



R.E Curriculum

KS1 Knowledge Organisers

Knowledge Organiser

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: UC God/Creation F1 Year: A Term: Autumn 1st Half

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: Christianity Year: A Term: Autumn 2nd Half

Learning Objectives - Knowledge	Key Driver		Key Driver
To know that Christians believe that God created the universe.	K	To know the main aspects of Christianity	K
To know the church is a Christian place of worship and Christians gather together to pray to God.	K	To know that the cross is special to Christians	K
To know that we say thank you to God at Harvest time.	K	To know that the bible is the main religious book for Christians	K
To know about The Lord's Prayer.	K	To know the Parable of the Good Samaritan	K
To know why the word "God" is so important to Christians.	K	To know about baptism and why Christians have their children christened	K
To know how to care for our environment and treasure the world God made.	K	To know the story of Jesus' birth	K

Key Vocabulary			
Word	Meaning	Word	Meaning
creator	a person or thing that brings something into existence	Christian	a person who believes in Jesus Christ.
harvest	the process or period of gathering in crops	parable	A simple story used to illustrate a moral or spiritual lesson as told by Jesus in the Gospels
thankful	pleased and relieved.	cross	the cross on which Christ was crucified
creation	the action or process of bringing something into existence	bible	the bible is a collection of religious text or scriptures sacred to Christians and Jews
worship	to have or show a strong feeling of respect and admiration for God or a god.	baptism	a Christian religious rite of sprinkling of water on a person's forehead
pray	to offer devout petition, praise, thanks, etc., to (God or an object of worship)	christened	to receive into the Christian church by baptism.
environment	the surroundings or conditions in which a person, animal, or plant lives or operates.	Jesus	the central figure of the Christian religion

Related Bible Stories, Readings or Texts	
In the beginning, God created the universe (Genesis 1:1-2:4V) God says, 'You must not use the name of the Lord your God thoughtlessly.' (From the Ten Commandments -Exodus 20:7ICB) John 4:24 The earth and everything in it belong to the Lord (Psalm 24: 1 ICB) Jesus' parable of the precious pearl (see Matthew 13:45-46) Story-A Wet and Windy Harvest for Puddles	The parable of the Good Samaritan (see Luke 10:25-27) The birth of Jesus (see Luke 2: 1-7)

Useful Websites or Resources	
Lords prayer - www.cofesuffolk.org Lord's Prayer sung with cartoon pictures – www.youtube.com/watch?v=YdGId-ZJtSU	The Parable of the Good Samaritan https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zcy87h The Good Samaritan https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aSfm2xdKau4 A Christian Baptism https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zm87tfr The Christmas story https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/religious-studies-ks1-the%20christian-story-of-the-first-christmas/z7fp382

Knowledge Organiser

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: UC Creation **Year:** A **Term:** Autumn 1st

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: Hinduism **Year:** A

Term: Autumn 2nd

Learning Objectives - Knowledge		Learning Objectives - Knowledge	
C2 – Year 1/2	Key Driver	C2 - Year 1/2	Key Driver
To know the meaning of the word creation and that God was a Creator.	K	To know about Hindu core beliefs (Truth is eternal, Dharma, Reincarnation, Moksha)	K
To know that God created the Earth and everything in it and how important it is to God.	K	To know about Hindu Gods and Goddesses (Vishnu, Brahma, Shiva, Saraswati, Lakshmi, Shakti)	K
To know why we need to be thankful to God at Harvest time.	K	To know that a Hindu’s place of worship is a Mandir and the features inside.	K
To know how Christians show thankfulness during Harvest time and discuss ways in which we can show thankfulness too.	K	To know about the Hindu Festival Diwali and why it is a special time in the Hindu calendar.	K
To know how caring for the environment is a way of showing respect and thankfulness for God’s creation.	K	To know about the Hindu Festival Holi and why it is a special time in the Hindu calendar.	K

