



RE WHOLE SCHOOL CURRICULUM OVERVIEW



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YEAR GROUP 3	<p>HOMES The joys and sorrows of being a family at home and God’s vision for families</p> <p>LF1 God’s vision for every family LF2 Parents and children should love and respect one another, as God wants them to do LF3 The Holy Family, Mary, Joseph and Jesus give us an example of a happy and caring family LF4 God is with us always LF5 Jesus wants us to love one another LF6 We have been chosen by God to be a holy people</p>	<p>JOURNEYS The Christian’s family’s journey with Jesus through the Church’s year</p> <p>LF 1 The Liturgical Year LF2 The seasons of the Church’s year LF3 Ordinary time LF4 The feasts of Our Lady LF5 The Pilgrimage psalms LF6 The Christian’s life journey</p>	<p>ENERGY The energy of fire and wind. The wonder and power of the Holy Spirit</p> <p>LF1 The Ascension: Jesus goes back to his Father but promises to send the Holy Spirit LF2 & LF3 The coming of the Holy Spirit LF4 The Church celebrates Pentecost LF5 The Holy Spirit energises us LF6 The gifts of the Holy Spirit</p>
	<p>PROMISES Belonging to a group involves promises and rules and the meaning of the promises made at Baptism</p> <p>LF1 The Sacrament of Baptism LF2 The welcome and celebration of the Word of God, LF3 Litany of Saints LF4 Commitment and Promises made at Baptism LF5 The Baptism and anointing LF6 The giving of the white garment and candle</p>	<p>LISTENING AND SHARING Listening and sharing with one another. Listening to the Word of God and sharing in Holy Communion</p> <p>LF1 The People gather LF2 The people give glory to God: the Gloria LF3 The Liturgy of the Word LF4 Preparation of the Gifts LF5 The Eucharistic Prayer LF6 The Communion Rite</p>	<p>CHOICES Choices have consequences. The importance of conscience in making choices</p> <p>LF1 Two sons make choices LF2 The meaning of sin and the examination of conscience LF3 God has forgiven you LF4 The Sacrament of Reconciliation LF5 What happens at the Sacrament of Reconciliation? LF6 Thanksgiving for God’s love</p>
	<p>VISITORS The demands and joys of visitors and waiting for the coming of Jesus</p> <p>LF 1: The Jesse Tree LF2 Isaiah announces the coming of God LF3 During Advent, the Church prepares for the visit of God in the person of Jesus LF4 The Annunciation and the Visitation LF5 The Nativity and the visit of the shepherds LF6 The Wise Men</p>	<p>GIVING ALL How people give themselves: Lent is a time to remember the total giving of Jesus</p> <p>LF1 Lent is an opportunity for giving LF2 How to be giving LF3 A new way of living LF4 Sometimes it is hard to be totally giving LF5 Jesus’ total giving LF6 Jesus is risen</p>	<p>SPECIAL PLACES Everyone has a special place There are special places for Jesus and the Christian Community</p> <p>LF1 Special places for Jesus LF2 Special places for the Christian Community LF3 Holy Places of Worship LF4 The world as a special place for the Christian Community LF5 Respecting our world as a special place LF6 We have a special place in our hearts where God dwells</p>
	<p>JUDAISM The interior of a synagogue. Looking at a kippah- a special hat and a tallit – a special shawl for the body.</p> <p>The Torah scroll</p> <p>The shul (synagogue) and the Jewish community.</p>		<p>HINDUISM The interior of a Mandir. Hindu Gods and Goddesses.</p> <p>The ‘Aum’ prayer. How Hindus show respect and reverence for their gods. How this shapes their lives.</p> <p>The ‘Prasad’ recipe and Hindu prayer.</p>



