St Patrick's follows the Religious Education Directory (RED) Model Curriculum in 'To know you more clearly – June 2023'. The RED fulfils the requirements of the Bishop's Conference which sets forth the expectations for what should be covered by Religious Education teaching in Catholic Schools in England and Wales. Children are assessed in RE through the Expected end of age-phase outcomes which can be found in Section 2.3 of the RED. This also helps teachers to ensure that learning is suitably pitched in order that RE is as interesting, enjoyable and challenging as any other curriculum subject.

The programme is structured in the following way: Through knowledge lenses, ways of knowing, expected outcomes and curriculum branches.

As part of following the RED, children are taught about other world religions so that they develop an appreciation for faith in a wider sense and are appreciative and respectful of the religious beliefs, practices and observances of others thus enabling them to be responsible and constructive members of the multi-cultural, multi-faith society in which they live.

The Branch, Dialogue and Encounter are taught across the year to aid embedding of knowledge and understanding across the year.

	Branch 1 –	Dialogue	Dialogue	Branch 2	Branch 3	Branch 4	Branch 5	Dialogue and	Branch 6 –	Dialogue and
	Creation and	and	and					Encounter	Dialogue and	Encounter
	Covenant	Encounter	Encounter	Prophecy	Gailee to	Desert to	To the	other world	Encounter	other world
		other world	other world	and promise	Jerusalem	Garden	ends of	faith		faith
		faith	faith				earth		Other Christian	
									faiths	
		Judaism	Sikhism					Hinduism		Islam
Dates	3rd	13 th	3 rd	10 th	5 th January	23 rd	13 th April	1 st June to	8 th June to 10 th	13 th July to
2025/2026	September	October to	November	November	to 13 th	February to	to 22 nd	5 th June	July	24 th July
	to 10 th	17 th	to 7 th	to 19 th	February	27 th March	May			
	October	October	November	December						

EYFS	Knowledge Lenses	
Branch 1	Hear	Hear
Creation and		God made our beautiful world and everything in it.
Covenant		God made me.
		The words and actions of the Sign of the Cross:
		"In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen"
		God created the world and said, "Indeed it is very good" (Genesis 1:31)
		LS 84 – the whole of creation shows God love for us.
	Believe	Believe
		God made me.
		God loves me. God loves everyone.
		God made the wonderful world.
		God is love.
		God made each one of us.
		God loves each one of us as a unique person.
		God made a wonderful world and what God
		creates is good.
		God loves us and we are part of a family.
		CST God made the Earth and sky. God made all the people all over the world. God made all the animals. God made all the plants. God made the air,
		the ground, and the water. And God tells us we must take good care of them. It is an important job! Stewardship
	Celebrate	Celebrate
		The words and actions of the sign of the cross:
		'In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen'.
		Give thanks for God's wonderful world
		Celebrate God's beautiful world.
		The words and actions of the sign of the cross.
		We enter God's family, the Church, through baptism
	Live	Live
		Look after me.
		Look after God's world
		Care and love for self, family, others, and God's world. CST God made each of us, so each one of us is very special. We must treat others in a
		caring way because God made them too. The Dignity of the Human Person
Branch 2	Hear	Mary was going to have a baby.

His name will be Jesus (Lk 1:26-31, 38).
Jesus was born in Bethlehem (Lk 2:4-7).
Shepherds hurried to see Mary and Joseph and baby Jesus (Lk 2:8-20).
The Annunciation (Lk 1:26-31, 38).
The Nativity (Lk 2: 4-7).
The Shepherds visit the manger (Lk 2:8-20).
Mary had a baby called Jesus.
Mary was chosen by God to give birth to his Son.
Jesus was born in a stable and laid in a manger.
Shepherds were told by angels to visit him
Advent wreath.
The tradition of the crib.
Nativity celebration.
Celebrate Advent, it is a time to get ready for
Christmas.
God sent Jesus to love us all.
Various cultures celebrate Jesus' birthday in different ways.
CST By our work in Advent, we help others and ourselves and we show our love to God.
CST All people work in some way. Everyone should be able to work safely so that it helps them because God loves them. The Dignity and Rights of
Workers
The Wise Men visit Jesus (Matt 2:1-12).
Jesus welcomes the little children (Mk 10:v16).
Jesus blesses the little children (story retold).
The visit of the Magi (Matt 2:1-12).
What?
Jesus blesses the little children (Mk 10:13-16).
How?
Feeding of 5000 (Jn 6:1-14).
Jesus was born for everyone.
The Magi visited Jesus with gifts.
Jesus is God's Son and came for everyone.
Jesus' birth is celebrated at Christmas.
Jesus came to show God's love and welcomes
everyone.
Jesus takes care of everyone.

	Celebrate	The Glory Be is a special prayer.
		That the Church prays the 'Glory Be' as a
		response to the coming of Jesus.
	Live	Show love to everyone like Jesus
		We welcome and show love to everyone in our
		words and actions as Jesus does.
		We are called to help the poor and hungry.
		CST You need food, water, a house, your school, a good doctor, and a job for the grown-up who takes care of you. So does everybody else on the
		whole Earth. But many people do not have these things. Jesus wants us to take extra care of these people.
		An Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
Branch 4	Hear	Lent is a time to care for others.
Desert to		Jesus died on a cross. It is a sad time.
garden		Jesus was given new life by God his Father. Jesus
		rose and everyone celebrates.
		Love God and love everyone (great commandment).
		A simplified version of key events of Holy
		Week especially Good Friday and Easter Sunday (to enable pupils to recognise key events). The great commandment (Lk 10:25-28).
	Believe	Caring for others in Lent.
		Jesus died on a cross.
		Jesus rose and we celebrate.
		Listen to and talk about the season of Lent and Easter.
		Jesus died on Good Friday and rose again on Easter Sunday.
		Easter is a celebration that Jesus is with us still.
		Easter celebrates new life.
		Simple religious symbols in Lent and Easter
	Celebrate	Simple signs of Lent – colour purple, seeds,
		growing.
		Simple signs of Easter – colour white, growth,
		Easter Garden.
		The Church uses purple and ashes as signs of Lent and being sorry.
		Representations of Holy Week and Easter: palms, the cross, Easter gardens, and symbols of new life
	Live	Care for others.
		Celebrate with signs and symbols – hot cross
		buns, garden growth, Easter eggs.
		Various cultures celebrate Lent and Easter in different ways, for example: pancakes, hot cross buns, Easter eggs.
		Trying to help others by what we do in Lent. Could

		include Raasa Parade (Kerala) and other Lent customs around the world.
		CST Every single person on Earth needs these things: food, water, work, clothes, a home, a school, and a doctor. Some people have what they need,
		but many people don't. Jesus wants the people who already have what they need to help these others. Jesus wants us to take care of
		this. Rights and Responsibilities
Branch 5	Hear	Jesus went back to his Father.
To the ends of		He sent a special friend, the Holy Spirit, to look after us
the earth		Story of Pentecost (Simple Telling).
		The early Christian community (Acts 2:42-47).
	Believe	The Holy Spirit is our friend. The Holy Spirit looks after us.
		Coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.
		The Good News of Jesus lived out by the early Christian community.
	Celebrate	The parish church is a special place where we meet our friends. We sing and say prayers.
		Pentecost is a special celebration in the Church. Sunday is a special day for the Church to celebrate
	Live	The parish church and the parish family meet there to celebrate.
		CST Jesus knows that people can be happy with families and friends. He tells us that we can let these
		important people help us. He asks us to help them too. We need each other. We Are Called to Live as
		Family and Community.
		CST All people are God's children. That makes us brothers and sisters. We are connected to each
		other. It is as if everyone in the world held hands! We can be very different from each other, but we are
		still one family — God's family. Solidarity
Branch 6	Dialogue	Friends of Jesus: Hear a simple life of St Peter and St Paul, friends of Jesus (linking to their feast day).
Dialogue and		Invite someone in from the local parish to talk about their faith and why it matters to them to be a friend of Jesus.
encounter		Explore a range of pictures of Jesus from a non-European tradition.
	Encounter	Invite someone into the class from the local area or a school community member to talk about their
		local (faith) community and why it matters to them. Develop opportunities to engage children in a
		broad sensory curriculum about the music, food, smells, tastes, and specific clothing worn, to enrich
		understanding.

Area of EYFS	Understand	Respond	Discern
	What I see and hear to help me understand	How will I find out more	What can I do now
Religious education within	Commenting on and echoing	Providing quality conversations and questions	Sharing their understanding and what they are
communication and	back using key religious	with adults and peers about the Catholic faith,	wondering about with support.
interaction	vocabulary about what children	other faiths and religions, and from the Bible	
	have heard, how people believe,	and religious stories they have heard.	Confidently speak in a familiar group and talk
	celebrate, and live.		about their ideas.
		Using the Bible and religious stories they have	Express themselves effectively, showing
	Engaging children in Bible and	heard in conversation, storytelling, and role-	awareness of listeners' needs.
	religious stories that enable them	play.	
	to use new key religious words		
	and phrases from Scripture,	Sensitive questioning that invites	
	hymns, and prayers.	children to elaborate on the Bible	
		and religious stories, prayers, and	
		hymns they have heard and used.	
RELG: Religious Education	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	eligious stories with relevant questions, comments,	
Learning Goal		class discussions and small group interactions as we	II as
	class and school prayer and liturgy.	d and ask guastians to playify their understanding	
		d and ask questions to clarify their understanding. ad-forth exchanges with their teachers and peers.	
	Speaking Children at the expected level of devi		
		one discussions, offering their own ideas, using rece	ently
	introduced religious vocabulary.		,
	· ·	oen, making use of recently introduced key religious	
	vocabulary.	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
	• Express their ideas and feelings about their r	eligious experiences using full sentences with mode	elling
	and support from their teacher		
Religious education within	Support gross and fine motor	Repeated and varied opportunities to re-enact	Respond in a variety of ways, e.g.,
physical development	skills with Scripture stories they	Scripture stories in a variety of	dance, song, movement, and art to express and
	have heard and explored and	ways, both indoor and outdoor	share their religious understanding.
	how Christians live.		
			Express themselves effectively, showing
	Small world activities, puzzles,		awareness of others.
	arts, crafts related to people and		
	stories they have heard.		Give their attention to what
			others say and do and respond