Key Vocabulary		Key Vocabulary	
Word	Meaning	Word	Meaning
creation	the action or process of bringing something into existence	Eternal	having no beginning and no end : lasting forever
creator	a person or thing that brings something into existence	Dharma	the eternal and inherent nature of reality, regarded in Hinduism as a cosmic law underlying right behaviour and social order.
thankful	pleased and relieved.	Reincarnation	rebirth in new bodies or forms of life
environment	the surroundings or conditions in which a person, animal, or plant lives or operates.	Moksha	release from the cycle of rebirth impelled by the law of karma.
Harvest	the process or period of gathering in crops	Diwali	a Hindu festival with lights, held in the period October to November. It is particularly associated with Lakshmi, the goddess of prosperity, and marks the beginning of the financial year in India.
		Holi	a Hindu spring festival celebrated in February or March in honour of Krishna.
		Mandir	a Hindu temple.

Related Bible Stories, Readings or Texts	Related Bible Stories or Texts
Genesis 1 Matthew 10:8	N/A

Useful Websites or Resources	Useful Websites or Resources
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=teu7BCZTgDs	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zh86n39/articles/zmpp92p https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zh86n39/articles/z4qqy9q https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zh86n39/articles/zjpp92p https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o-s0mN5P8jo - Visiting a Mandir https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p02n5wvr

Knowledge Organiser

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: Chinese New Year Year: A

Term: Spring 1st Half

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: Gospel

Year: A

Term: Spring 2nd Half

Learning Objectives - Knowledge			
C1 – Year R/1	Key Driver	C1 - Year R/1	Key Driver
To know the story of Chinese New Year	K	To know the story of Matthew the tax collector	K
To know how people celebrate Chinese New Year	K	To know that Christians believe that Jesus brings good news to all people	K
To know about the Chinese New Year traditions	K	To know that Christians thank God for good gifts	K
To know about the different food that is prepared for Chinese New Year	K	To know that in the Christian community today people pray because Jesus taught them to do so	K
To know about the dragon dance that is performed during Chinese New Year	K	To know a variety of prayers for a variety of purposes	K
To know about the lantern festival and what it symbolises	K		

Key Vocabulary			
Word	Meaning	Word	Meaning
reunion	a social gathering attended by members of a group of people who have not seen each other for some time.	peace	freedom from disturbance; tranquillity
lantern	a lamp with a transparent case protecting the flame or electric bulb, and typically having a handle by which it may be carried or hung.	forgive	no longer feel angry about or wish to punish
significant	having a particular meaning; indicative of something.	disciples	in Christianity, disciple primarily refers to a dedicated follower of Jesus
festival	a day or period of celebration, typically for religious reasons.	community	a group of people living in the same place or having a particular characteristic in common
Chinese dragons	are a symbol of China's culture, and they are believed to bring good luck to people, therefore the longer the dragon is in the dance, the more luck it will bring to the community.	Christian	
symbolise	represented by means of symbols.	pray	a solemn request for help or expression of thanks addressed to God or another deity.
celebrate	acknowledge (a significant or happy day or event) with a social gathering or enjoyable activity.	gifts	a thing given willingly to someone without payment; a present
parade	a public procession, especially one celebrating a special day or event.		

Related Bible Stories, Readings or Texts	
N/A	Matthew 9: 9-13 Jesus calls a tax collector to be his disciple Luke 6: 37-38 Repentance and forgiveness are available to all. John 14: 27 Jesus gives Peace Luke 11: 9-13 God is like a loving father. Matthew 13: 45-46 A pearl of Great Price

Useful Websites or Resources	
CBeebies: Celebrating Chinese New Year Let's Celebrate https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1cRMRp9-Z08	
CBeebies: Preparing for Chinese New Year https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c8ssHXZ9_qU	

Knowledge Organiser

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: RQ2 - How do people express their beliefs through worship and celebration? **Year:** A **Term:** Spring 1st Half

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: Gospel **Year:** A **Term:** Spring 2nd Half

