

<u>Intent:</u>

As a church school, it is our intent as set out in the Church of England's RE Statement of Entitlement, to provide 'an RE curriculum that enables pupils to acquire a rich, deep knowledge and understanding of Christian belief and practice, this should include the ways in which it is unique and diverse. It should enable every child to flourish and to live life in all its fullness'.

The RE curriculum should 'engage and challenge them through an exploration of core concepts and questions.' Children should be provided with 'meaningful and informed dialogue with a range of religions and worldviews. There should be opportunities for them to understand the role of foundational texts, beliefs, rituals, and practices and how they help form identity in a range of religions and worldviews.' (February 2019) Central to our Religious Education is the study of Christianity focussed on the teaching of Jesus and the Church. As an inclusive community, it is also our intent that children will be provided with opportunities to learn about a variety of religions and their teachings, therefore fostering respect for others and their beliefs.

Implementation:

To ensure high standards of teaching and learning in RE, St Luke's CE Primary School follow the RE Syllabus for Church Schools created by the Blackburn Diocesan Board of Education (2022). This curriculum provides the children with diverse opportunities to learn about and experience the Christian faith, whilst also learning about other key faiths and religions around the world. As a Church of England school and as set out in the curriculum guidance, 80% of teaching within this RE curriculum is focussed on Christianity, the other 20% on other world faiths. RE holds a high profile within our school along with Collective Worship. Children understand the importance of the Christian faith and traditions and are exposed to these from when they begin school in Reception. Pupils in St Luke's CE Primary School should develop a wide range of skills including enquiry, analysis, interpretation, evaluation and reflection throughout the teaching of our RE Curriculum. Within our curriculum the children will:

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- know about and understand Christianity as a diverse global living faith through the exploration of core beliefs using an approach that critically engages with biblical text.
- gain knowledge and understanding of a range of religions and worldviews appreciating diversity, continuity and change within the religions and worldviews being studied.
- engage with challenging questions of meaning and purpose raised by human existence and experience.
- explore their own religious, spiritual and philosophical ways living, believing and thinking. (C of E RE Statement of entitlement Feb 2019)

Impact:

Children at St Luke's will aim to achieve age related expectations in RE at the end of the year. They will meet the requirements as set out in the assessment guidance provided by Blackburn Diocese (2022) Children within Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 will be assessed using the 8 Step Ladder of Expectation provided by the Diocese.

CULTURAL CAPITAL

Our RE curriculum allows children the time and space to discover Christianity and faith for themselves. The children are also provided with opportunities to learn about other world faiths and will be encouraged to develop respect for other opinions and values that may be different to their own. Children are encouraged to ask questions and relate their learning to their own personal experiences. As the children move into Key Stage 2 they are provided with the opportunity to ask deeper questions about their faith and beliefs whilst also making links between faiths. Our RE lessons include a range of activities to capture the children's imagination and attention. These include the use of art, music, videos, imagery and religious artefacts.

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<u>RE Long Term Plan</u>

	<u>Autumn 1</u>	<u>Autumn 2</u>	<u>Spring 1</u>	<u>Spring 2</u>	<u>Summer 1</u>	<u>Summer 2</u>
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Reception	Harvest Judaism (Sukkot)	Christmas	Stories Jesus heard Stories Jesus told	Easter	Special People	Special Times
<u>Year 1</u>	Harvest Judaism (Sukkot) God and Creation Hinduism Islam	Christmas	Jesus was special	Easter New Life	Why is Baptism special Judaism (Birth Rites) Hinduism Islam	My world Jesus world
<u>Year 2</u>	The Bible ^{Sikhism} Islam	Christmas Good News	Jesus Friend to everyone	2Easter Signs and Symbols	Why is the church a special place? Judaism Hinduism Islam	Ascension and Pentecost
<u>Year 3</u>	Harvest Judaism (Sukkot)	Christmas God with us	Jesus the man who changed lives	Easter Exploring sadness	Rules Judaism Hinduism Islam	Called by God
<u>Year 4</u>	God, David, Psalms	Christmas exploring symbol of light	Jesus Son of God Judaism (Shabbat)	Exploring Easter s Betrayal What do other faiths	Are all churches the same? Islam	What is prayer?



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		Judaism (Hannukah)		say about betrayal?	Buddhism	
<u>Year 5</u>	How and why do Christians read the bible? Judaism Buddhism Sikhism	Christmas - Gospels	Jesus the teacher	Why do Christians believe Easter is about victory?	Exploring the lives of significant women in the Old Testament Judaism (Festival of Purim)	Daniel Judaism
<u>Year 6</u>	Life as a journey Why do people of faith make pilgrimages? Hinduism Islam Sikhism	Preparing for Christmas	Preparing for Eucharist Exodus	Easter who was Jesus	Ascension Ideas about God Beliefs about God in common across faiths	People of faith All Faiths

Progression of Skills						
Reception	<u>Year 1</u>	<u>Year 2</u>	Year 3	<u>Year 4</u>	Year 5	<u>Year 6</u>
-To listen to	-To use	-To Identify	-To use	-To use religious	-To use religious	-To use an
religious	religious words.	features of	religious	vocabulary to	vocabulary to	increasingly
stories.	-To name	different	vocabulary to	show an	show an	wide religious
- To retell	religious	religions.	describe the key	understanding of	understanding of	vocabulary to
religious	objects.	-To retell	features of	practices, beliefs.	practices, beliefs,	describe the
stories in	-Ťo retell	religious stories	different	-To make links	ideas, feelings	impact religion
simple	religious stories	and talk about	religions.	between	and experiences.	has on people's
ways.	in own words.	their meanings.	-To recognise	religions.	-To make links	lives.



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- To-	-To talk about	-To respond	the similarities	-To describe	and describe	-To understand
discover	my own	sensitively to	and differences	what inspires	similarities and	that similarities
some	experiences and	other people's	between	and influences	differences	and differences
religious	feelings.	feelings.	religions.	their lives.	between	between
festivals.		– I can talk	-To identify the	-To begin to	religions.	religions are
		about things	different	identify the	-To raise	what make them
		that are	influences in	impact religion	questions about	distinctive.
		important in	my life.	can have on	religion and	-To relate my
		my life.	-To respond	people's lives.	suggest answers	questions to my
			sensitively to		for them.	own
			my own		-To describe the	experiences.
			experiences and		impact of religion	-Éxplain how
			ask questions		on people's lives.	religious sources
			about them.			are used to
			-To ask			provide answers
			questions about			to ultimate
			religion and			questions.
			belief.			-To express my
						own views and
						respect the
						views of others.