			appropriately			
RELG: Religious Education		Use fine and gross motor skills to express feelings and to recognise and describe events within Bible				
Learning Goal	and religious stories they have heard or read a					
		hrough the use of e.g., dance, role-play, arts and cra	afts.			
		gs and hymns they have listened to and learned.				
Religious education within	Hear how scripture shares how	Develop strong, warm, and supportive	Talk about their feelings and emotions in			
PSED	people make good friends,	relationships with adults in their care as their	response to how they can live out the Scripture			
	cooperate with one another, and	role models.	messages.			
	resolve conflicts peaceably.					
		Develop an understanding that Jesus is a role model.	Develop a positive and confident sense of self,			
		model.	knowing they are made in the image and likeness of God.			
		Enable children to learn how to understand	likeliess of dod.			
		their own feelings and those of others.	Know that they are precious in the eyes of God.			
		their own reemigo and those of others.	intow that they are precious in the eyes of dod.			
		Learn how to be a good friend, cooperate, and	Set simple goals that help them to live out			
		resolve conflicts peaceably.	Scripture.			
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		Say sorry. Shake hands to share peace with	Look after themselves and look after others.			
		their friends				
RELG: Religious Education	Self-regulation					
Learning Goal	_	s and those of others and begin to regulate their be	haviour			
	accordingly.					
	Begin to share thoughts about what is fair, unfair, caring, and sharing.					
	Begin to understand how to show love for others in appropriate ways.					
	Managing self					
	Aware of the need for rules, know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly. Experience and begin to understand that saving corry and forgiving one another can help them in their					
	• Experience and begin to understand that saying sorry and forgiving one another can help them in their friendships.					
	Begin to experience how a simple act of contrition (sorry prayer) can help them to say sorry to God.					
	Building relationships					
	Using the example of Jesus in stories they have heard and read, be able to work and play cooperatively					
	and take turns with others.	, , , , ,	·			
	• Form positive attachments to adults and frie	ndships with peers.				
	• Show sensitivity to their own and others' needs and know about similarities and differences between					
	themselves and others.					

Religious education within	Talk with children about the	Explore the stories they have	Confidently speak in a familiar		
literacy	stories found in the Bible and in	heard and how they can be linked	group and talk about their ideas.		
	religious stories.	to the world around them			
			Express themselves effectively,		
	Read simple age-appropriate	Read aloud key religious words that will enable	showing awareness of listeners'		
	scripture and psalms with	children to recognise key religious people and	needs.		
	children. Enjoy hymns that tell the	events.	Give their attention to what others		
	Scripture stories they have heard.		say and respond appropriately		
		Recognise and retell Bible and religious stories			
	Repeat and enjoy phrases from	they have heard with hymns and songs.			
	Scripture, including psalms and				
	hymns	Begin to use key religious words			
		to label, match, sort, and use in			
		sentences.			
RELG: Religious Education	Comprehension				
Learning Goal	Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling Bible and religious stories and				
	using their own words and recently introduced religious vocabulary.				
	• Anticipate – where appropriate – key events	<u> </u>			
		religious vocabulary during discussions about Bible	and		
	religious stories, or during times of prayer, litur	rgy and role-play.			
	Word reading				
	Begin to recognise and read key religious wo				
	Read aloud their own sentences using key re	ligious words about Bible and religious stories they	have		
	heard.				
	Read aloud in a group or individually simple phrases/sentences from age-appropriate Scripture.				
	Writing				
	Recognise and begin to spell key religious wo				
	Write simple phrases and sentences about B				
Religious education within	Make visits to their local parish	Recognise the key people in their parish, such as	Confidently speak in a familiar		
understanding the world	church and their parish priest.	the parish priest.	group and talk about their ideas.		
	Invite the parish priest into class	Recognise the roles they play.	Express themselves effectively,		
	and members of the parish	Roleplay the parish roles, such as the parish	showing awareness of listeners'		
	community.	priest, the reader, a person who welcomes the	needs.		
	Talk about their roles and how	parishioners for Mass.	Give their attention to what others		
	they help the community.		say and respond appropriately.		
	Talk about what happens when	Know that we are all in God's			

	we gather together as a parish	family and he made each one of	Talk about past and present
	for Mass	us and loves us all. Baptism is one	events in their own lives and in the
		way of welcoming a person to the	lives of family members.
	Talk about the Sacrament of	parish.	,
	Baptism. Look at photographs		Describe the beauty, awe, and
	or film clips to retell that when	Recognise that God created	wonder they have seen and
	Christians are baptised, they are	the world and the natural world	talked about.
	welcomed into God's family.	around them.	
	,	Recognise that God gave us	Show sensitivity to others' needs
	Talk about their classroom, the	gifts to build and make. To be a	and feelings.
	outdoor areas, visit the local park,	policeman, lollipop person, etc	Talk about how they and others
	etc., to see and appreciate God's		show feelings.
	world around them.	Respond to the stories that give	g
		them gifts of peace and love,	Talk about their own and others'
	Listen to a variety of stories that	etc., to use in the world and	behaviour and its consequences.
	help them to understand and	community around them – roleplay, small world,	·
	show love, peace, and kindness,	song etc.	Celebrate our neighbours that live
	saying sorry just as Jesus told us		near to us and far away. How can
	about.	Respond to different faiths and	we all live happily together?
		religions by making, creating	
	Listen to a variety of stories about	artefacts, paintings, etc., to retell	
	children and families of different	how different people live and	
	faiths and religions.	show their faith. Invite visitors of	
		other faiths and religions to look	
	Talk about people who live in	at and talk about photographs,	
	other countries around the world.	film clips, etc.	
	Talk about the similarities and		
	differences.	Recognise the differences and	
		similarities of different people	
		around the world. Use materials	
		from Catholic agencies/charities	
		such as CAFOD, Mission Together,	
		Aid for the Church in Need, etc.	
RELG: Religious Education	Past and present		
Learning Goal	• Talk about the lives and roles of the parish pr	· · ·	
	 Know some similarities and differences betw 	een things in the past and now, drawing on their	

	experiences and what has been read about in	Piblo and religious stories they have heard				
		s, people, and events encountered in Bible and religions.	zioue			
		s, people, and events encountered in Bible and relig	gious			
	stories.	anle of Cod				
	Recognise key people in the history of the pe	eople of God.				
	People, culture, and communities • Talk about their immediate environment around them, noticing God's wonderful world					
	• Talk about their immediate environment around them, noticing God's wonderful world.					
		Build an understanding that they are part of a parish, school, local, and global community.				
	Know that they are a child of God. God made them and loves them.					
	Recognise experiences of baptism and being	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
	Talk about what they know about religious be					
		een life in this country and life in other countries.				
	Recognise religious signs and symbols.					
	The natural world					
		od created the world. Use the descriptions to gain a	an			
	understanding of the beauty, awe and wonder,					
	Talk about the gifts given to people by God the state of the stat					
	Know some similarities and differences betw					
	• Know that they are responsible for looking at make a change.	ter their world and experience ways in which they c	can			
Religious education with	Through art, artefacts, hymns, psalms,	Make use of props and materials	Charatha hagutu of the art music			
		· · ·	Share the beauty of the art, music,			
expressive arts and design	dance, music, and sensory play to recount narratives	when role-playing people they have heard about in Bible	or dance they have encountered			
	from Bible stories.	narratives and stories.	to express a Bible story. Express how they feel because of the			
	Share stories of key figures from	Create art, music, or dance to	artistic representation.			
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	the Bible they have read and heard about with peers and their	express how a Bible story or psalm makes them feel.	Confidently speak in a familiar			
	teacher.	·	group and talk about their ideas.			
	teacher.	Safely use a variety of	Express themselves effectively,			
	Retell Bible stories using oral	materials, tools, and techniques, experimenting with colour, design,	showing awareness of listeners' needs.			
	storytelling and small world play	texture, form, and function that	Give their attention to what others			
	people.	depicts the liturgical season or	say and respond appropriately.			
	people.	Bible stories they have heard.	say and respond appropriately.			
	Sing and perform a range of	bible stories triey have heard.	Share their creations and talk			
	rhymes, songs, and new and	Express themselves effectively, showing	about what this represents from			
	traditional hymns that are	awareness of listeners' needs as they retell the	their learning.			
	connected to the religious stories	story using small world play people.	then learning.			
	connected to the religious stories	story using sitiali world play people.				

	they have read and heard about, and that are linked to the liturgical year.	Use songs and hymns to move and dance in time to the music, expressing their feelings in			
	Recount poems and prayers.	response to Bible stories and religious experience.			
RELG: Religious Education	Creating with materials				
Learning Goal	Share their creations and talk about what thi	s represents from their learning.			
	Make use of props and materials when role-page 1.	playing people they have heard about in Bible narra	tives		
	and stories.	and stories.			
	Being imaginative and expressive				
	• Recount Bible stories, poems, and prayers.				
	• In a variety of ways, recount narratives and stories about key figures from the Bible they have read and				
	heard about with peers and their teacher.	tories about key figures from the Bible they have rec			
	·	and new and traditional hymns connected to the rel	igious		
	stories they have read and heard about, and th				
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	time to the music, expressing their feelings in respo	nse to		
	Bible stories and religious experience				

