

## ‘Discovery RE’ Whole School Coverage and Enquiry Questions

Year	Autumn 1	Autumn 2 Christmas Unit	Spring 1	Spring 3 Easter Unit	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>EYFS</b>	What makes people special? Christianity and Judaism	What is Christmas? Christianity	How do people celebrate? Hinduism	What is Easter? Christianity	What can we learn from stories? Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism	What makes places special? Christianity, Islam, Judaism
<b>1</b>	Does God want Christians to look after the world? Christianity	What gifts might Christians in my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather than in Bethlehem? Christianity	Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship? Christianity	Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday? Christianity	Is Shabbat important to Jewish children? Judaism	Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children? Judaism
<b>2</b>	Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time? Christianity	Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world? Christianity	Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in his/her everyday life? Islam	How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion? Christianity	How special is the relationship Jews have with God? Judaism	Does completing Hajj make a person a better Muslim? Islam
<b>3</b>	Would celebrating Divali at home and in the community bring a feeling of belonging to a Hindu child? Hinduism	Has Christmas lost its true meaning? Christianity	Could Jesus heal people? Were these miracles or is there some other explanation? Christianity	What is ‘good’ about Good Friday? Christianity	Do Sikhs think it is important to share? Sikhism	Would visiting the River Ganges feel special to a non-Hindu? Hinduism
<b>4</b>	Is it possible for everyone to be happy? Buddhism	What is the most significant part of the Nativity story for Christians today? Christianity	How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do? Judaism	Is forgiveness always possible for Christians? Christianity	What is the best way for a Buddhist to lead a good life? Buddhism	Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians? Christianity
<b>5</b>	How far would a Sikh go for his/her religion? Sikhism	Is the Christmas story true? Christianity	Are Sikh stories important today? Sikhism	How significant is it for Christians to believe God intended Jesus to die? Christianity	Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives? Hinduism	What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God? Christianity
<b>6</b>	What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God? Islam	Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born? Christianity	Is anything ever eternal? Christianity	Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth? Christianity	Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives? Islam	Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives? Islam

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