Learning Objectives - Knowledge			
C2 – Year 1/2	Key Driver	C2 - Year 1/2	Key Driver
To know the story of Chinese New Year.	K	To know the story of Matthew the Tax Collector and why Jesus chose him as one of his 12 disciples.	K
To know how people celebrate Chinese new year with a reunion dinner and the significance of the red envelope.	K	To know how Jesus taught us 'forgive and you will be forgiven' and the importance and impact of saying sorry.	K
To know about traditional dishes served on Chinese New Year.	K	To know and consider the meaning of peace.	K
To know how people celebrate Chinese New Year with a parade and lion dancers.	K	To know the story of the ten lepers and the importance of being thankful.	K
To know the significance of the wishing tree at Chinese New Year.	K	To know a variety of Christian prayers and when they may be used.	K
To know about the lantern festival and what it symbolises.	K		

Key Vocabulary			
Word	Meaning	Word	Meaning
reunion	a social gathering attended by members of a group of people who have not seen each other for some time.	sorry	feeling sorrow or regret
significant	having a particular meaning; indicative of something.	forgive	to stop feeling anger toward; to give up resentment
wish	feel or express a strong desire or hope for something that cannot or probably will not happen.	thankful	feeling or showing thanks
parade	a public procession, especially one celebrating a special day or event.	peace	a state of quiet; freedom from upsetting thoughts or feelings; harmony in personal relations; an agreement to end a war
lantern	a lamp with a transparent case protecting the flame or electric bulb, and typically having a handle by which it may be carried or hung.	leper	a person who has leprosy
festival	a day or period of celebration, typically for religious reasons.	prayer	a set of words addressed to God
symbolise	represent by means of symbols.	disciple	a person who accepts and helps to spread the teachings of another
celebrate	acknowledge (a significant or happy day or event) with a social gathering or enjoyable activity.		

Related Bible Stories, Readings or Texts	
	Matthew the Tax Collector https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xgy6TWuUkK0 The Thankful Leper (Luke 17: 11-19) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LzZUDRrKgI8

Useful Websites or Resources	
https://content.twinkl.co.uk/resource/d2/c4/tgv-t-10-how-do-you-celebrate-chinese-new-year-video.mp4?token=exp=1609775517~acl=%2Fresource%2Fd2%2Fc4%2Ftgv-t-10-how-do-you-celebrate-chinese-new-year-video.mp4%2A~hmac=314c7c82c22e2cb53f538dbef844d438b442b125b6cdd0df5b417c827a7bc2e0 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zjkc92p/articles/zff8g7h https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zjkc92p/articles/zphcydm	https://www.churchofengland.org/sites/default/files/2018-07/Oasis_Inspire_CofE_Art%20Activities_v3.pdf

Knowledge Organiser

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: Islam

Year: A

Term: Summer 1st Half

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: God

Year: A

Term: Summer 2nd Half

Learning Objectives - Knowledge			
C1 – Year R/1	Key Driver	C1 - Year R/1	Key Driver
To know that Muslims place of worship is a mosque.	K	To know the story of the lost son.	K
To know the Muslim book is called the Qur'an.	K	To know what a parable is.	K
To know about the festival of Ramdnam	K	To know that God is loving like a parent and Christians want to show that they love God.	K
To know the Five Pillars of Islam and what each one involves	K	To know what to say to others if you do something wrong.	K
To know about the Muslim festival of Ramadam and why it is important to Muslims	K	To know that Christian prayers have four main types	K
To know how and why Muslims celebrate Eid	K	To know how to create a prayer	K

