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<a href="#">Blue depicts the links to Understanding Christianity Units</a>						
<b>Cycle 1</b>	<b>Autumn 1</b>	<b>Autumn 2</b>	<b>Spring 1</b>	<b>Spring 2</b>	<b>Summer 1</b>	<b>Summer 2</b>
Reception	Why am I special? <a href="#">God</a> Why is the word <a href="#">God</a> so important to <a href="#">Christians</a> ?	What is a celebration? <a href="#">Incarnation</a> Why do <a href="#">Christians</a> perform <a href="#">Nativity plays</a> at Christmas?	What are special stories for <a href="#">Christians</a> ?	What is a special symbol? Why do <a href="#">Christians</a> put a cross in an <a href="#">Easter garden</a> ?	What is a special place?	How do we look after the world? <a href="#">Creation</a>
Year 1 / 2	Why do <a href="#">Christians</a> celebrate Harvest? ( Include Jewish celebration of Succoth)	What are the messages of Christmas? <a href="#">Incarnation</a> Why does <a href="#">Christmas</a> matter to <a href="#">Christians</a> ?	What makes a good leader?	Why is <a href="#">Easter</a> important? <a href="#">Salvation</a> Why does <a href="#">Easter</a> matter to <a href="#">Christians</a> ?	What are special buildings for <a href="#">Jews</a> and <a href="#">Christians</a> ?	Who and where is <a href="#">God</a> ? <a href="#">God</a> What do <a href="#">Christians</a> believe that <a href="#">God</a> is like?
Year 3 / 4	Why do people go on pilgrimages? (Include <a href="#">Judaism</a> and <a href="#">Islam Hajj</a> )	Why is <a href="#">Advent</a> important to <a href="#">Christians</a> ?	How and why is worship important? Explore <a href="#">Christian</a> , <a href="#">Jewish</a> and <a href="#">Buddhist</a> <a href="#">People of God</a> What is it like to follow <a href="#">God</a> ?	What does the <a href="#">Easter</a> story tell us about hope and despair? <a href="#">Salvation</a> Why is <a href="#">Good Friday</a> good?	What do <a href="#">Christians</a> learn from the <a href="#">Creation</a> story?	What can we learn from religious leaders? (Including the <a href="#">Buddha</a> )
Year 5/ 6	What do <a href="#">Christians</a> believe about wealth and poverty? <a href="#">Kingdom of God</a> What kind of king is <a href="#">Jesus</a> ?	What does <a href="#">incarnation</a> mean for <a href="#">Christians</a> ? <a href="#">Incarnation</a> Was <a href="#">Jesus</a> the <a href="#">Messiah</a> ?	Why are places of worship important for different religious believers?	Why and how do people pray? <a href="#">Christians</a> , <a href="#">Jews</a> and <a href="#">Muslims</a>	What is the importance of community for believers ? <a href="#">Judaism</a> , <a href="#">Christianity</a> , <a href="#">Buddhism</a>	What do other faiths teach about care and respect for others? <a href="#">Gospel</a> What would

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## Cycle 2

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Why am I special?	What is a celebration?	What are special stories for Christians?	What is a special symbol?	What is a special place?	How do we look after the world?
Year 1 / 2	What does it mean to belong?	Why do Christians give gifts at Christmas?	What do sacred writing teach about leaders? Bible, Torah Gospel What is the good news that Jesus brings?	How do Christians celebrate Easter?	What are special places of worship? Christian and Jewish	How do we appreciate the natural world? Creation Who made the world?
Year 3 / 4	What are important rites of passage? Baptism, Confirmation, Bar Mitzvah Incarnation What is the Trinity?	Why is light important to Christians? (reference to other religious festivals that feature light)	What do Christian writings teach about forgiveness? Gospel What kind of world did Jesus want?	How do Christians prepare for Easter?	What did Jesus teach people about the kingdom of God? Kingdom of God What was the impact of Pentecost?	What did the Buddha teach?
Year 5 / 6	How do Christians demonstrate justice in their lives? People of God How can following God bring freedom and justice?	Why do Christians associate Christmas with peace? Incarnation	What do Old Testament stories teach about God?  (Link with Judaism and Torah). God What does it mean if God is Holy and loving?	Easter Was the crucifixion of Jesus a sacrifice?  Salvation What did Jesus do to save human beings?	Why is the Holy Spirit important for Christians? (Pentecost)	What does it mean to be a religious believer in British society today? Explore other religions – Islam, Judaism, Buddhism Creation / Fall Conflicts with

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