Year 1	Knowledge Lense content	Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 1	Hear	Understand	God
Creation and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have studied the	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Father
Covenant	following key texts:	U1.1.1. Recognise that the story of Creation in Genesis 1:1-4,24-26, is an ancient,	Creation
	• The Creation story in Genesis 1:1-4, 24-26 as an ancient,	prayerful, poetic reflection	Pope Francis
	prayerful, poetic reflection on God's	on God's world and retell this story in any form. (RVE)	Laudato Si′
	world.	U1.1.2. Recognise in an age-appropriate way that the Church teaches that all that is	Our Father
	• The opening of the Nicene Creed 'I believe in one God, the	comes from God, our Father, who made heaven and Earth. (RVE)	Creed
	Father almighty, maker of heaven	U1.1.3. Recognise that though people cannot see God, they can sense his presence	
	and earth, of all things visible and invisible'.	through the awe and wonder experienced in the beauty and order of Creation.	
	• An introduction to the ideas presented in Laudato Si' 13.	U1.1.4. Recognise that the Church teaches that God gave human beings the	
	Believe	responsibility for taking care of the world and its people and in doing this, we show	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	love for God and each other.	
	Church teaches:	U1.1.5. Know that Pope Francis wrote a letter, called Laudato Si', about the gift of	
	That all that is comes from God.	Creation and the importance of taking care of the world as it is everyone's home.	
	God is our Father.	U1.1.6. Recognise that prayer is a way of drawing closer to God.	
	God's love and care for humanity is experienced through		
	the beauty and order of Creation.	Discern	
	Prayer is a way we draw closer to God.	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think creatively and	
	Celebrate	critically about what they have studied, for example, through:	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	D1.1.1. Talking about how God's gift of Creation is expressed through the scriptures	
	That praying is a way people draw close to God.	and diverse creative and artistic expressions, e.g., through art, music, or poetry and	
	That, as a community, the Church prays the Creed and the	talk about their responses.	
	Our Father to pray to God and	D1.1.2. Talking about why caring for God's world matters for them and their local	
	worship him.	community. (RVE)	
	Live		
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the		
	Church teaches:		
	God wants us to love and care for the world because the		
	world is God's gift to us.		
	• Caring for the world is one of the ways we love and care for		
	each other.		
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will explore:	Respond	
	How a community in another part of the world cares for	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	Creation	example by:	

Year 1	Knowledge Lenses	R1.1.1. Reflecting on what the words of the Our Father and the opening words of the Creed say to them. R1.1.2. Reflecting on different ways to pray. R1.1.3. Listening to stories from different communities and their experiences about how they care for the world. (RVE) R1.1.4. Talking about how they can care for God's world. (RVE) Expected Outcomes	Vocab
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Branch 2 Prophecy and	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have studied the	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Jesus Bible
promise	following key texts:	U1.2.1. Recognise that, for Christians, the Christmas story reveals God's love by	Annunciation
promise	• The Annunciation (Lk 1: 26-38, focusing on 1:26-32, 38)	sending Jesus his Son.	angels
	• The Visitation (Lk 1:39-45)	U1.2.2. Be introduced to the Bible as a special book and encounter the stories and	Visitation
	• The Birth of Jesus (Lk 2:4-8)	accounts of how	Hail Mary
	• The Visit of the Shepherds (Lk 2:8-20)	people came to know God and the Good News of Jesus in the gospels.	Gloria
	Believe	U1.2.3. Sequence the accounts from the Annunciation through to the visit of the	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	shepherds.	
	Church teaches:	U1.2.4. Know that in the Annunciation God called Mary and she said 'Yes' to his call	
	Because God loves us, he gave us his only Son, Jesus.	and why this makes	
	• God called Mary to be the mother of his Son, Jesus.	Mary important for Christians.	
	Mary said 'Yes' to God's call.	U1.2.5. Match the first words of the Hail Mary with the words of the Angel Gabriel.	
	Angels bring God's message and are a sign that Jesus is the	U1.2.6. Recognise that angels bring God's message and are a sign that Jesus is the	
	Son of God.	Son of God.	
	• The stories about Jesus are in a special book called the		
	Bible.	Discern	
	Celebrate	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think creatively and	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	critically about	
	We ask Mary to pray with us and for us and to comfort us in times of need, especially using	what they have studied, for example, through: D1.2.1. Talking about why the shepherds saw angels when Jesus was born.	
	the prayer Hail Mary.	D1.2.2. Thinking about why the words of the angels are in the 'Hail Mary' and the	
	By the end of this unit of study pupils will:	beginning of the 'Gloria'.	
	Hear and begin to join in with the words of the Hail Mary.	D1.2.3. Exploring artistic representations of the nativity story from around the	
	Hear or sing the first phrase of the Gloria, recognising it as	world. (RVE)	
	the angels' song of praise to God.	Respond	
	Live	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	example by:	
	Church teaches:	R1.2.1. Hearing and beginning to join in with the words of the Hail Mary.	

	 How Catholics around the world show honour to Mary, including diverse representations in art, sculpture, and music. How Christians in their local community celebrate the birth of Jesus. 	R1.2.2. Singing or saying the first words of the Gloria. R1.2.3. Talking about how Christians in their local community celebrate the birth of Jesus. (RVE)	
Year 1	Knowledge Lenses	Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 3 Galilee to	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have studied the	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Presentation Temple
Jerusalem	following key texts:	U1.3.1. Identify some of the people that encounter Jesus and recognise that he is	mission Son of God
	 The Presentation (Lk 2:22-38) Finding in the temple and the hidden life (Lk 2:41-52) 	special. U1.3.2. Retell, in any form, one of the stories they have heard, recognising these are	light
	 Jesus announces his mission (Lk 4:16-22) The call of the disciples (Lk 5:1-11) 	religious accounts from the Gospel of Luke.	Candlemas
	• Little children (Lk 18:15-17)	U1.3.3. Make simple connections between Jesus' announcement of his mission (Lk	
	• Zacchaeus (Lk 19:1-9) Believe	4:16-19) and how Christians are called to tell people about God's love today.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	U1.3.4. Ask and answer questions about the story of Zacchaeus and how he	
	Church teaches: • Jesus grows up and reveals the love of the Father to us.	changed after meeting Jesus.	
	Some people that encounter Jesus recognise that he is the	Discern	
	Son of God who has come to save all.	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about	
	Jesus is the 'light to all nations'.	what they have studied, for example, through:	
	Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	D1.3.1. Imagining how some of the people who met Jesus felt and how knowing Jesus changed them.	
	• The Feast of the Presentation of Jesus is celebrated by	D1.3.2. Listening to the stories and experiences of how people celebrate	
	Christians around the world and is known as Candlemas in Britain.	Candlemas. Respond	
	Live	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches:	example by: R1.3.1. Reflecting on what the Good News might mean for them.	
	All Christians are called to follow Jesus and share the Good News with others.	R1.3.2. Reflecting on how Jesus is a 'light' for all people, consider how they can	
	 News with others. Christians are called to take care of each other, especially 	bring 'light' to their families and communities. (RVE)	
	those most in need, such as	R1.3.3. Reflecting on how Jesus cares for other people and what they can learn	
	the poor.	from his actions.	

Year 1	Knowledge Lenses	Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 4	Hear	Understand	Temptation
Desert to	By the end of this unit of study pupils will have studied the	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Last Supper
garden	following key texts:	U1.4.1. Make simple connections between Jesus' time in the desert (Lk 4:1-13) and	Crucifixion
	• Jesus enters Jerusalem (Lk 19:28-38)	Christians praying and fasting for forty days in Lent. (RVE)	Resurrection
	• Jesus teaches in the temple (Lk 19:47-48)	U1.4.2. Recognise that Jesus shows the importance of giving to others, making	Ash Wednesday
	• The widow's mite (Lk 21:1-6)	simple connections with the story of the widow's mite (Lk 21:1-6) and the season of	Palm Sunday
	• The last supper (Lk 22:7-23)	Lent.	Lent
	• The Crucifixion and death of Jesus (Lk 23:33-46)	U1.4.3. Correctly sequence the events of the last week of Jesus' life.	Easter
	• The angel's message (Lk 24:1-8)	U1.4.4. Recognise that angels bring God's message and are a sign the Jesus is the	Family Fast Day
	For Lent:	Son of God, truly alive.	
	• Jesus is tempted in the desert for 40 days (Lk 4:1-13)	U1.4.5. Recognise that the Church teaches that Jesus suffered, died, and rose again.	
	Believe	U1.4.6. Recognise simple connections between the use of ashes and the Christian	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	belief that Lent is an opportunity for a new start.	
	Church teaches:		
	That Lent is a special time for praying, fasting, and helping	Discern	
	others as Jesus taught us to do.	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	Jesus died and rose again.	creatively about	
	Celebrate	what they have studied, for example, through:	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	D1.4.1. Asking 'I wonder' questions about the story of the last week of Jesus' life.	
	Some simple words, actions, and symbols from the Ash	D1.4.2. Experiencing and reflecting on music or art that shows how Christian	
	Wednesday liturgy and the Palm	communities in another part	
	Sunday liturgy.	of the world celebrate Lent and the last week of Jesus' life. (RVE)	
	Lent is when Christians prepare for Easter by thinking		
	about how they could be closer to God	Respond	
	by praying, giving up things that are not needed (fasting),	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	and giving to those in need.	example by:	
	Experience music or art that reflects how Christian	R1.4.1. Recognising that fasting in Lent is giving something up to help others and	
	communities in another part of the world	CAFOD Family Fast Day is a way of doing this.	
	celebrate Lent and the last week of Jesus' life.	R1.4.2. Considering what they might give up and choose to do to help others. (RVE)	
	Live	R1.4.3. Reflecting on what they know about Jesus including the events of the last	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	week of Jesus' life and his resurrection.	
	Fasting in Lent is a way of giving things up to help others		
	and for Catholics, CAFOD Family		

	Fast Day is a way of responding to this call. • Fasting, praying, and giving to others are ways of following		
Year 1	Jesus' example. Knowledge Lenses	Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 5 To the ends of the earth	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered the following key texts: • The road to Emmaus (Lk 24:13-35) • Promise of the Spirit and the Ascension (Acts 1:1-11) • Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4) Believe By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches: • When people open their hearts to the Holy Spirit they are changed, as the apostles are changed. • The mission of the Church begins at Pentecost. Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • That the Church celebrates the Ascension and Pentecost on special days of celebration (holydays of obligation). • The words of the 'Glory Be' prayer. • An age-appropriate hymn referencing the Holy Spirit. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • How Pentecost is celebrated in another part of the world. • How artists and musicians around the world celebrate the work of the Holy Spirit and the mystery of the Trinity.	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U1.5.1. Retell with increasing detail one of the following accounts: the Road to Emmaus (Lk 24:13-35), the Promise of the Spirit and the Ascension (Acts 1:1-11), Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4). U1.5.2. Simply sequence the story of Jesus studied from earlier branches (as Luke does in Acts 1:1). U1.5.3. Make simple connections between the mission of the Church and the mission of Jesus as he announced it at the beginning of Luke's Gospel (Lk 4:16-19). (See branch 3.) U1.5.4. Recognise that Catholics celebrate the Ascension of Jesus and Pentecost on special days called holydays. (RVE) Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think creatively about what they have studied, for example, through: D1.5.1. Imagining how the apostles felt during the events following the Resurrection. D1.5.2. Talking about the different ways experience of the Holy Spirit is expressed in some of the stories from the Bible they have heard across the Year One branches (e.g., 'God's spirit hovered over the water' (Gen 1:1), a shadow in the Annunciation (Lk 1:35), or wind and fire in Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4)). D1.5.3. Looking at and discussing ways the Holy Spirit is described in art or music. (RVE) Respond	Emmaus Holy Spirit Ascension Pentecost Church Glory Be Gospel

