St Mary's Whole School RE Curriculum Map 25 - 26

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Planned spirituality: Godly play, creativity, drama, trips to places of worship, discussion & reflection					
Nursery	Who cares for this special world and why?	Why is Christmas special?	What are the special places and people in our community?	How do people celebrate Easter?	Who am I?	What makes us special?
Reception	Who made the wonderful world?	Why is Christmas special for Christians?	Why do Christians believe Jesus is special?	What is so special about Easter?	What makes a place special?	What can we learn from stories?
Year 1	What responsibility has God given people about taking care of Creation?	Why is each person important in the Nativity story?	How do Hindu people worship?	Why might many Christians say that Easter is the most important festival?	What Is the Story of Noah Really About?	What is it like to live as a Jewish person?
Year 2	Why Do Christians Make and Keep Promises Before God?	How does the symbol of light help us to understand the meaning of Christmas for Christians?	Why did Jesus tell stories?	How do the symbols of Easter help us to understand the meaning of Easter for Christians?	What does it mean to be a Muslim?	How do the five pillars of Islam help a Muslim to show commitment to God (Allah)?
Year 3	How did belief in God Affect the actions of people in the Old Testament?	How does the season of Advent and the feast of the Epiphany point towards the true meaning of Christmas?	Why did Jesus teach the Lord's Prayer as a way to pray?	Who is the most important person in the Easter story?	Why are they having a party?	What does it mean to be Jewish?
Year 4	What does it mean to live as a Hindu?	Is the Christmas meaning of peace still relevant in today's world?	What do the miracles tell us about Jesus?	What is Holy Communion and how does it build a Christian Community?	Why is liturgy important to many Christians?	How did the first five Sikh Gurus Shape Sikhism?
Year 5	What is the Bible's Big story?	How do art and music convey Christmas?	How has the Christian message survived for 2000 years?	What happens in churches during Lent, Holy Week and Easter Sunday?	What is the best way for Muslims to show their commitment to God (Allah)?	What did the Buddha teach his followers about life?
Year 6	Who is Jesus? (I am statements)	How do Christians advertise Christmas to show what Christmas means today?	What does it mean to be Buddhist?	How does the Christian festival of Easter offer hope?	What might the journey of life and death look like from a Christian perspective?	How did the final 5 Sikh Gurus shape Sikhism?