Religious Education Overview 2021-2025

(Updated March 2021) Units in brackets can be used as resource to support main curriculum

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	Religions covered
		E	ARLY YEARS FOUNDAT	ION STUDIES (EYFS)			
Nursery Festival all year round unit (RBG)	RBG - Self and others (What makes us special?) Festival – Birthdays (all year round)	RBG -Festivals including Diwali, BHM and Christmas Festival - Christmas	RBG - Right and wrong Festival – Chinese New Year	RBG - Symbolism and Rituals Festival – New Life/Easter	RBG - Living Things (Our Wonderful World)		Christianity Visit local church
Reception (All SBDE Units)	Christianity – Why do Christians believe Jesus is special?	Christianity – Why is Christmas special for Christians? UC-Incarnation Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas	Christianity - Who made the wonderful world? UC- Creation Who made the world?	Christianity – What's so special about Easter? UC-Salvation Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter Garden?	Christianity – How did Jesus Rescue People	Christianity – Who cares for this special world?	Christianity Visit Southwark Cathdral
			KEY STA	GE 1			
Year 1	RBG Unit 1 Hinduism – Diwali (Who are Hindus and what do they believe?)	SDBE – Nativity Characters - Which character are you? Why are you important? (RBG Unit 1 Christianity- Jesus'	RBG Unit 1 – Shabbat- A day of rest) (SDBE-What is it like to live as a Jew?)	SDBE – Why Is It Good To Listen To And Remember The Stories Jesus Told (Lessons 1-2) (RBG Unit 2 Christianity- Jesus	RBG Unit 3 Sikhism - The Gurdwara and the Guru Granth Sahib	SDBE – Why Is It Good To Listen To And Remember The Stories Jesus Told (Lessons 3-6) (RBG Unit 2 Christianity- Jesus	Christianity Hinduism Judaism Sikhism Visit local Gurdwara

		Birth and Christmas) WC-Incarnation Why does Christmas matter to Christians 1?		SDBE – Why Is Easter The Most important Festival For Christians? (4) UC-Salvation Why does Easter matter to Christians 1?	(Who are Sikhs and where do they worship?)	SDBE – What Is The Story of Noah Really About? (2) UC- Creation Who made the world?	
Year 2	RBG Unit 2 Judaism – Festivals in the Jewish Year (SDBE – Why are they having a Jewish party?)	SDBE – Why are Saints important to Christianity? (2) SDBE – Where Is The Light of Christmas? (4) UC-Incarnation Why does Christmas matter to Christians 2?	RBG Unit 2 Hinduism- Worship (How and where do Hindus worship?)	SDBE –Why did Jesus Teach The Lord's Prayer As The Way To Pray? (6 – merge lessons) SDBE – How Do Easter Symbols Help Us To Understand The True Meaning of Easter? (4) (RBG Unit 3 Christianity- Easter and Symbols) UC- Salvation Why does Easter matter to Christians 27	SDBE - What Responsibility Has God Given People For Taking Care Of Creation?	RBG Unit 1 Sikhism- Guru Nanak and his teachings (What do Sikhs believe about God?)	Christianity Hinduism Judaism Sikhism Visit St Margarets/St John's Visit a different place of worship