		During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R1.5.1. Thinking about why prayer is an important part of life for many people. (RVE) R1.5.2. Hearing the words of the Glory Be and hymns that reference Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and joining in prayerfully if they choose to do so. R1.5.3. Considering how Christians announce the Gospel to others through their	
Year 1	Knowledge Lenses	words and actions. Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 6 Dialogue and encounter Across the year pupils will study an aspect of each of the following faiths Judaism Sikhism Hinduism Islam	Dialogue By the end of this unit of study pupils will know that the Church teaches: • The Church is the community of all those who belong to Christ. • The cross is a symbol of Christianity. • The shortest summary of the Catholic faith is the sign of the cross. By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know about Christianity locally through: • Learning about their local parish community. • Learning about their local parish church. • Experience music, art, or religious objects that reflect Christian communities in a place outside their local parish. Encounter By the end of the unit of study pupils will have encountered	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U1.6.1. Know that Christian means follower of Jesus Christ. U1.6.2. Recognise that Catholics are a part of a global Christian family, and all Christians are sisters and brothers. U1.6.3. Recognise simple connections between Jesus' life and message and how Christians live today. (RVE) U1.6.4. Recognise that the cross is a symbol of Christianity, and the sign of the cross is a prayer expressing Christian belief. By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U1.6.5. Correctly use religious words and phrases to recognise features of Jewish religious life and practice (e.g., including specific vocabulary about the Jewish belief in one God and the special clothes some Jewish people wear each day). (RVE)	Christian Church parish community sign of the cross Jew Jewish Judaism Torah
	 Aspects of modern Jewish life in Britain, including specific vocabulary about the Jewish belief in one God and the Torah as a special txt which contains stories of the Jewish people's history and is a guide for Jewish life. 	Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through: D1.6.1 Listening to the stories and experiences of Christians from their local parish and asking them questions. (RVE)	

Year 2	Knowledge Lenses	Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 1	Hear	Understand	od
Creation and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered	U2.1.1. Retell in any form the Noah story (Genesis 6:9-9:17), focusing on Noah and	Father
Covenant	the	God's promise to all living creatures in the sign of the rainbow (Gen 9:8-17).	Creation
	following key texts:	U2.1.2. Know that psalms are prayed/sung to praise God and recognise that they are	Pope Francis
	• The story of Noah, focusing on God's covenant (promise)	a different literary form in scripture.	Laudato Si'
	with Noah	U2.1.3. Understand the term 'stewardship' and what it means for caring for God's	Our Father
	and all living beings in the sign of the rainbow (Gen 9:7-17).	world.	Creed
	• LS 71 'Through Noah, who remained innocent and just, God	U2.1.4. Correctly use religious words and phrases to talk about the Sacrament of	
	decided	Baptism, as a sign of Jesus' love for all people and a welcome into the Christian family.	
	to open a path of salvation. In this way he gave humanity the	U2.1.5. Know that the Christian Bible is split into two parts, the Old Testament, and	
	chance	the New Testament.	
	of a new beginning. All it takes is one good person to restore	Discern	
	hope!'	D2.1.1. Responding to the way God's gift of Creation is expressed in a variety of	
	Psalm 139 in praise of God's Creation of each of us and his	creative and artistic ways, e.g., art, music, or poetry and talk about the reason for	
	love for us	their response.	

teaches: • God makes a covenant (promise) with Noah to save all living things. • That people in the story of Noah turned away from God and chose to act badly; this is behaviour called sin. • The Sacrament of Baptism is when a person becomes part of the Christian family and promises to love God. • That the Christian Bible is split into two parts, the Old Testament, and the New Testament Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Psalms are prayers to praise God. • Sacraments are living signs of Jesus' love for all people. • Baptism is the first sacrament which welcomes people into the Christian family. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Ways in which we can show care for God's world (stewardship) as part of our care for each other.	d
Year 2 Knowledge Lenses Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 2 Hear Understand	Jesus
Prophecy and By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have studied the	Bible
promise following Annunciation and the birth of John the Baptist and of the Annunciation and the birth of Jesus from the Gospel of Luke.	h Annunciation angels
• The Annunciation (Lk 1: 26-38, focusing on 1:26-32, 38) U2.2.2. Know that a prophet or prophetess communicates God's message, inspired	_
• The Visitation (Lk 1:39-45) • The Visitation (Lk 1:39-45) • The Visitation (Lk 1:39-45)	Hail Mary
• The Birth of Jesus (Lk 2:4-8) U2.2.3. Identify Zechariah's special message about John's future (Lk 1:76).	Gloria

	 The Visit of the Shepherds (Lk 2:8-20) Believe By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches: Because God loves us, he gave us his only Son, Jesus. God called Mary to be the mother of his Son, Jesus. Mary said 'Yes' to God's call. Angels bring God's message and are a sign that Jesus is the Son of God. The stories about Jesus are in a special book called the Bible Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: We ask Mary to pray with us and for us and to comfort us in times of need, especially using the prayer Hail Mary. By the end of this unit of study pupils will: Hear and begin to join in with the words of the Hail Mary. Hear or sing the first phrase of the Gloria, recognising it as the angels' song of praise to God Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches: How Catholics around the world show honour to Mary, including diverse representations in art, sculpture, and music. How Christians in their local community celebrate the birth of Jesus. 	U2.2.4. Recognise that the Church teaches that the person Isaiah spoke of was Jesus long before he was born. U2.2.5. Recognise that the Church teaches that Mary is the mother of God who prays for them and with them. U2.2.6. Describe some ways that Christians prepare for Jesus' coming at Christmas during the season of Advent for example, correctly using religious words and phrases to recognise the meaning given to the Advent wreath and how these might help Christians prepare for Christmas. (RVE) Discern D2.2.1. Talking about Isaiah's picture language about light and darkness (Is 9:1-2) and making simple links with Jesus. D2.2.2. Saying what they wonder about the Holy Spirit and how baby John the Baptist, Mary, Elizabeth, and Zechariah felt. D2.2.3. Talking about how other cultures and communities prepare in Advent, for example, through art, dance, music, or celebrations such as Las Posadas. (RVE) D2.2.4. Listening to different traditions and interpretations of the meaning of the Advent wreath. (RVE) Respond R2.2.1. Talking about Mary's prayer, the Magnificat (Lk 1:46-50, 53) and how they can make the world fairer. For example, how they could fill the hungry with good things in Advent or what choices they could make in Advent to support local and global communities in need and to care for Creation (CST). (RVE) R2.2.2. Using artistic expressions to create a personal response to Isaiah's picture language about light and darkness (Is 9:1-2).	
Year 2	Knowledge Lenses	Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 3	Hear	Understand	baptism
Galilee to Jerusalem	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have studied the following	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U.2.3.1. Retell, in any form, the story of John the Baptist and the baptism of Jesus.	John the Baptist

key texts:

- The Presentation (Lk 2:22-38)
- Finding in the temple and the hidden life (Lk 2:41-52)
- Jesus announces his mission (Lk 4:16-22)
- The call of the disciples (Lk 5:1-11)
- Little children (Lk 18:15-17)
- Zacchaeus (Lk 19:1-9)

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church

teaches:

- Jesus grows up and reveals the love of the Father to us.
- Some people that encounter Jesus recognise that he is the Son of

God who has come to save all.

• Jesus is the 'light to all nations'

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

• The Feast of the Presentation of Jesus is celebrated by Christians around the world and is known as Candlemas in Britain

Live

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church

teaches:

- All Christians are called to follow Jesus and share the Good News with others.
- Christians are called to take care of each other, especially those most in need, such as the poor

 $\mbox{U.2.3.2.}$ Begin to recognise 'parables' as a literary form in Scripture with reference to the

parable of the lost sheep (Lk 15:4-7) and how Jesus uses them to teach people about God.

U.2.3.3. Recognise that everyone is tempted to make bad choices (sin), but that God loves and

forgives all people.

U.2.3.4. Begin to recognise that the miracles of Jesus are signs that he is the Son of God.

U.2.3.5. Correctly use religious words and phrases to recognise how Catholics say sorry to God in

prayer and talk about why saying sorry to God and to others is important

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think creatively and critically about

what they have studied, for example, through:

D2.3.1. Looking at artistic representations of Jesus' baptism and talking about images used for

God the Father, Jesus (God the Son), and the Holy Spirit and notice how they are connected.

D2.3.2. Making simple links with Isaiah and John the Baptist as prophets, and their openness to

the Holy Spirit.

D2.3.3. Talking about water as a symbol of a new start (reconciliation), thinking about the

Sacrament of Baptism and the story of Noah.

Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

- R2.3.1. Reflecting on what it feels like to say sorry and to be forgiven.
- R2.3.2. Talking about ways they and others show that they are sorry.
- R2.3.3. Considering what people might want to say sorry to God for and how praying can be part

of this (e.g., through making a simple Act of Sorrow).

miracle parable temptation sin sorrow forgiveness reconciliation

Year 2	Knowledge Lenses	Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 4	Hear	Understand	Easter Vigil
Desert to	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have revisited and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	forgiveness
garden	encountered the following key texts:	U2.4.1. Recognise what Jesus said on the cross about forgiveness and make simple	Kyrie Eleison
	• Jesus enters Jerusalem (Lk 19:28-38*)	connections with the belief that God always forgives us.	reconciliation
	• The last supper (Lk 22:7-23*, 28-34)	U2.4.2. Recognise that Lent is a time for reconciliation and forgiveness.	sin
	• The Crucifixion and death of Jesus (Lk 23:33-46*)	U2.4.3. Correctly use religious words and phrases when describing in an age-	
	• The angel's message (Lk 24:1-8*)	appropriate way the Sacrament of Reconciliation, making simple connections	
	• Peter at the tomb (Lk 24:9-12)	between the sacrament and a belief in God's forgiveness.	
	*Texts studied in Year One	U2.4.4. Correctly use religious words and phrases to talk about the symbols of light	
		and water in the Easter Vigil Mass.	
	Believe		
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	Discern	
	Church teaches:	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think creatively and	
	That Jesus gave us the Sacrament of Reconciliation to heal	critically about what they have studied, for example, through:	
	and restore our friendship with God and through this	D2.4.1. Looking at works of art to recall the story of Holy Week studied in the	
	ourselves.	previous year.	
	That Lent is a time of preparing our hearts and minds for	D2.4.2. Considering some examples of reconciliation and peacebuilding in art, e.g.,	
	Easter through reconciliation and forgiveness.	reconciliation outside Coventry Cathedral.	
	• The Easter Vigil Mass is the high point of the year and is rich	D2.4.3. Listening to different sung versions of the Kyrie Eleison and talking about what	
	in Symbols of light and darkness.	the words mean.	
		D2.4.4. Talking about links between the symbols of light and water at the Easter Vigil	
	Celebrate	and what the symbols remind them of, for example, the story of Creation, the	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	Sacrament of Baptism or Advent.	
	Some prayers and actions that are ways in which Catholics		
	turn back to God, in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, for	Respond	
	example, a simple Examen or an act of sorrow and in the		
	Penitential rite, for example, the Kyrie Eleison (Lord have	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	Mercy).	example by:	
	• Some simple words, actions, and symbols of the Easter Vigil,	R2.4.1. Thinking about what forgiveness means to them.	
	focusing on light and water	R2.4.2. Thinking about how making bad choices can harm themselves and others and	
		why saying	
	Live	sorry matters.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	R2.4.3. Reflecting on how Jesus teaches people to forgive.	
	• The importance of saying sorry to God and to others.		
	• That prayer can help people say sorry for their sins.		

	• That making bad choices damages relationships and damages them.		
Year 2	Knowledge Lenses	Expected Outcomes	
Branch 5 To the ends of the earth Example 1	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have revisited and encountered the following key texts: Jesus appears to the apostles and the Ascension (Lk 24:36-53) Pentecost and Peter talks to the crowd (Acts 2:1-9, 12-13) Conversion of Saul (Acts 9:1-19) Fruits of the Holy Spirit (Gal 5:22-23) Believe By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches: God is love. Love is God's first gift poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit. The fruits of the Spirit are the visible signs that a person is led by the Holy Spirit. The fruits of the Spirit are love, joy, peace, patience, , kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: In all prayers, Christians welcome the Holy Spirit and open their hearts to God. Christians pray to the Holy Spirit for help ('Come Holy Spirit'). Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: That there are different symbols of the Holy Spirit in art: wind, fire, and dove, e.g., Taizé, Marlene Scholz's 'Blessed Trinity'.	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U2.5.1. Sequence the events from the Resurrection of Jesus to the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. U2.5.2. Know that St Luke wrote a gospel containing an account of the life of Jesus and the Acts of the Apostles about the early Church. U2.5.3. Retell the story of the Conversion of Saul (Acts 9:1-19). U2.5.4. Recognise that the description of the fruits of the Spirit is taken from one of St Paul's letters (Gal: 5:22). U2.5.5. Recognise that Christians believe the Holy Spirit opens their heart to God, helping them to pray and develop habits of good behaviour towards themselves and other people. U2.5.6. Name the fruits of the Holy Spirit and make simple links between the lives of some saints or holy people and how the fruits of the Holy Spirit were shown in their lives. Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think creatively and critically about what they have studied, for example, through: D2.5.1. Saying what they wonder about the story of the appearance of the resurrected Jesus to the apostles and imagining how the apostles were feeling at the Ascension (Acts 1:6-11) or saying what they wonder about the story of Saul. D2.5.2. Saying what they wonder about the fruits of the Holy Spirit. D2.5.3. Sharing their personal response to different symbols of the Holy Spirit (wind, fire, dove) in art and say why they respond in that way, making links with images studied in previous branches (e.g., Taizé representations of the Holy Spirit, Marlene Scholz's 'Blessed Trinity'). D2.5.4. Listening to and asking questions about the stories and the example of a saint whose life shows examples of building peace in the world.	Love joy peace patience kindness generosity faithfulness gentleness self-control

	• The example of a saint who showed examples of peacebuilding in their lives, e.g., St Catherine of Siena, St Bernardine of Siena (IHS), StRita of Cascia, St John Henry Newman, Pope St Pius X, St Francis of Assisi. Some examples of saints and holy people who lived the fruits Of the Holy Spirit in their lives, e.g., St Oscar Romero, St Teresa of Avila	Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R2.5.1. Hearing the words of Come Holy Spirit and thinking about what it means to open your heart to God. R2.5.2. Considering why many people pray and share stories of prayer from different religious communities as appropriate. R2.5.3. Considering how the fruits of the Holy Spirit could transform their own lives and through them, help the lives of others in their family and wider community.	
Year 2	Knowledge Lenses	Expected Outcomes	Vocab
Branch 6 Dialogue and encounter Across the year pupils will study an aspect of each of the following faiths Judaism Sikhism Hinduism Islam	Dialogue By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered the following key text: • The parable of the Good Samaritan (Lk 10:25-37) By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches: • Christians should collaborate in service of humanity. By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know about Christianity locally through: • Learning about their local Christian community. • Learning about ways Christians where they live come together to support the local community. Encounter By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered the following: • Recognise links and simple connections between some Jewish religious laws, beliefs, worship, and life. (e.g., keeping the Sabbath day holy and how this is celebrated in the synagogue and in Jewish homes). • Recognise that most Jewish religious words are in Hebrew (the original language of the Torah and other sacred	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U2.6.1. Say what the story of the Good Samaritan teaches about how Christians should live. U2.6.2. Describe an initiative Christians work on together locally and globally in the service of others. U2.6.3. Make simple links and connections between some Jewish religious laws, beliefs, worship, and life (e.g., Keeping the Sabbath day holy and how this is celebrated in the synagogue and in Jewish homes). U2.6.4. Talk about respecting the beliefs of people from different communities in their local area. Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through: D2.6.1. Considering an answer, with relevant reasons, to the question 'Who is my neighbour?' D2.6.2. Exploring some examples of Hebrew calligraphy, for example, through the work of a sofer (scribe), and asking 'I wonder' questions about what they have seen. D2.6.3. Listening to the stories and experiences of others from different communities in the class and the wider community. Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:	Samaritan Sabbath Shabbat synagogue neighbour respect
	Jewish/Christian texts). • Listen to the religious experiences of others from different	R2.6.1. Reflecting on the question 'Who is my neighbour?' in their life and wondering about how they can act as a good Samaritan in their local community.	

communities in the class and the local area	R2.6.2. Reflecting on how communities could be transformed if people acted as good	
	neighbours.	

Year 3	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 1	Hear	Understand	Genesis poetry
Creation and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Creator image
Covenant	That the Creation stories in Genesis use symbolism to	U3.1.1. Revisit and remember the first Creation story from Genesis, recognising the	and likeness
	explain the	author's use of poetic language to describe how the world was formed.	dignity equality
	relationship between God, human beings, and the world.	U3.1.2. Encounter the belief that human beings are made 'in the image of God'	
	That in the first account of the Creation one day is 'made	(Gen 1:27) and talk about what this might mean.	
	holy' (Gen	U3.1.3. Make simple links between the first Creation story, the belief that all human	
	2:3).	beings are created equal, and an expression of the principle of Catholic Social	
	That the Church teaches that 'Creation is the common work	Teaching about human dignity.	
	of the Holy Trinity'.	U3.1.4. Describe stewardship by making simple links between Genesis 1:26-31 and	
	By the end of this unit of study pupils will have encountered	people's actions today (LS 88 on 'ecological virtues').	
	the following key texts:	U3.1.5. Using some religious vocabulary, describe how either a psalm or a prayer	
	• The first account of the Creation, Genesis 1:1-2:4.	they have studied praises Creation.	
	• Extracts from either Psalm 8 or 19 in praise of Creation.	U3.1.6. Recognise that in Laudato Si', Pope Francis teaches that human beings are	
	In an age-appropriate way, LS 66 and 88	called to have a loving relationship with God, with each other, and with the world	
		(see LS 66)	
	Believe	Discern	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	Church teaches:	creatively about	
	God is the Creator of the Universe who made everything out	what they have studied, for example, through:	
	of 'free and unselfish love' (YC 2).	D3.1.1. Imagining how caring for the world could change the world for the better.	
	That all human beings are made in God's image and all	D3.1.2. Thinking about how all people should be treated equally and giving reasons	
	people have dignity and are created equal.	that relate	
	A way in which human beings' image (imitate) God is	to the first Creation story (focusing on Genesis 1:26-31).	
	through care for each other, and that caring for Creation is one	D3.1.3. Suggesting meanings for an artistic expression of the goodness of Creation,	
	of the ways we care for each other. Additionally, failing to care	considering	
	for Creation is a way people turn away from God's love.	the maker's intention (e.g., St Francis of Assisi's Canticle of Creation).	
		D3.1.4. Wondering why the author of the first story of Creation suggests a holy day.	