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	<p>CALLED The response to being chosen. Confirmation a call to witness LF1 The call of Samuel and David is chosen LF2 Jesus calls his Apostles LF3 The Sacrament of Confirmation LF4 The call of Confirmation LF5 Living in the light LF6 The witness of a Christian call- Sean Devereux</p>	<p>GIVING AND RECEIVING Giving and receiving every day. The Eucharist challenges and enables living and growing in communion LF1 Greeting – the Introductory Rite LF2 Gathering in Love LF3 The Penitential Act LF4 Communion Rite LF5 Communion Rite (cont) LF6 The Concluding Rite</p>	<p>BUILDING BRIDGES Building bridges of friendship. The importance of admitting wrong and being reconciled with one another and with God LF1 Everyone is loved by Jesus LF2 Sin and examination of conscience LF3 The Sacrament of Reconciliation: Contrition; LF4 Penitential Rite 1 & 2 LF5 Absolution LF6 Bridge building in the Christian Community;</p>
	<p>GIFT The gift of love and friendship LF1 God’s gift of love and friendship LF2 God sent Jesus LF3 Isaiah looked forward to the gift of Jesus LF4 Gaudete Sunday LF5: The birth of Jesus: Wise Men LF6: The Church celebrates the gift of Jesus;</p>	<p>SELF-DISCIPLINE Self-discipline is important. Celebrating growth to new life through self-discipline LF1 Lent – the opportunity to grow spiritually LF2 How to live during Lent LF3 Living in God’s way LF4 Holy Week LF5 Good Friday LF6 The Empty Tomb</p>	<p>GOD’S PEOPLE Ordinary people who do extraordinary things Different saints show people what God is like LF1 The communion of saints: showing people what God is like LF2 Christians are invited to be saints LF3: Oscar Romero – a recent martyr showing us what God is like LF4 An ordinary person showing us what God is like LF5 Blessed Teresa of Calcutta – living out what she believed LF6 Martin Luther King: showing the love of Jesus in his life and actions.</p>
	<p>JUDAISM The special book called the Torah used by Jewish people. The Yad is used for writing. Hebrew is the language of the Torah. Barmitzvah and Barmitzvah celebrations – their importance in a young Jewish person’s life.</p>		<p>HINDUISM Sanskrit writing, the story of Bhagavad- Gita. The story of the Bold Beggar – from Hindu scripture. Being willing to share. The story of the Blind Man and an Elephant. Being truthful.</p>



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	<p>OURSELVES A deepening awareness of 'Who I am'. Ourselves as made in the image and likeness of God LF1 You are a Holy People LF2 The qualities God gives us and wants us to develop LF3 Our unique God given qualities and gifts and appreciation of difference LF4 Christians are called to be like God and sometimes it takes courage to use these qualities for the service of others LF5 God is the 'gift giver' LF6 God as a loving parent</p>	<p>MISSION The mission of inspirational leaders. Dioceses continue the work and mission of Jesus including ecumenism LF1 Good News for the poor LF2 Jesus begins his mission LF3 What is a diocese LF4 The mission of the diocese LF5 May they all be one LF6 other Christian communities – may we all be one.</p>	<p>TRANSFORMATION Transforming energy. Pentecost: The celebration of the Spirit's transforming power LF1 On the road to Emmaus LF2 The gift of the holy spirit for everyone LF3 Saul is transformed by the Holy Spirit LF4 transformed by the Holy Spirit LF5 The fruits of the Holy Spirit LF6 Living transformed by the Holy Spirit</p>
	<p>LIFE CHOICES showing care and commitment. The call to life and love within the community; marriage LF1 We all have a mission LF2 the different ways of living mission LF3 The Sacrament of marriage – the promises LF4 The blessings of rings LF5 Showing love to one another in marriage LF6 all are called to live in love and service;</p>	<p>MEMORIAL SACRIFICE How memories are kept alive. The Eucharist keeps the memory of Jesus' sacrifice alive and present in a special way LF1 Remembering the Passover LF2 The Last Supper LF3 The Eucharist is a memorial LF4 The Eucharist is a sacrifice LF5 Eucharistic prayer II LF6 Sacrifice in daily life</p>	<p>FREEDOM AND RESPONSIBILITY Freedom involves responsibility. God's rules for living freely and responsibly – the Commandments LF1 The giving of the ten commandments LF2 The ten commandments LF3 The greatest commandment LF4 Using freedom for good LF5 The Beatitudes LF6 God is loving and merciful</p>
	<p>HOPE Waiting hopefully. Advent is the Church's season of waiting in joyful hope for the coming of Jesus, the promised one, at Christmas and at the end of time LF1 advent, a time of waiting LF2 waiting for the Promised One LF3 waiting in hope for the Lord LF4 a light in the darkness that brings hope LF5 Jesus, the one who was waited for in hope, is born LF6 we wait in hope for Christ to come again.</p>	<p>SACRIFICE Giving or refusing to give; appreciate the cost of giving. Lent is a time of giving in preparation for the celebration of the sacrifice of Jesus LF1 Lent, the opportunity to grow spiritually Remembering the Passover LF2 the betrayal of Jesus by Judas Iscariot LF3 The arrest of Jesus LF4 The sacrifice of Jesus LF5 Good Friday – the crucifixion LF6 Easter Sunday;</p>	<p>STEWARDSHIP Caring for the Earth. The Church is called to Stewardship of Creation LF1 the wonders of God's creation LF2 the task of stewardship – caring for God's creation LF3 ways to be stewards of God's creation LF4 we are called to stewardship LF5 caring for God's people LF6 Being good stewards of all the resources entrusted to us.</p>
	<p>JUDAISM How Jewish people celebrate Passover. The events in Exodus 12. The foods on a Seder plate. The Shema</p>		<p>HINDUISM Where Hindus find God How Braman is made visible Why Hindus pilgrimage to the River Ganges?</p>



