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Year Group	Content overview Cycle 1	Content overview Cycle 2	Content overview Cycle 3
5	<p>How and why do some people inspire others? Examples from religions. <i>Hindus, Sikhs, Jewish people, Muslims</i></p> <p>How do Christians decide how to live? <i>Christians</i></p>	<p>What does it mean if Christians believe God is holy and loving? <i>Christians</i></p> <p>What helps Hindu people as they try to be good? <i>Hindus</i></p>	<p>What will make our community a more respectful place? <i>Religious and non-religious ideas</i></p> <p>What do Christians believe Jesus did to save people? <i>Christians</i></p>
6	<p>How does faith enable resilience? <i>Christians, Muslims and/or Jews and/or Hindus, non-religious people</i></p> <p>Justice and poverty - does faith make a difference? <i>Christians, Muslims, non-religious people</i></p>	<p>Why do some people believe in God and some people not? <i>Christians, Muslims, non-religious people</i></p> <p>Creation and science: conflicting or complementary? <i>Christians, non-religious people</i></p>	<p>How is faith expressed in Islam? <i>Muslims</i></p> <p>Values: what matters most to Humanists and Christians? <i>Christians and non-religious people, with opportunities to include other faiths studied</i></p>
7	<p>Should Christians be greener than everyone else? <i>Genesis; Dominion; Stewardship; Creation; Charity; Faith; Fundamentalist; Liberal</i></p> <p>What do people believe about God and the universe? <i>Origin stories; Aquinas; Paley; Augustin; Big Bang; Evolution; Religious Origin Stories; Cosmological Argument; Design Argument</i></p>	<p>Core and Diverse Islam <i>5 Pillars; Muhammad; Quran; Sharia; Hijab; Jihad; Women in Islam</i></p> <p>Why do Christians believe Jesus was God on earth? <i>Incarnation; Messiah; Saviour; Prophecy; Salvation; Jesus; Jesus the historical figure; Jesus the religious figure; Miracles; Sacrifice; Messiah</i></p>	<p>Why are some people good and bad? <i>Morality; Nature vs Nurture; Image of God; The Fall; Buddhist views on good/bad; God as a judge; Sin; Original Sin</i></p> <p>What happens when I die? <i>Past Lives; Ghost stories; near death experiences; Heaven/Hell; Janna/Jahannam; Hindu Funerals; Muslim funerals; Comparing religious teachings about death; paranormal</i></p>
8	<p>Atheism and Agnosticism <i>Atheism; Agnosticism; Humanism; Theism; Inconsistent Triad; Burden of Proof; Problem of Evil; Golden Rule; Creation; Science and Religion</i></p> <p>Suffering <i>Suffering; Dukkha; The Middle Way; The Fall; Redemption; Jesus and Suffering; Charity; The Four Noble Truths</i></p>	<p>Can war ever be justified <i>Just war theory; Pacifism; Conscientious objectors; Ahimsa; Agape; Gandhi; Martin Luther King; Greater Jihad; Lesser Jihad</i></p> <p>Sikhism, equality and service <i>Gurus; 5 Ks; Seva; Mool Mantar; Khalsa; Gurdwara; Langar</i></p>	<p>Do Prophets still influence us today? <i>Prophets; Old Testament; Prophecy; New Testament; Messiah; Jesus and prophecy fulfilment; Moses; Abraham; Greta Thunberg; Bob Marley; Modern Prophets</i></p> <p>What makes a person inspirational to others? <i>Modern Prophets; Inspiration; What makes someone inspirational; Why are people inspirational; Altruism; Helping others; Role Models</i></p>

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9	<p>Prejudice and Discrimination <i>Causes of prejudice, anti-semitism, holocaust, religious beliefs about prejudice, religious discrimination</i></p>	<p>Good and Evil <i>Good and evil; the devil; the Fall; Original Sin; The problem of Evil; Coping with suffering; reasons to behave morally</i></p> <p>Social Injustice <i>Social justice; multiculturalism; social injustice; multi-faith society; gender equality; feminism; racism</i></p>	<p>Buddhism <i>Life of the Buddha; Buddhist teachings; Morality; Meditation; Festivals and Celebrations</i></p> <p>Crime and Punishment <i>Types of Crime; types of punishment; causes of crime; prisons; young offenders; capital punishment; religious perspectives on crime and punishment</i></p>
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