	 The dignity of all human beings is one of the principles of Catholic Social Teaching. Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: Extracts from a psalm of Creation. How the praise of Creation is expressed in the prayer and Liturgy of the Church (e.g., St Francis's Canticle of the Creatures; the Offertory prayers; a Prayer for our Earth in Laudato Si'). 	Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R3.1.1. Making connections between experiences where people have not been treated equally and how this felt. R3.1.2. Spending time wondering about the blessings of Creation in their own lives. R3.1.3. Reflecting on the prayerful words studied that give thanks for Creation.	
	Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Ways in which we can show care for God's world (stewardship) as part of our care for each other. • Ways in which people can give thanks for the blessing of Creation, including spending time in prayer.		
Year 3	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 2	Hear	Understand	Mass
Prophecy and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Sunday
promise	Why Christians go to Mass on Sunday. Have Gath alian and always Mass.	U3.2.1. Recognise that Sunday is a holy day for Christians, making simple links	Advent
	How Catholics celebrate Mass. For Advent:	between the story	Joseph
	1 01 7 101 01101	of Creation (Gen 1:1-2:4) and Sunday as a day of rest. U3.2.2. Give a simple description of how Catholics celebrate the Mass.	angel Liturgy of the
	Messiah would be born of a virgin and would be called Immanuel (Is	U3.2.3. Give a simple description of now Catholics celebrate the Mass. U3.2.3. Give simple descriptions of some special prayers, signs, and actions	Word
	7:14).	performed in church	VVOIG
	• The Annunciation to Joseph (Matt 1:18-25).	and at Mass using religious language, focusing on the Liturgy of the Word.	
	• Revisit Lk 1:26-38.	U3.2.4. Recognise how Joseph puts his trust in God when the angel appears.	
		U3.2.5. Make links between the angel's message about Jesus and the words of the	
	Believe	prophet	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	Isaiah.	
	Church teaches:	U3.2.6. Recall that angels bring God's message in the gospels of St Matthew and St	
	• Sunday is the day of the Resurrection of Jesus. Therefore,	Luke	
	Christians gather on Sunday.	Discern	
		By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about	

	 Catholics gather to celebrate Mass where they listen to the words of holy scripture (the Liturgy of the Word) and meet Jesus in Holy Communion (the Liturgy of the Eucharist). The Liturgy of the Word includes readings from the Old Testament and the New Testament. That Jesus birth was foretold by the prophets. That Joseph listened to the angel and opened his heart to the Holy Spirit Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: How Catholics use some signs, actions, prayers, and symbols to celebrate Mass, e.g., the sign of the cross, bells, the Kyrie Eleison prayer, etc. Hear some of the responses Catholics say at Mass, focusing on the Liturgy of the Word. How Advent hymns celebrate Jesus as the coming Messiah (e.g., O Little town of Bethlehem; Long ago prophets knew; O come, divine Messiah; O come, O come Emmanuel). Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: Some ways that Christians prepare for the coming of Christ during Advent. Representations in art around the world, connecting to the prophecies of Christ's coming. 	what they have studied, for example, through: D3.2.1. Talking, asking, and answering questions about their experiences of liturgies and the Mass. D3.2.2. Considering how Catholics use some prayers, signs, actions, and symbols during Mass and make links between beliefs and action. D3.2.3. Talking, asking, and answering questions about Joseph and Mary trusting in God. D3.2.4. Comparing and making simple links between the signs used in Advent and Christmas and their meaning for Christians Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R3.2.1. Responding creatively to the words of an Advent hymn, work of art, prayer, or poem that connects to the message of the angels. R3.2.2. Reflecting on what Sunday Mass means for Christians.	
Year 3	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 3 Galilee to Jerusalem	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: Miracles, either: • Cure of the centurion's servant (Matt 8:5-13) or • Cure of a paralytic (Matt 9:1-8) Parables, either: • Parable of the Sower (Matt 13:4-9)	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U3.3.1. Retell, in any form, the visit of the Magi and explain what the visit of the Magi and the gifts they bring show us about Jesus. U3.3.2. Show a simple understanding of what the kingdom of God is and is not. U3.3.3. Show a simple understanding of a miracle of Jesus (either Matt 8:5-13 or Matt 9:1-8) showing that it is a sign of the kingdom and the compassion of Jesus. U3.3.4. Show knowledge of two parables of Jesus, making links between them, to show some understanding of what the kingdom of God is like.	Kingdom of God miracle parable Magi Adoration Epiphany

	 Parable of the Sower explained (Matt 13:10-17) or Parable of the yeast (Matt 13:33) or Parable of the treasure and of the pearl (Matt 13:44-46) For Epiphany: The visit of the Magi (Matt 2:1-12) Believe By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches: The Adoration of the Magi shows that all people are seeking Jesus and he comes for the whole world. The kingdom of God begins in all those who open their hearts to God's love. The miracles that Jesus worked expressed his love for all people and were signs that the kingdom of God was beginning. Jesus' parables to show the choices people must make to accept his invitation to the kingdom. Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: Praying the 'Our Father' helps Christians to continue to build the kingdom begun with Jesus. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: About the life of a saint who worked to build the kingdom of God. 	U3.3.5. Retell one of Jesus' parables, making simple links between the chosen parable and Jesus' message about the kingdom of God. U3.3.6. Recall the 'Our Father' prayer and make simple links between the prayer and building the kingdom. Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through: D3.3.1. Asking and answering questions about the feelings of the characters in one of the stories studied. D3.3.2. Reflecting on how Jesus teaches what the kingdom of God is like, including thinking about the 'Our Father' prayer. D3.3.3. Reflecting on how people need to change their behaviour to show their commitment to building the kingdom, comparing responses and asking questions about other people's responses Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R3.3.1. Considering how people could build the kingdom with reference to the life of a saint. R3.3.2. Showing understanding of how people would behave in the kingdom of God and reflect on what that might mean for them.	
Year 3	God. Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 4	Hear	Understand	Mass sacrament
Desert to	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following		Eucharist Last
garden	key texts: • The miracle of the loaves (Matt 14: 13-21). • The last supper (The institution of the Eucharist) (Matt 26: 26-29).	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U3.4.1. Retell in any form the story of the feeding of the five thousand. U3.4.2. Recall the words and actions of Jesus at the last supper and make simple links with his words and actions in the miracle of the loaves.	Supper communion

• Extracts from a Eucharistic Prayer.

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

• At the Last Supper Jesus showed his love by giving the gift of himself transformed into bread and wine. He made his apostles priests of his promise when he told them to 'Do this in remembrance

of me' (1 Cor 11:23-25, Eucharistic prayer).

- Catholics gather to celebrate Mass where they listen to the words of holy scripture (the Liturgy of the Word) and meet Jesus in Holy Communion (the Liturgy of the Eucharist). By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches that:
- A sacrament is a meeting point where people are blessed by God and become closer to the community of the Church.
- The Eucharist is a sacrament in which Jesus offers his life for the salvation of the world. He is present in Holy Communion to be received by those who believe.
- That at the Last Supper Jesus instituted the Eucharist.
- People give themselves to Jesus when they receive the Eucharist (Holy Communion).

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- Some prayers and responses Catholics say during Mass.
- Some prayers and responses Catholics sing during the Eucharistic Prayer.
- Some ways people celebrate their first Eucharist (First Holy Communion).

Live

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

• The ways in which Catholics are called to live Eucharist by following the example of Jesus.

U3.4.3. Describe how Jesus showed his love at the Last Supper and how he shares this love when people celebrate their first Eucharist.

U3.4.4. Make links between the story of the Last Supper and the Mass, giving reasons for these links.

U3.4.5. Recognise that the Church teaches that the Eucharist is the meeting point where God gives himself to communicants as food; they receive the Body of Christ and become ever more

united in his Body the Church (YCfK 74).

U3.4.6. Describe, with increasing detail and accuracy, the prayers, religious signs, and actions of the Mass, focusing on the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

U3.4.7. Give reasons for actions and symbols used in the Mass and make links between beliefs and actions.

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:

D3.4.1. Wondering about the words of the offertory prayer and the story of Creation.

D3.4.2. Exploring some different cultural practices associated with Holy Week.

Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

R3.4.1. Reflecting on the Catholic belief that Jesus gives himself in Holy Communion.

R3.4.2. Talking about the experience of Mass with Catholics and asking questions about their experiences and feelings.

R3.4.3. Reflecting on what their learning means for their life.

	• Some different cultural practices associated with Holy Week (e.g., Maundy money in the UK, Green Thursday in Germany).		
Year 3	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Pear 3 Branch 5 To the ends of the earth	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: Road to Emmaus (Lk 24:13-35) The mission to the world (Matt 28:16-20) The group of apostles (Mary) (Acts 1:12-14) Early Church (Acts 2:42-47) Paul's Letter to the Corinthians (1 Cor 11:23-27) Believe By the end of this unit of study, students will know that the Church teaches that: The disciples recognised Jesus when he breaks the bread. At Mass, what we eat looks like bread, but it is Jesus who comes, the living God. The bread is the Body of Christ. There is only one God, who is three Persons. God is a community within himself: an eternal exchange of love between Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We call this mystery the Trinity. Through Mary, the Holy Spirit guided the first disciples. She continues to guide our prayers. Mass was celebrated in the early Church Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: That the sign of the cross is the shortest summary of the Christian faith. That some prayers that reference the Trinity and the work of the Holy Spirit. That the celebration of Mass ends by reminding Christians of Jesus' instruction to make disciples of all nations.	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U3.5.1. Make links between the Scripture sources (Lk 24:13-35 and Matt 28:16-20) and what happens at Mass. U3.5.2. Use religious language to describe the Christian belief in the mystery of God as Trinity and describe some signs and symbols of the Holy Trinity (e.g., Jesus called the disciples to 'make disciples of all nations' in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Christians make the sign of the cross as a prayerful reminder of their baptism through the Holy Spirit to be children of God and participants in the Christian community). U3.5.3. Know some of the prayers of the Catholic Church which express belief in the Trinity and the Holy Spirit, e.g., Glory Be, Come Holy Spirit. U3.5.4. Recognise that Mary joins the disciples in prayer and make simple links with how Catholics ask for Mary's prayers. U3.5.5. Make connections with the life of the early Church and Catholics gathering for Mass today. U3.5.6. Recall that we learn about the life of Jesus in the gospels, the work of the disciples in the Acts and learn that Paul wrote letters to the early Christian communities. Know that these are different ways of writing (literary forms). Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through: D3.5.1. Saying what they wonder about the story of Emmaus and when the disciples recognised Jesus. D3.5.2. Asking and responding to questions about how the disciples felt after the Ascension and before Pentecost, noticing the role of Mary. D3.5.3. Exploring some different symbols of the Trinity and talking about what they represent e.g., by visiting their local church.	Emmaus Holy Spirit Pentecost concluding rite St Paul Discipleship

	Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • That being a Christian means to share the gospel. • That Christians today continue to follow the example of the apostles and early Church when they gather to say Mass. • How the Emmaus story is represented in art (e.g., Caravaggio's Supper at Emmaus; Maximino Cerezo Barredo, Emmaus Triptych 2014; He Qi, The Road to Emmaus, Supper at Emmaus). • That the mystery of the Trinity is represented symbolically, e.g., Trinity knot.	R3.5.1. Reflecting on how the Holy Spirit helped the disciples and relating this to the possibilities in their lives, giving examples. R3.5.2. Talking about their own and others' experiences and feelings about what it means for a Christian to share the gospel.	
Year 3	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 6 Dialogue and	Dialogue By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Passover unleavened
encounter	the following key text: • Exodus 12:1-8,15-20, 13:3	U3.6.1. Make links between Exodus (12:1-8,15-20, 13:3) and the account of the Last Supper in Luke (22:14-23).	Exodus Muslim
Across the year	• Lk 22:14-23	U3.6.2. Simply describe how Jewish people celebrate the Passover in Britain today	Islam
pupils will study	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	making links with the Exodus account, correctly using specialist vocabulary to	Ramadan
an aspect of each of the	Church teaches:	describe symbols and actions in the meal.	Sawm
following faiths	 For Christians, the Eucharist is linked with the Jewish celebration of Passover. 	U3.6.3. Make simple links and connections between some Islamic religious laws, beliefs, worship, and life (e.g., belief in one God, the Creator, the significance of	adhan
Judaism	Encounter	Muhammed, importance of the will of God, etc.).	
Sikhism	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered	Discern	
Hinduism	the following:	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
Islam	• Some simple facts about how the Jewish festival of the	creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:	
	Passover is celebrated by Jews in Britain today.	D3.6.1. Wondering why Jesus chose to celebrate the Last Supper on the feast of the	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered	Passover.	
	the following:	D3.6.2. Exploring some examples of Islamic art or religious music, for example,	
	Recognise links and simple connections between some	Islamic calligraphy or the adhan and ask 'I wonder' questions about what they have	
	Islamic religious laws, beliefs, worship, and life (e.g., belief in	seen.	
	one God, the Creator, the significance of Muhammed, importance of the will of	D3.6.3. Listening to the stories and experiences of those from the Jewish or Islamic communities in the class or the wider community and ask questions about their	
	God etc.).	laws, beliefs, worship, or life.	
	Recognise the importance of artistic expressions of belief in	Respond	
	Islam, for example, in Islamic art or religious music	Порони	

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for
example by:
R3.6.1. Reflecting on the meaning of what they have learned for their own lives.
R3.6.2. Talking, asking, and answering questions with others about their beliefs,
experiences, and feelings, recognising the ways in which this could influence the
way they live.

Year 4	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 1	Hear	Understand	covenant
Creation and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following		Abraham
Covenant	key	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Sarah
	texts:	U4.1.1. Show some understanding of the historical context of Abraham (and	Isaac
	• The story of Abraham, focusing on the following key texts:	Joseph) and the	Joseph
	• The call of Abram (Gen 12:1-5)	cultural and religious context out of which he was called.	forgiveness
	The Abrahamic covenant (Gen 15:1-6)	U4.1.2. Retell the story of Abraham, ensuring it is accurate in sequence and detail	virtue
	Abraham and Sarah (Gen 18:1-15)	and shows an understanding of the term 'covenant'.	faith
	Abraham and Isaac (Gen 22:1-18)	U4.1.3. Show an understanding of the story of Abraham and Isaac (Genesis 22:1-	hope
	• (Optional) The story of Joseph, focusing on the following	18), recognising the importance of historical context in explaining the meaning of	love
	key texts:153	this story then and now.	
	• Gen: 37:2-35, 41:1-42, 44:1-17, 33-34, 45:1-5, 16-20	U4.1.4. Recognise that God's covenant with Abraham is the foundation of the faith	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know some facts	of the people of the Old and New Testaments: Judaism and Christianity.	
	about:	U4.1.5. Show some understanding of how the decisions of Abraham (and Joseph)	
	The historical, cultural, and religious context out of which	were informed by their faith, hope, and love in God.	
	Abraham was called.	U4.1.6. Make links between prayers that show trust in God and the virtues of faith,	
	The importance of understanding historical context to	hope, and love.	
	appreciate the literal sense of biblical stories	Discern	
	Believe	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	By the end of this unit of study, students will know that the	creatively about	
	Church teaches that:	what they have studied, for example, through:	

	 God's covenant with Abraham is the foundation of the faith of the people of the Old and New Testaments: Judaism and Christianity Faith is believing in God, trusting what God reveals, and following God's loving purpose to live a good life. Through living out virtues of faith, hope, and love (sometimes referred to as charity), Christians are drawn into a closer relationship with the Holy Trinity. Abraham is a model of how to pray Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: Age-appropriate extracts from prayers of faith in God from the Catholic tradition. (For example, Ps 40:1, the St Therese prayer, 'May today there be peace within', St John Henry Newman's 'Mission of my Life', Bl Charles de Foucauld's 'Prayer of Abandonment'.) Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: The virtues of faith, hope, and love. The life and work of a person who was an example of faith made active in love, e.g., the intervention of Cardinal Manning in the London dockworker's strike. 	D4.1.1. Describing and explaining the virtues: faith, hope, and love making links between these virtues of and the life of a person who was an example of faith made active in love (e.g., the intervention of Cardinal Manning in the London dockworker's strike in 1889). D4.1.2. Explaining why they think Abraham is seen as a model of prayer. Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R4.1.1. Considering how their own lives and the lives of their communities could be transformed by the virtues of faith, hope, and love. R4.1.2. Reflecting on how the virtues of faith, hope and love help them to be a good neighbour. R4.1.3. Reflecting on the challenges and blessings Abraham (and Joseph) experienced and how their faith played a part in how they reacted.	
Year 4	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 2 Prophecy and promise	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: • The miracle of the flour and the oil (1 Kings 17:7-14) • Elijah's encounter with God: the journey 1 Kings 19:4-8, The meeting: 1 Kings 19:9-15 • The preaching of John the Baptist (Matt 3:1-12 and Mk 1:1-8)	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U4.2.1. Describe what a prophet is drawing on Elijah and John the Baptist as examples. U4.2.2. Show some understanding of the cultural and religious context of Elijah's time and why people needed to be reminded of God's covenant. U4.2.3. Compare the description of John the Baptist in Mark and Matthew's accounts and describe the beliefs about John the Baptist the gospel writers show.	Advent prophet Elijah John the Baptist Jesse tree Christ the King

Branch 3	Hear	Understand	
Year 4	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
	How some artists have depicted Jesus Christ as King.		
	world, connecting to God's plan for salvation.		
	identifying its meaning and representation in art around the		
	How Christians use the Jesse tree during Advent,		
	Advent.		
	How Christians prepare for the coming of Christ during		
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:		
	Live		
	• 'He will come again in glory' from the Nicene Creed.	their ideas.	
	• The Jesse tree.	R4.2.2. Reflecting on what it means to be a good leader and talk to others about	
	• The Feast of Christ the King.	R4.2.1. Reflecting on how Elijah and John the Baptist's words speak to people today.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	example by:	
	Celebrate	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	Offiverse.	Respond	
	Universe.		
	 Advent is a time of preparation for Jesus' incarnation at Christmas and for the second coming as King of the 	the artist's choices, give reasons for their personal preference and compare their ideas with others.	
	coming of Jesus alongside preparing for Christmas.	reasons for	
	In the Advent liturgies, Christians pray for the second	D4.2.3. Responding to a variety of artistic ways in Christ the King portrayed. Suggest	
	John the Baptist is sent to prepare the way for Jesus.	for their answers.	
	coming of the Messiah in people's hearts.	D4.2.2. Talking about the type of king they think Jesus would be and give reasons	
	For Christians, the prophets awaken an expectation of the	preference.	
	Church teaches that:	Suggest reasons for the artist's choices and give reasons for their personal	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	D4.2.1. Responding to a variety of artistic ways in which the Jesse tree is portrayed.	
	Believe	creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:	
		By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	What is meant by 'prophecy'		
	appreciate the literal sense of biblical stories.	Discern	
	The importance of understanding historical context to	U4.2.6. Makes links with the ancestry of Jesus and the Jesse tree	
	about:	and describe what is celebrated.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know some facts	U4.2.5. Know that the feast of Christ the King marks the end of the Church's year	
	• The ancestry of Jesus (Matt 1:1-17)	the season of Advent.	
	• Isaiah 40:3 (contained within the gospel accounts)	U4.2.4. Make links with the words of Isaiah, the preaching of John the Baptist, and	
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Galilee to

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts:

- Peter's mother-in-law and casting out devils (Matt 8:14-17)
- Cure of the woman with a haemorrhage. The official's daughter raised to life (Matt 9:18-26) or Cure of two blind men and cure of a demoniac (Matt 9:27-34)
- The Baptist's question (Matt 11:1-15)
- Jesus walks on the water and, with him, Peter (Matt 14:22-33)
- Peter's profession of faith (Matt 16:13-26) By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know some facts about:
- The importance of understanding historical context and cultural values at the time of the gospels.

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, students will know that the Church teaches that:

- Jesus is the Messiah/Christ but in a way that subverted the expectations of those of his
- own day: Jesus comes as a suffering servant, not a triumphant king.
- Jesus is fully God and fully human. We call this belief the incarnation.
- Jesus reveals the kind of messiah he is by showing that God's Kingdom includes those who are excluded by society.
- Jesus showed compassionate healing in mind and body through his ministry and continues to do so through His Body, the Church, especially in the sacraments, such as the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Anointing of the Sick.

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

• Why Catholics pray the Creed at Mass.

