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Strand	Foundation Stage-Discovering Reception	Key Stage 1-Exploring Year 1/2	Lower Key Stage 2-Connecting Year 3/4	Upper Key Stage 2-Connecting Year 5	Upper Key Stage 2-Connecting Year 6
Believing **Religious beliefs, teachings, sources, questions about meaning, purpose and truth**	F1 Which stories are special and why? (Spr 2)		L2.2 Why is the Bible so important for Christians today? (Spr 1 and 2)		
		1.1 Who is a Christian and what do they believe? (Aut 1)	L2.1 What do different people believe about God? (Aut 2)	U2.1 Why do some people believe God exists? (Aut 2)	U2.3 What do religions say to us when life gets hard? (Spring 1 and 2)
	F2 Which people are special and why?(Spr 1)	1.2 Who is a Muslim and what do they believe? (Aut 2)		U2.2 What would Jesus do? Can we live by the values of Jesus in the twenty-first century? (Spr 1 and 2)	
			L2.5 Why are festivals important to religious communities? (Sum 2)		
Expressing **Religious and spiritual forms of expression, questions about identity and diversity**	F3. What places are special and why? (Sum1)	1.5 What makes some places sacred? (Sum 1 and 2)	L2.4 Why do people pray? (Sum 1)	U2.4 If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? (Sum 1 and 2)	
	F4. What times are special and why?(Aut 2)				U2.5 Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? (Aut 2)
Living **Religious practices and ways of living; questions about**	F5. Being special: where do we belong?(Aut1)		L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today? (Aut 1)	U2.6 What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? (Aut 1)	U2.10 Green religion? How and why should religious communities do more to care for (Aut 1)

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values and commitments	F6. What is special about our world?(Sum2)	1.8 How should we care for others and the world, and why does it matter? (Spr 1 and 2)			U2.7 What matters most to Christians and Humanists? (Sum 1 and 2)