RE- Medium-Term Planning Units

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| Apple and Maple Class | Autumn One | Autumn Two | Spring One | Spring Two | Summer One | Summer Two |
| Year A | Theme:  Creation Story  Concept: God/Creation  Key Question:  Does God want Christians to  look after the world?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Christmas  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  What gifts might Christians In  my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather than in Bethlehem?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Jesus as a friend  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Easter - Palm Sunday  Concept: Salvation  Key Question:  Why was Jesus welcomed  like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Shabbat  Key Question:  Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?  Religion: Judaism | Theme:  Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur  Key Question:  Are RoshHashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?  Religion: Judaism |
| Year B | Theme:  What did Jesus teach?  Key Question:  Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Christmas - Jesus as gift from  God  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  Why do Christians believe God  gave Jesus to the world?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Community and Belonging  Key Question:  Does going to a Mosque give  Muslims a sense of belonging?  Religion: Islam | Theme:  Easter - Resurrection  Concept: Salvation  Key Question:  How important is it to Christians  that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Prayer at home  Key Question:  Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/her everyday life?  Religion: Islam | Theme:  Hajj  Key Question:  Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim?  Religion: Islam |

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| Oak | Theme:  The Amrit Ceremony and the Khalsa  Key Question:  Does joining the Khalsa make a  person a better Sikh?  Religion: Sikhism | Theme:  Christmas  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  Has Christmas lost its true meaning?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Jesus’ Miracles  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  Could Jesus heal people? Were  these miracles or is there some  other explanation?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Easter - Forgiveness  Concept: Salvation  Key Question:  What is ‘good’ about Good  Friday?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Sharing and Community  Key Question:  Do Sikhs think it is important to share?  Religion: Sikhism | Theme:  Prayer and Worship  Key Question:  What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God?  Religion: Sikhism |
| Cedar | Theme:  Belief into action  Key Question:  How far would a Sikh go for his/her religion?  Religion: Sikhism | Theme:  Christmas  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  Is the Christmas story true?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Beliefs and moral values  Key Question:  Are Sikh stories important today?  Religion: Sikhism | Theme:  Easter  Concept: Salvation  Key Question:  How significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Prayer and Worship  Key Question:  What is the best way for a Sikh to show commitment to God?  Religion: Sikhism | Theme:  Beliefs and Practices  Key Question:  What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment  to God?  Religion: Christianity |

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| Cycle Two | Autumn One | Autumn Two | Spring One | Spring Two | Summer One | Summer Two |
| Oak | Theme:  Divali  Key Question:  Would celebrating Divali at  home and in the community  bring a feeling of belonging to a  Hindu child?  Religion: Hinduism | Theme:  Christmas  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  What is the most significant  part of the nativity story for  Christians today?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Hindu Beliefs  Key Question:  How can Brahman be  everywhere and in everything?  Religion: Hinduism | Theme:  Easter  Concept: Salvation  Key Question:  Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Pilgrimage to the River Ganges  Key Question:  Would visiting the River Ganges  feel special to a non-Hindu?  Religion: Hinduism | Theme:  Prayer and Worship  Key Question:  Do people need to go to church  to show they are Christians?  Religion: Christianity |
| Cedar | Theme:  Prayer and Worship  Key Question:  What is the best way for a  Hindu to show commitment to  God?  Religion: Hinduism | Theme:  Christmas  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  How significant is it that Mary was Jesus’ mother?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Hindu Beliefs  Key Question:  How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?  Religion: Hinduism | Theme:  Easter  Concept: Salvation  Key Question:  Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Beliefs and moral values  Key Question:  Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives?  Religion: Hinduism | Theme:  Prayer and Worship  Key Question:  Do people need to go to church  to show they are Christians?  Religion: Christianity |

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| Willow | Theme:  Beliefs and Practices  Key Question:  What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to  God?  Religion: Islam | Theme:  Christmas  Concept: Incarnation  Key Question:  Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Beliefs and Meaning  Concept: Salvation  Key Question:  Is anything ever eternal?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Easter  Concept: Gospel  Key Question:  Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?  Religion: Christianity | Theme:  Beliefs and moral values  Key Question:  Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?  Religion: Islam | |