

Cop Lane C of E Primary School – RE Overview 2025-2026

	Autumn Term - Curriculum Focus CAROL SERVICE AT CHURCH THIS TERM – EVENING		Spring Term - Curriculum Focus		Summer Term - Curriculum Focus	
Values	Service	Peace	Trust	Forgiveness	Hope	Thankfulness
	https://questful-re.org.uk/					
EYFS (see educational programmes for details)	I am Special (Islam 4 + 1 hour) - to give pupils an understanding that they are unique and special. To know they are loved, valued and made by God. Me and My Family Harvest – to give pupils an understanding of why we say thank you to God at harvest time and talk about Him being creator. Thankfulness The Story of Creation Harvest n/f celebration books	Special Times (4 + 2 hours) - develop pupils understanding of special/holy times. Increasing their knowledge of the ways special times are celebrated, remembered and the reasons why. Introduce pupils to the story of Pentecost and God as Holy Spirit. The Diwali Gift Christmas - to explore the nativity story in a variety of ways and ensure pupils know that Christmas is the celebration of Jesus' birth. The Nativity story With Love from God to You The Greatest Journey The Well Good News of Christmas It Begins in Bethlehem	Special Places (4 + 2 hours) - begin to develop pupils understanding of a place being considered as a special/holy place where believers go to worship.	Stories Jesus Heard (4 hours) - introduce pupils to stories of the Old Testament and understand that Jesus would have heard these stories as he was growing up. Easter (5 hours) - Explore the events of Easter through a variety of multi-sensory experiences ensuring that pupils know it is a celebration of Jesus' death and resurrection. Hope	Stories Jesus Told (4 hours) - explore the stories that Jesus told and know that he told them to teach us about God.	Prayer (4 + 2 hours) - start children on their journey towards understanding what prayer is and the different ways people of faith talk to God. Thankfulness
Y1	1.1 Harvest (3 + 2 hours) <u>Christian Value – Service – helping others in our community; food bank</u> 1.2 Christmas (5 hours) – Why do we give and receive gifts?		1.3 Jesus was special (6 hours) 1.4 Easter celebrating new life (5 hours) <u>Christian Value – Forgiveness and Hope – Easter is the symbol of hope, forgiveness and new life. The cross gives us the greatest illustration that forgiveness is possible.</u>		1.7 Baptism (4 + 3 hours) 1.2 Creation (4 + 2 hours) <u>Christian Value – Peace – Influential role models e.g. Mother Theresa, Martin Luther King etc.</u>	
Y2	2.1 The Bible – Why is it such a special book? (6 + 4 hours) 2.2 Why was the birth of Jesus such good news? (5 hours)		2.4 Easter - How do signs and symbols – Help us understand the story? (5 hours) 2.6 What happened at the Ascension and Pentecost? (4 hours)		2.5 Why is church a special place for Christians? (6 + 4 hours) Visit to church	
Y3	3.6 Harvest (5 hours) 3.2 Christmas God with us (5 hours)		3.3 Jesus the man who changed lives (6 hours) 3.4 Exploring the sadness of joy and Easter (5 hours)		3.5 Which rules should we follow? Does everybody follow the same rules? (6 hours + 6 hours – 12 hours)	
Y4	God, David and the Psalms – 4.1 (6 hours) Christmas – Exploring the symbolism of Light – 4.2 (4 + 2 hours – 6 hours)		4.6 What is Prayer? (4 + 2 hours – 6 hours) Easter – Trust/Betrayal – 4.4 (5 hours + 1 hour – 6 hours)		Are all churches the same? – 4.5 (6 hours + 6 hours – 12 hours) Educational Trip - Methodist Church & Hindu Temple	

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Y5	5.3 Jesus the Teacher. (6 hours) 5.7 Christmas around the world. (5 hours) Non-Christian faith holy books Christmas around the World	5.4 – Why do Christians believe Easter is a celebration of victory (5 hours) 5.6 – Loss, death and hope (4 hours + 2 hours – 6 hours)	5.1 – How and why do Christians read the bible? (6 hours + 5 hours – 11 hours)
Y6	6.3 Why is the Exodus such a significant event in Jewish and Christian history? (6 hours) 6.2 How do Christians prepare for Advent? (5 hours) Children Lead House worship Autumn 2 Universal Rights of Man Rights and responsibilities. Refugees and asylum seekers CHRISTIAN VALUES: Forgiveness/Hope/Peace/Service COURAGEOUS ADVOCACY: Harry Patch, Anne Frank and Oskar Schindler.	6.3 Why do Christians celebrate Eucharist? (3 hours) 6.4 Easter – Who was Jesus? Who is Jesus? (5 hours) 6.5 Ascension and Pentecost (4 hours) Children Lead House worship Spring 2 Different beliefs, religions and cultures – Judaism CHRISTIAN VALUES: Service/Creation COURAGEOUS ADVOCACY: The Red Cross	6.1 Life as a journey and pilgrimage. (6 hours + 4 hours – 10 hours) Children Lead House worship Summer 2 SCHOOL LEAVERS' SERVICE CHRISTIAN VALUES: Thankfulness, Hope and Friendship