



STANBRIDGE LOWER SCHOOL
LONG TERM PLAN
Religious Education
Key Stage 1

	Year 1	Resources	Year 2	Resources
Autumn 1	What do Christians believe God is like?	Picturing creation. Big, big questions (fischy music) Opening up Christianity (RE Today)	What can we learn from sacred books and stories?	Share a story with... Opening up Christianity (RE Today)
Autumn 2	Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	Talking pictures. Share a story with... Exploring worship-activities for primary RE Opening up Christianity (RE today)	How and why do we celebrate significant times? What makes some celebrations sacred to believers?	Celebrations (RE Ideas series) Exploring Celebrations- How and why are religious festivals important (RE Today)
Spring 1	What makes some places significant? What makes some places sacred to believers?	Opening up Judaism. Opening up Islam.	Who is an inspiring person? What stories inspire Christians, Muslims and/or Jewish people?	Exploring leaders and followers (RE today) Big, big questions (Fischy music)
Spring 2	Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Picturing Easter. Exploring celebrations- how and why are religious festivals important?	What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings?	Picturing Jesus. Fresh ideas. Opening up Christianity (RE Today)

Summer 1	Who is Jewish? What do they believe and how do they live?	Opening up Judaism (learning from religion series)	How do we show we care for others? Why does it matter?	Opening up community. Opening up respect. (Learning from religion series.) Exploring Beliefs in Action in the world (RE today)
Summer 2	Who is Jewish? What do they believe and how do they live?	Opening up Judaism (learning from religion series) Talking pictures (re today)	How do we show we care for the earth? Why does it matter?	Opening up Christianity (RE today) Opening up Judaism (RE Today)

Key Stage 2

	Year 3	Resources	Year 4	Resources
Autumn 1	Where, how and why do people worship?	Exploring worship	How and why do people try to make the world a better place?	Exploring beliefs in action in the world (RE today) Community (RE Ideas)
Autumn 2	How is faith expressed in Hindu communities and traditions?	Exploring beliefs in action in the world (RE today)	What are the deeper meanings of the festivals?	Celebration (RE today)
Spring 1	What kind of world did Jesus want?	Exploring Leaders and followers (RE today)	How is faith expressed in Sikh communities and traditions?	Opening up community-learning from religion (RE today)
Spring 2	Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good	Picturing Easter (RE today)	How and why do some people mark the significant events of	Journey (RE ideas)

	Friday?			life?	
Summer 1	What is the Trinity and why is it important to Christians?			For Christians, what was the impact of Pentecost?	Celebration
Summer 2	How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people?	Exploring Celebrations- how and why are religious festivals important? Exploring Worship- activities for primary RE (RE today) Opening up Judaism.		How do festivals and worship show what matters to Muslims?	Exploring Celebrations- how and why are religious festivals important? (RE Today) Opening up Islam (RE today)

Reception Long term plan

Term	Unit	Resources
Autumn 1	F4: Being special: where do we belong? Learn from at least two religions	Community (RE Today) Exploring Leaders and Followers (RE Today)
Autumn 2	F2: Why is Christmas special for Christians?	Share a story with ...
Spring 1	F5: Which places are specially valued and why? Learn from at least two religions	
Spring 2	F3: Why is Easter special for Christians?	Picturing Easter Exploring Celebrations (RE today)

<p>Summer 1</p>	<p>F1: Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?</p>	<p>Opening up Christianity Big, big questions</p>
<p>Summer 2</p>	<p>F6: Which stories are specially valued and why? Learn from at least two religions</p>	<p>Share a story with...</p>

Further Resources

Religion artefact boxes.

More than 101 great ideas- strategies for spiritual and moral development in the RE classroom.

What is Humanism? By Michael Rosen and Annemarie Young

Religious Education and British values- Issues, opportunities and resources (RE today)