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YEAR GROUP 6	<p>LOVING The love and care of people. God’s love is unconditional and never ending LF1 God loves and cares for his people even in difficult times LF2 We don’t have to do anything to make God love us LF3 unconditional love LF4 Forgiveness is an essential part of unconditional love LF5 knowing that we are loved, we can grow in love LF6 God never stops growing</p>	<p>SOURCES A wide variety of books and the purpose for which they were written. The Bible as the story of God’s love, told by the people of God LF1 about the Bible LF2 Kinds of books in the Bible LF3 The Old Testament, Hebrew scriptures LF4 New Testament Book: Gospels LF5 New Testament Books: Acts/Letters/ Revelation LF6 Bible in daily life</p>	<p>WITNESSES The courage to be a witness. Pentecost: the Holy Spirit enables people to witness to the Easter message. LF1 Jesus appears to his disciples LF2 The Ascension of Jesus LF3 Stephen chosen to spread the Word LF4 Witnesses to the Easter message - Lydia LF5 Modern witnesses to the power of the Holy Spirit LF6 Ourselves as witnesses</p>	
	<p>VOCATION AND COMMITMENT Commitment in Life. The Vocation to the Priesthood and Religious Life. LF1 Being Called LF2 The Vocation of Priesthood LF3 The Sacrament of Ordination LF4 The Call to Religious Life LF5 Vows and Service LF6 We call have a vocation</p>	<p>UNITY What nourishes and what spoils friendship and unity? The Eucharist challenges and enables the Christian family to live and grow in community every day LF1 Jesus’ prayer for unity LF2 in communion with Jesus LF3 The Eucharist challenges Christians to live in communion LF4 The Our Father LF5 Prayer for peace and unity and sign of peace, LF6 Holy Communion</p>	<p>HEALING When people become sick and need care. The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick LF1 Jesus cares for the sick LF2 caring for these in needs; a Christian responsibility LF3 anointing the sick LF4 the sacrament of the anointing of the sick during mass LF5 the sacrament of the anointing of the sick for those who are very ill. LF6 Lourdes, a place of healing</p>	
	<p>EXPECTATIONS The meaning of expectation. Advent, a time of joyful expectation of Christmas, the Word becoming a human person, Jesus. LF1 advent: the time of expectation LF2 The prophets’ expectation of the Messiah LF3 Mary’s expectation LF4 the word of God be the human person: Jesus; LF5 John the Baptist’s expectation of Jesus LF6 Christ will come again</p>	<p>DEATH AND NEW LIFE How loss and death bring about change for people. The Church’s season of Lent, Holy Week and Easter; the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus led to new life. LF1 Lent, a time to remember the suffering and death of Jesus LF2 What life is really like LF3 Unless a grain of wheat dies LF4 The raising of Lazarus LF5 Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord LF6 The Easter Vigil; celebrating the new life of Easter</p>	<p>COMMON GOOD Justice for the good of all. The work of Christians for the common good of all. LF1 God asks us to live justly LF2 God sent Jesus to bring the Good News to everyone LF3 Jesus taught us how to live justly in our world LF4 Catholic social teaching is about continuing the work of Jesus LF5 The Common Good LF6 Jesus gave Christians a new way of living</p>	
	<p>JUDAISM Rosh Hashanar, shofar and the apples dipped in honey Atonement and mitzvahs Mikveh, Yom Kippur, Sukkot and the book of Jonah</p>		<p>HINDUISM Karma Rama and Gandhi The ‘Aum’ symbol and caring for the world</p>	