmas
Christian and Islamic Stories		
		Spring
		- Noah's/Nuh's Ark and the Flood
		- Easter
		<u>Summer</u>
		- Joseph/Yusuf and his coat of many colours
Year 3 (CWH)	Enjoying and Knowing Religious Stories	<u>Autumn</u>
		- Moses/Musa (The burning bush, the plagues, the parting
Christian and Islamic Stories	Using art, music and drama to interact	of the Red Sea)
	with religion	- Christmas
Start to learn lessons from		
stories		Spring
		- David/Dawud and Goliath
		- Easter
		Commen
		Summer The Steem of Heine (Obsering Cod)
		- The Story of Hajra (Obeying God)
		- The Tower of Babel (Showing Off)
Voor A (CCA)	Enjoying and Vaccoing Deligious Charles	- Daniel and the Lions
Year 4 (GSA)	Enjoying and Knowing Religious Stories	<u>Autumn</u>

Christian and Islamic Stories		- The Ten Commandments
that teach us lessons	Using art, music and drama to interact with religion	- The Prodigal Son/The Lost Son (Forgiveness) - Feeding the 5000 (Miracles, Saying Thank You) - Christmas
	Understanding that religious stories	Giristinas
	teach us lessons	Spring
		- Birth of Muhammed
		- Cleansing of the Heart
		- Jonah/Yunus and the Whale
		- Easter
		Summer
		- Zaccheus (Everyone Can Change)
		- The Night of the Journey
		- The Prophet Escapes to Madinah
Year 5 (KA)	Enjoying and Knowing Religious Stories	Autumn
		- The Story of Job (Patience)
Christian, Islamic and	Using art, music and drama to interact	- The Story of the Two Gardens (Pride)
Buddhist Stories that teach us lessons	with religion	- Christmas
	Understanding that religious stories	Spring
	teach us lessons	- The Story of the Buddha
		- The Good Samaritan (Helping Others, Charity)
		- The Temptation of Jesus
		- Easter
		Summer
		- Jesus the Healer/Miracles (Believe and be healed)

		- The Story of Ahraham /Ihra	him and Isaac/Ismael (Trust
		in God)	anni ana isaac) isinaci (11 asc
Year 6 (JEL)	Enjoying and Knowing Religious Stories	Autumn - The Story of Buddha	
	Using art, music and drama to interact with religion	- Jesus the Healer/Miracles ( - Christmas	[Believe and be healed]
	Understanding that religious stories teach us lessons	<ul><li>Spring</li><li>The Story of Job (Patience)</li><li>The Story of the Two Garde</li></ul>	
	To understand the similarities and differences of religions.	- Easter	,
		<u>Summer</u>	
		- Beliefs and the big question (Looking at mysteries, question people turn to religion for the	stions about the world, where
Year 7 (IB)	To understand the similarities and	Autumn	Festival Focus
rear / (ID)	differences of religions.	- Beliefs and the big	Move the focus away from
	amereness of rengions.	questions	Christmas and Easter. Study
	To study the religious festivals of other	(Looking at mysteries,	these key festivals from other
	religions.	questions about the world,	religions. Some dates can
		where people turn to	change from year to year.
		religion for the answers)	
			Autumn
		Spring	- Yom Kippur (Jewish Day of
		- Religious Symbolism	Atonement)
		(e.g. 5 pillars of Islam, the Cross etc).	- Diwali (Hindu and Sikh Festival of Lights)

			- Hannukah (Jewish Festival
		<u>Summer</u>	of Light)
		- Sacred texts, sacred	
		places and pilgrimages	
			Spring
			- Orthodox Christmas Day
Year 8 (JT)	To understand the role of religion in our	<u>Autumn</u>	- Vasant Panchami (Hindu
	own lives and the lives of other people.	- What is expected of me to	Festival Welcoming Spring)
		follow a religion?	- Imbole (Pagan Festival to
	To study the religious festivals of other		ensure a good growing
	religions.	Spring	season)
		- Inspirational people	- Shrove Tuesday/Ash
		from/who follow religion	Wednesday/Lent/Mothering
			Sunday (Christian
		<u>Summer</u>	celebrations)
		- Journey of Life and Death	- Passover (Jewish festival
Year 9 (LBA/MBVK)	To understand how religion impacts on	<u>Autumn</u>	celebrating surviving the
	the world we live in.	- Religions Around The	plagues in Egypt)
		World	
	To study the religious festivals of other		Summer
	religions.	Spring	- Beltane (Pagan festival
		- What if you don't believe?	celebrating the arrival of
		(Atheism, Agnostics and	summer)
		Pagans)	- Ramadan (Islamic time of
			fasting and spiritual
		<u>Summer</u>	renewal)

		- What will make Rotherham a more	- Eid-al-Fitr (Islamic Feast celebrating the end of
		respectful place?	Ramadan)
Year 10 (HFA)	ASDAN Module 1  Values, Beliefs and Decision-making.  ASDAN Module 2	ASDAN Module 1  Considering, amongst others:  Important values that define your own character.  Finding out about other people's values.  Can you be taught to be good?  Decisions and dilemmas.  Things that influence your beliefs and decisions.	
	Environment	Considering, amongst others:  - Climate change, pollution, overpopulation - Where are the world's resources? - What do major world religions teach about the environment?	
Year 11 (CHA)	ASDAN Module 3 Crime and Punishment.	Considering, amongst others - What causes crime? - Why do we need laws? - What does "justice" mean?	

	- Do you agree with "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth?"
	- Investigate the history of capital punishment.
ASDAN Module 4	
	Considering, amongst others:
Peace and Conflict	-What areas of the world are currently experiencing war or conflict?
	-What is the Noble Peace Prize?
	- Who has won the Nobel Peace Prize?
	- Why did they win it?
	- What are weapons of mass destruction?
	- Which countries hold weapons of mass destruction?
	- What are the weapons of mass destruction?
	- What are your views of mass destruction?

- Year 7/8/9 can work together and decide which *Festival Focus* (from suggestions) will fit in with their year group.
- Due to Covid restrictions visits to church and other places of worship are not being planned. This will be reviewed at Christmas.