Key Vocabulary			
Word	Meaning	Word	Meaning
Muslim	are people who follow or practice Islam, a monotheistic Abrahamic religion.	prodigal	Prodigal means to spend a lot of money on things you don't need and being very wasteful with what you have.
Allah	Arabic Allāh ("God"), the one and only God in Islam.	famine	a shortage of food
The Qur'an	The Islamic sacred book, believed to be the word of God as dictated to Muhammad by the archangel Gabriel and written down in Arabic	wealth	a great amount of money or possessions
Mecca	Mecca, officially Makkah al-Mukarramah and commonly shortened to Makkah, is the holiest city in Islam and the capital of the Mecca Province of Saudi Arabia.	forgive	to give up resentment of or claim to revenge for
Ramadan	the ninth month of the Muslim year, during which strict fasting is observed from dawn to sunset.	belief	a feeling sure that someone or something exists or is true or trustworthy
holy	dedicated or consecrated to God or a religious purpose; sacred.	worship	to treat with too great respect, honour, or devotion/ to perform or take part in worship
Hijab	The greater Muslim pilgrimage to Mecca, which takes place in the last month of the year and which all Muslims are expected to make at least once during their lifetime if they can afford to do so. It is one of the Five Pillars of Islam.	Parable	a short simple story illustrating a moral or spiritual truth
Mosque	A Muslim place of worship.	God	the supreme or almighty reality
prophet	A person regarded as an inspired teacher or proclaimer of the will of God.		
worship	The feeling or expression of reverence and adoration for a deity		
fast	abstain from all or some kinds of food or drink, especially as a religious observance		
pilgrimage	a journey to a place of particular interest or significance.		

Related Bible Stories, Readings or Texts	
N/A	The Lost Son (Luke 15:1–2, 11–32) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IbBQ4IqXT8I - The Paper Dolls by Julia Donaldson https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jrh375bd LA - Jonah and the whale

Useful Websites or Resources	
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zj3d7ty/resources/1 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zr72n39 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/z74wmp3 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zgx6yrd	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DJgROx4wFKM

Knowledge Organiser

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: Islam Year: A Term: Summer 1st Half

Understanding Christianity or SACRE Unit: God Year: A Term: Summer 2nd Half

Learning Objectives - Knowledge			
C2 – Year 1/2	Key Driver	C2 - Year 1/2	Key Driver
To know that Muslims worship Allah and Mohammad (pbuh) was an important leader (prophet)	K	To know the story of the Lost Son and recognise a link with the concept of God as a forgiving Father.	K
To know the Muslim holy book is called the Qur'an	K	To know what a parable is and how they have hidden meanings.	K
To know the five pillars of Islam.	K	To know ways that Christians show they love God.	K
To know the importance of Salat/Salah (daily prayer - 2nd pillar) and the daily routine of a Muslim	K	To know the key points of the story of Jonah from the Bible, and recognise a link with the concept of God.	K
To know about Ramadan and the 4th pillar of Sawm.	K	To know how Christians put their beliefs into practise in worship e.g. in art, in stories, in church, in prayer, etc.	K
To know the fifth pillar - Hajj - and the meaning of pilgrimage.	K	To know what Christians believe God is like.	K

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holy	dedicated or consecrated to God or a religious purpose; sacred.	prodigal	Prodigal means to spend a lot of money on things you don't need and being very wasteful with what you have.
prophet	a person regarded as an inspired teacher or proclaimer of the will of God.	famine	a shortage of food
worship	the feeling or expression of reverence and adoration for a deity.	wealth	a great amount of money or possessions
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Ramadan	the ninth month of the Muslim year, during which strict fasting is observed from dawn to sunset.	God	the supreme or almighty reality
fast	abstain from all or some kinds of food or drink, especially as a religious observance.	Parable	a short simple story illustrating a moral or spiritual truth
mosque	a Muslim place of worship.		
pilgrimage	a journey to a place of particular interest or significance.		
Salat/Salah	the ritual prayer of Muslims, performed five times daily in a set form, one of the Five Pillars of Islam.		

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Useful Websites or Resources	
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zr72n39 The importance of the Koran - KS2 Religious Education - BBC Bitesize https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zj3d7ty/resources/1 https://www.bbc.co.uk/religion/religions/islam/practices/salat.shtml#:~:text=Salat%20is%20the%20obligatory%20Muslim,the%20second%20Pillar%20of%20Islam.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DJgROx4wFKM