KEY STAGE 2

Year 3	RBG Unit 3 Hinduism -Hindu Life (SDBE - What does it mean to be a Hindu?)	RBG Unit 3 Judaism -The Synagogue (3) SDBE – Is peace the most important message of Christmas? (3) UC Incarnation What is Trinity?	RBG Unit 1 Islam – Prophet Muhammed (pbuh) (SDBE – What does it mean to be a Muslim)	SBDE- How did Belief in God Affect the Actions of People In the Old Testament SDBE – What Happens In Churches during Lent and At Easter? (4) (RBG Unit 4- Christianity- A Local Church) UC-Salvation Why do Christians call the day Jens died, 'Good friday'?	RBG – How Did The World Begin? (Christianity, Judaism, Islam) SDBE – What are God's Rules for Living (2)	RBG Unit 1 Buddhism – The Buddha (SDBE – The Buddha- How did Buddha teach that people should live?)	Christianity Hinduism Judaism Islam Buddhism Visit a Mandir
Year 4	RBG Unit 2 Islam - Five Pillars of Islam (What are the Five Pillars of	RBG Unit 2 Living as a Buddhist (4)	RBG Unit 2 Sikhism - Sikh teaching and life (How do the lives of Sikhs show they	SDBE – Easter People – Who is The Most Significant Person In The Easter	RBG Unit 4 Hinuism - Gods and Beliefs (SDBE - What is	RBG- Worship (Buddhism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism)	Christianity Buddhism Hinduism Islam Sikhism
	Islam?)	SDBE - How Do Advent and Epiphany Show Us What Christmas is Really About? (4) UC-People of God What is it like for Christians to follow God?	follow rules in their lives?) (SDBE – What do Sikhs believe?)	Story? (4) UC-Easter Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	the importance of symbols, beliefs and teaching in Hinduism?)		Visit tbc
Year 5	RBG Unit 3 Buddhism - Following the	SDBE – How Do Art and Music Convey Christmas?(5)	RBG Unit 4 Judaism - Jewish Life	SDBE – How Does Holy Communion Build A Christian Community(3)	RBG Unit 4 Islam - Hajj – the journey of a lifetime	RGB - Peace Christianity, Islam, Hinduism	Christianity Hinduism Islam Judaism

	Buddha's Teaching (SDBE – What does it mean to be a Buddhist?)	UC-Incarnation Was Jesus The Messiah?	(SDBE – What does it mean to be a Jew?)	SDBE – How Does The Christian Festival of Easter Offer Hope (4) UC-Salvation What do Christians believe Jesus did to save human beings?	(Why do Muslims go on Hajj?)		Buddhism Visit a synagogue
Year 6	RBG Unit 4 Belonging to the Sikh community (How do Sikhs feel they belong to a community?) (SDBE – What	RBG Unit 3 Islam - Ramadan and Id ul Fitr (Why do Musims fast during Ramadan?)	RBG Unit 4 Buddhism - The Buddhist Community worldwide	SDBE – How Has The Christian Message Survived For Over 2000 Years? UC-Salvation What difference does the	RGB- End of Life's journey - comparison of all 6 faiths (SDBE – The journey of life and death)	RBG - Understanding Faith in Royal Greenwich RBG -Who am I?	Christianity Hinduism Islam Judaism Buddhism Sikhism
	does it mean to be a Sikh?)	SDBE-How Would Christians Advertise Christmas To Show What Christmas mean today? (4) UC Incanation How significant is it that Mary was Jesus' mother?		reurrection make for Christians?		Understanding faith in)	Cathedral

Colour coded by religion/Faith.

Units in bold are the main units.

() bracketed units are additional resources/information links

WC- Understanding Christianity MUST be used as resource when covering Christian Units from SBDE(Southwark Diocese Education Board syllabus)

	KEY STAGE 3	KEY STAGE 4		
Year 7 Year 8		Year 9	Year 10	Year 11

Term 1	RBG: What does Faith in the Royal Borough of Greenwich look like today?	CE: 'Understanding Christianity' – Incarnation	CE: 'Understanding Christianity' REflection	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Relationships and Families	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Judaism (Practices)
Term 2	CE: 'Understanding Christianity' – God and Creation	RBG: How does my faith help me understand life's journey?	Science V.S Religion The Great Debate (Humanism)	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Religion and Life	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Judaism (Practices)
Term 3	RBG: What do people believe?	CE: 'Understanding Christianity' – Gospel and Kingdom of God	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Christian (Beliefs)	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Peace and Conflict	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Christianity (Practices)
Term 4	CE: 'Understanding Christianity' – Fall and People of God	RBG: How do I show my belief?	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Christian (Beliefs)	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Peace and Conflict	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Christianity (Practices)
Term 5	RGB: How do I live my life?	CE: 'Understanding Christianity' – Salvation	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Jewish (Beliefs)	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Human Rights	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Revision
Term 6	CE: 'Understanding Christianity' – Prophecy and Wisdom	RBG: What does it mean to be a member of my faith locally, nationally and global [differences within denominations]?	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Jewish (Beliefs)	AQA GCSE Religious Studies: Human Rights/Revision	