

RE curriculum vocabulary progression

Year	Vocabulary
Reception	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Home• Family• School• Community• Friends• Disciples• Rakhi• Festivals• Celebrations specifically: Harvest, Rosh Hashanah, Sukkot, the Mid-Autumn Festival, Diwali, Hannukah, Advent and Christmas, Mardi Gras, Chinese New Year, Holi, Vaisakhi, Pesach, Lent/Easter, Ramadan/Eid• Religion• Culture• Special artefacts• Special books – Bible, Quran• God, prayer• Judaism, Hebrew, Mezuzah• Charity• Good manners• Rules• Care• Kindness• Duty (dharma)• Creation• Responsibility• Nature• Caring for the world• Names for God/Gods in different religions.
Year 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Celebration• Fasting• Birthday• Holy – for a religious purpose• Moral – principles of right/wrong behaviour• Sacred – connected with God/dedicated to a religious purpose• Believer – someone who has a religious faith• Bible – Christian holy book• Qur'an – Muslim holy book• Torah – Jewish holy writings• Guru Granth Sahib – Sikh holy book• Care / care for• Empathy

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compassion • Help • Support • Love • Consideration • Patience • Understanding • Giving • Organisation • Charity • Fund raising • Parable • Traditions / stories passed down • Sewa (selfless service) • Langar (free weekly vegetarian meal) • Gurdwara • Guru Nanak • Prophet Muhammad • Good Samaritan • Dana (giving) • Siddhartha • Buddha • Enlightenment • Jesus • God
Year 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Choices • Influences • Consequences • Rules, guidelines • The Pillars of Islam • The Ten Commandments • Karma Prayer • Reflection • Devotion • Church • Shrine • Mosque • Meditation • Faith • Worship • Symbols • Blessing • Wudu • Promises

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Godparents, sponsors ● Rituals, prayers, symbols ● Baptism, aqiqah, naam karan ● Christians ● World ● Muslims ● Caretakers / Stewardship ● Responsibility ● Created/creator ● Recycle ● Natural ● Reuse ● Wonderful ● Environment
<p>Year 3</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Moses ● Abraham ● Exodus ● Hebrew ● Covenant ● Torah ● Ark ● Sabbath / Shabbat ● Passover / Pesach, Mezuzah ● Kosher ● Seder ● Prayer ● Belief ● Questions ● Mysteries ● Divine ● Creation ● Stewardship ● Truth ● Science ● Big Bang ● Evolution ● Theory ● Allah ● Prophet Muhammad (peace and blessings be upon him) ● Hadith (recorded actions and sayings of the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh)) ● Shahadah (testimony of faith/belief) ● Salaah (Arabic)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sawm (fasting) ● Ramadhaan (the month of fasting) ● Zakaah (obligatory almsgiving) ● Hajj (pilgrimage) ● Mecca/Makkah ● Akhirah (the afterlife) ● Sunnah (the way of the Prophet Muhammad pbuh) ● Shari'ah (Islamic law) ● Eid ul Fitr (Eid that follows after Ramdhaan) ● Eid ul Adha (Eid that follows the Hajj pilgrimage) ● Qiblah - direction of prayer ● Sadaqah - voluntary charity ● Wudhu – Ablution ● Spirituality ● Music, art, dance, poetry ● Mool Mantar ● Mudras ● Sufi ● Calligraphy ● Psalms and hymns ● Arts, beliefs, symbols ● Christianity ● The Bible ● Old Testament ● New Testament ● Stories e.g. parable, symbol, meaning ● Feelings e.g. forgiveness, reconciliation, jealousy, repentance, humility, caring, loving ● Love, neighbour ● Moral choices e.g. right and wrong
Year 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Oppression ● freedom ● interpretation ● shared values ● remembrance ● reflection ● Mool (Mul) Mantar ● Panjab ● Guru Nanak ● Guru Gobind Singh ● Guru Granth Sahib ● Guru ● Khalsa ● Amristar ● Ikk Oankar

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enlightenment• Gurdwara• Communion• Crucifixion• Easter• Forgiveness• Gospel• Incarnation• Gospels• Palm Sunday• Resurrection• Ritual• Salvation• Synagogue• Mandir• Temple• Believer• Atheism• Humanism• Responsibility• Voluntary
Year 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moses• Abraham• Exodus• Hebrew• Covenant• Ark• Sabbath /Shabbat• Passover / Pesach• Mezuzah• Kosher• Seder• Tallit• Bimah• Purim• Questions• Mysteries• Divine• Gospel• Reconciliation• Penitence• Repentance• Redemption

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Confession • Conflict • Reconciling • Forgiving • Grudge • Revenge • Conflict resolution • Consequences • Hindu • Brahman/Parmaatma • Aum • Mandir • Trimurti • Vedas • Avatar • Puja • Karma • Ahimsa • Aum • Lotus Flower • Deity • Murti • Moksha • Swastika • Bindi • Atman • Journey • Responsibility • Belief • Pilgrimage • Reflection
Year 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Khalsa • Amrit • The 5Ks (Kesh – uncut hair, Kangha – comb • Salvation • Gospels • Messiah • Trinity • Son of Man • Son of God • Eternal • Covenant • Moral values

- Forgiveness
- Compassion
- Honesty
- 'Golden rule'
- Peace between people and God,
- Fellowship
- Ummah- community
- Salah - prayer
- Personal responsibility
- Reciprocity
- Atheism
- Ahimsa
- karma
- Eightfold-path
- Rites of passage
- Confirmation
- Amrit
- Bar mitzvah
- Bat mitzvah
- Sacred Thread
- Rights
- Growing up
- Adulthood