

Studham Village CE Academy - RE curriculum – 2 year rolling programme  
*Identities, Meanings, Values - RE Agreed Syllabus 2023—2029 (Bedford Borough and Central Beds) and Understanding Christianity*

|                           |                          | Autumn 1                                                                              | Autumn 2                                                                                         | Spring 1                                                                   | Spring 2                                                                                                        | Summer 1                                                                             | Summer 2                                                                            |
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| Year A (2023/24, 2025/26) | Squirrel (EYFS)          | F1<br>Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?                               | F2<br>Why is Christmas special for Christians?                                                   | F4<br>Being special: where do we belong? Learn from at least two religions | F3<br>Why is Easter special for Christians?                                                                     | F5<br>Which places are specially valued and why? Learn from at least two religions   | F6<br>Which stories are specially valued and why? Learn from at least two religions |
|                           | Owl (KS1 yrs 1/2)        | UC unit 1.2<br>Creation – Who made the world?                                         | 2<br>Why does Christmas matter to Christians? How and why do we celebrate special times?         | 3<br>Who is Jewish?                                                        | 3<br>Who is Jewish What do they believe and how do they live?<br><br>5<br>Why does Easter matter to Christians? | 6<br>What makes some places significant? What makes some places sacred to believers? | 9<br>How do we care for others? Why does it matter?                                 |
|                           | Woodpecker (KS2 yrs 3/4) | UC unit 2A.1<br>Creation and Fall – What do Christians learn from the creation story? | 1<br>Where, how and why do people worship?<br><br>Christmas Christians<br>(mini extra Christmas) | 8<br>How is faith expressed in Sikh communities and traditions?            | 5<br>Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?                                                   | 10<br>For Christians, what was the impact of the Pentecost?                          | 9<br>How do festivals and worship show what matters to Muslims?                     |

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| Year B (2024/25, 2026/27) | Squirrel (EYFS)          | F1<br>Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians? | F2<br>Why is Christmas special for Christians?                                                                             | F4<br>Being special: where do we belong? Learn from at least two religions | F3<br>Why is Easter special for Christians?                                     | F5<br>Which places are specially valued and why? Learn from at least two religions | F6<br>Which stories are specially valued and why? Learn from at least two religions                   |
|                           | Owl (KS1 yrs 1/2)        | 1<br>What do Christians believe God is like?            | 12<br>What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings? (4 lessons)                                                 | 4<br>Who is a Muslim? What do they believe and how do they live?           | 5<br>Why does Easter matter to Christians?                                      | 8<br>What can we learn from sacred books and stories?                              | 7<br>How and why do we celebrate significant times? What makes some celebrations sacred to believers? |
|                           |                          |                                                         | 2<br>Why does Christmas matter to Christians? How and why do we celebrate special times? (3 lessons)                       |                                                                            |                                                                                 |                                                                                    |                                                                                                       |
|                           | Woodpecker (KS2 yrs 3/4) | 4<br>What kind of world did Jesus want?                 | 12<br>How and why do some people try to make the world a better place? (4 lessons)<br><br>Christmas Christians (3 lessons) | 6<br>How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people?  | 11<br>What are the deeper meanings of the festivals?                            | 3<br>What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important for Christians?                 | 7<br>How is faith expressed in Hindu communities and traditions?                                      |
|                           |                          |                                                         |                                                                                                                            |                                                                            | Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'? ( <i>mini Easter</i> ) |                                                                                    |                                                                                                       |

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## Hedgehog Class – Preschool

RE is non-statutory, but teachers will incorporate RE material into children's activities and continuous provision.

Further units to teach if time:

### KS1

10 How do we show we care for the earth? Why does it matter?

11 Who is an inspiring person? What stories inspire Christian and Muslim people?

### KS2 2

Why do some people think life is like a journey? How and why do people mark the significant events of life?