

Crawshawbooth Primary School RE – 2 Year Cycle

Year Theme	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
QUESTION:	WHAT DO PEOPLE SAY ABOUT GOD? (GOD)					
KS1 ODD-EVEN	Hindu Dharma What do Hindus believe about God? Deities	Christianity (Jesus) Why is Jesus special to Christians? Nativity Story	Judaism Why do we have celebrations at meal-times? Shabbat	Christianity (God) Why do Christians say that God is a “Father”? God the Father Prayer	Christianity (Church) How might some people show that they “belong” to God? Baptism	Islam How might beliefs about creation affect the way people treat the world? God as Creator / care for the planet
QUESTION:	HOW DO WE RESPOND TO THE THINGS THAT REALLY MATTER? (WORSHIP)					
KS1 EVEN-ODD	Christianity (God) Why does how we treat the world matter? Creation / Harvest	Christianity (Jesus) Why do Christians say that Jesus is the “light of the world”? Advent / Christmas Celebrations	Judaism What aspects of life really matter? Moses The Ten Commandments	Christianity (Church) What unites the Christian Community? The Church Use of Symbols	Islam Why do Muslims believe it important to obey God? Prayer - Salah	Hindu Dharma How might people show their devotion? Worship in the temple and at home.
QUESTION:	WHO SHOULD WE FOLLOW? (FOUNDERS AND LEADERS)					
LKS2 ODD-EVEN	Christianity (God) How and why have some people served God? Prophets / Inspirational people	Islam Why is the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) an example for Muslims? Zakat	Christianity (Jesus) What does it mean to be a disciple of Jesus? Following the example of Jesus	Christianity (Church) What do Christians mean by the “Holy Spirit”? The Holy Spirit Pentecost	Sikhism Why are the Gurus important to Sikhs? Guru Nanak The 10 Gurus Baisakhi	Hindu Dharma Why is family an important part of Hindu life? Religious duty The Ramayana Raksha Bandhan
QUESTION:	HOW SHOULD WE LIVE OUR LIVES? (LIVING THE FAITH)					
LKS2 EVEN-ODD	Hindu Dharma What might a Hindu learn from celebrating Diwali? Vishnu Rama and Sita Diwali	Christianity (God) How and why might Christians use the Bible? The Bible	Sikhism How do Sikhs express their beliefs and values? The 5 Ks Equality The Gurdwara	Christianity (Jesus) Is sacrifice an important part of religious life? Jesus in the wilderness Lent	Islam Why do Muslims fast during Ramadam? The Five Pillars of Islam Ramadam	Christianity (Church) What does “love your neighbour” really mean? Parables Love for all

		Christian life guided by teachings , wisdom and authority		Sacrifice		
QUESTION:	WHERE CAN PEOPLE FIND GUIDANCE ABOUT HOW TO LIVE OUR LIVES? (SACRED BOOKS)					
UKS2 ODD-EVEN	Christianity (God) Why is it sometimes difficult to do the right thing? Sin Adam and Eve's disobedience Temptation and morality	Islam Why is the Qur'an important to Muslims? The Qur'an The Night of Power	Hindu Dharma What might Hindus learn from stories about Krishna? Krishna Holi	Christianity (Jesus) What do we mean by a miracle? Miracles of Jesus Pilgrimage	Christianity (Church) How do people decide what to believe? The Trinity Use of symbols and metaphors The worldwide church	Judaism Do people need laws to guide them? The Torah The synagogue
QUESTION:	IN WHAT WAYS IS LIFE LIKE A JOURNEY? (LIFE AS A JOURNEY)					
UKS2 EVEN-ODD	Christianity (Church) If life is like a journey, what is the destination? Confession, forgiveness and reconciliation	Hindu Dharma Is there one journey or many? Reincarnation Karma The Four Ashramas	Islam What is Hajj and why is it important to Muslims? The Ummah Hajj	Christianity (Jesus) Why do Christians believe Good Friday is "good"? Holy Week The Eucharist	Buddhism What do we mean by a good life? The Buddha The Four Noble Truths The Eightfold Pattern	Christianity (God) How do Christians mark "turning points" on the Journey of life? Christian rituals and rites of passage