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:

U4.3.1. Show understanding of why some people gave Jesus the title 'Christ' (the anointed one) by making links with the Scripture studied.

U4.3.2. Make links between Jesus' speech to John the Baptist's followers and signs that he is the Messiah.

U4.3.3. Show understanding of the belief that Jesus reveals the kind of messiah he is by showing that God's Kingdom includes those who are excluded by society, making relevant links to the Scripture studied.

U4.3.4. Using some religious vocabulary, describe the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Sacrament of the Sick.

U4.3.5. Make relevant links between the belief in that Jesus is the Messiah and the Nicene Creed (specifically Articles 2-4) and suggest why Catholics say this prayer. U4.3.6. Describe the work of a person or organisation who has been inspired by Jesus to work with those marginalised by societal attitudes to illness making links with the virtues of faith, hope, and love.

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about

what they have studied, for example, through:

D4.3.1. Thinking about and discussing answers to Jesus' question, 'Who do you say I am?', consider the response of Peter and the response of Christians today.

D4.3.2. Considering the claim 'The miracles that Jesus worked were signs that the Kingdom of God was beginning. They expressed his love for humankind and reaffirmed his mission' (YOUCAT 91), expressing a point of view, supported by relevant reasons, in response to this statement.

Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

R4.3.1. Reflecting on those that society excludes today and consider how they could show love for these people as Jesus did.

R4.3.2. Considering how Jesus serves others and discussing how Christians can follow this example today. What could this mean for their lives and the lives of their local communities?

Messiah Christ incarnation kingdom Sacrament of the Sick Nicene Creed marginalised

No. 10 A	How Catholics experience God's forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation and through it are reconciled with their community and how the Anointing of the Sick brings God's strength to help those who are sick. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: How the work of a person or organisation who has been inspired by Jesus, work with those marginalised by societal attitudes to illness (e.g., St Francis Leprosy Guild, St Damien of Molokai, Ruth Pfau, Catholics for AIDS prevention and Support (CAPS), Sr Julie Driscoll and the House of Ruth).		
Year 4	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 4	Hear	Understand	Lent Holy Week
Desert to garden	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	,
	key	U4.4.1. Retell, with increasing detail, the parable of the prodigal son, and make	parable sin
	texts:	simple connections with Christian beliefs about God's mercy and forgiveness.	
	• The lost son (the prodigal) and the dutiful son (Lk 15:11-	U4.4.2. Make simple connections with the Judgement of Nations parable and the	forgiveness
	32)	Christian belief that helping others is part of loving God.	mercy
	• The Judgement of the Nations (sheep and goats) (Matt	U4.4.3. Correctly sequence the events of Holy Week, describing some of the	
	25:31-46)The events of Holy Week from the gospel of Matthew	different reactions to Jesus during the events of Holy Week and how they speak to Christians today.	
	Entry into Jerusalem (Matt 21:1-11), Judas' betrayal (Matt	U4.4.4. Retell the story of St Peter during Holy Week.	
	26:14), the	U4.4.5. Correctly use developing specialist vocabulary to name and describe the	
	Passover and Peter's denial foretold (Matt 26:17-35) Jesus	corporal works of mercy, making links with the Judgements of the Nations parable.	
	prays (Matt 26:36-46) the betrayal and arrest of Jesus (Matt	U4.4.6. Make simple connections between belonging to the Church and living out	
	26:47-56), Peter's denials (Matt 26:69-75), Pilate questions	the 'Works of Mercy' in support of those in need (for example, giving alms in Lent	
	Jesus (Matt 27:11- 14),the Crucifixion (Matt 27:32-44), the	or praying for someone who	
	death of Jesus (Matt 27:45- 56) and the Burial of Jesus (Matt	is sad).	
	27:57-61)*	Discern	
	'	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	Believe	creatively about	

	• The lost son (the prodigal) and the dutiful son (Lk 15:11-32)	simple connections with Christian beliefs about God's mercy and forgiveness.	mercy
To the ends of the earth	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts:	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U4.4.1. Retell, with increasing detail, the parable of the prodigal son, and make	parable sin forgiveness
Branch 5	Hear	Understand	Lent Holy Week
Year 4	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
	oppressed by poverty (e.g., St Damien of Molokai, Ruth Pfau, National Justice and Peace Network, CAFOD).		
	and/or the love for those		
	(historical or contemporary) lives out the works of mercy		
	How the life and work of a person or organisation		
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • The corporal and spiritual acts of mercy.		
	Live		
	celebration of Jesus' passion, death, and resurrection.		
	Holy Week begins on Palm Sunday and marks the annual	and, and and an analytimed by the defined about to give hear.	
	time or money to those in need).	they belong could be transformed by what they have learned about forgiveness.	
	example, by praying for someone who is sad, practising patience, fasting, or giving	help with this, for example, caring for the most vulnerable in their communities. R4.4.3. Considering how their own lives and the future of the communities to which	
	That Lent is a time to live out the works of mercy (for	to be better people and discuss how focusing on one of the acts of mercy could	
	people.	R4.4.2. Reflecting on what it is they need to change about themselves during Lent	
	The works of mercy show Christians how to treat other	the inspiration they offer for their life.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	poverty and	
	Celebrate	R4.4.1. Reflecting on how the life and work of a person or organisation (historical or contemporary) lives out the works of mercy and/or the love for those oppressed by	
	good works	example by:	
	God with their whole heart and expressing this love through	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	• Lent is a time for Christians to make a new start by loving	Respond	
	who is love.	'Works of Mercy'.	
	virtues of faith, hope, and love have their foundations in God	D4.4.3. Making connections between being a Christian and choosing to live out the	
	sins. • When people love God, they want to help others as the	are like sheep and the people who are like goats in the Judgement of Nations.	
	God loves everyone. He can and wants to forgive people's	a promise. D4.4.2. Expressing a point of view about the difference between the people who	
	Church teaches that:	made him feel making connections with when they have let people down or broken	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	D4.4.1. Considering why St Peter might have turned away from Jesus and how that	

- The Judgement of the Nations (sheep and goats) (Matt 25:31-46)
- The events of Holy Week from the gospel of Matthew Entry into Jerusalem (Matt 21:1-11), Judas' betrayal (Matt 26:14), the Passover and Peter's denial foretold (Matt 26:17-35) Jesus prays

(Matt 26:36-46) the betrayal and arrest of Jesus (Matt 26:47-56), Peter's denials (Matt 26:69-75), Pilate questions Jesus (Matt 27:11-

14), the Crucifixion (Matt 27:32-44), the death of Jesus (Matt 27:45-56) and the Burial of Jesus (Matt 27:57-61)*

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches that:

- God loves everyone. He can and wants to forgive people's sins.
- When people love God, they want to help others as the virtues of faith, hope, and love have their foundations in God who is love.
- Lent is a time for Christians to make a new start by loving God with their whole heart and expressing this love through good works.

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- The works of mercy show Christians how to treat other people.
- That Lent is a time to live out the works of mercy (for example, by praying for someone who is sad, practising patience, fasting, or giving time or money to those in need).
- Holy Week begins on Palm Sunday and marks the annual celebration of Jesus' passion, death, and resurrection.

U4.4.2. Make simple connections with the Judgement of Nations parable and the Christian belief that helping others is part of loving God.

U4.4.3. Correctly sequence the events of Holy Week, describing some of the different reactions to Jesus during the events of Holy Week and how they speak to Christians today.

U4.4.4. Retell the story of St Peter during Holy Week.

U4.4.5. Correctly use developing specialist vocabulary to name and describe the corporal works of mercy, making links with the Judgements of the Nations parable. U4.4.6. Make simple connections between belonging to the Church and living out the 'Works of Mercy' in support of those in need (for example, giving alms in Lent or praying for someone who is sad).

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:

D4.4.1. Considering why St Peter might have turned away from Jesus and how that made him feel making connections with when they have let people down or broken a promise.

D4.4.2. Expressing a point of view about the difference between the people who are like sheep and the people who are like goats in the Judgement of Nations.

D4.4.3. Making connections between being a Christian and choosing to live out the 'Works of Mercy'

Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

R4.4.1. Reflecting on how the life and work of a person or organisation (historical or contemporary) lives out the works of mercy and/or the love for those oppressed by poverty and the inspiration they offer for their life.

R4.4.2. Reflecting on what it is they need to change about themselves during Lent to be better people and discuss how focusing on one of the acts of mercy could help with this, for example, caring for the most vulnerable in their communities. R4.4.3. Considering how their own lives and the future of the communities to which they belong could be transformed by what they have learned about forgiveness.

Live

	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • The corporal and spiritual acts of mercy. • How the life and work of a person or organisation (historical or contemporary) lives out the works of mercy and/or the love for those oppressed by poverty (e.g., St Damien of Molokai, Ruth Pfau, National Justice and Peace Network, CAFOD).		
Year 4	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 6	Dialogue	Understand	Damascus
Dialogue and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Liturgy
encounter	key	U4.6.1. Describe some facts about the life of St Paul and explain why he is an	rite
	texts:	important figure for Christians.	Christian
Across the year	• The road to Damascus (Acts 9:3-9, 17-19)	U4.6.2. Make links between Cor 13:1-7, 13 and the theological virtues.	Islam
pupils will study	• The first letter to the Corinthians (1 Cor 13:1-7,13)	U4.6.3. Recount some facts about a different liturgical rite within the Catholic	Five Pillars of
an aspect of each	Teachers should choose additional texts about the mission of	Church.	Islam
of the following	St Paul, for example,:	U4.6.4. Recognise some reasons why different liturgical traditions arose in different	Shahada,
faiths	Paul's speech before the Council of the Areopagus (Acts	parts of the world.	Salah, Sawm,
	17:22-26, 28-29)	U4.6.5. Describe some ways Christians in their local area work together for the	Zakat, and Hajj
Judaism	Galatians 1:11-24	benefit of the whole community (or the common good).	Common good
Sikhism	• 2 Cor 11:22-23	U4.6.6. Describe the five pillars of Islam and why they are an important part of	
Hinduism	• Galatians 3:27-28	Islamic faith and religious practice for British Muslims today.	
Islam	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:		
	There are different traditions in the Liturgy of the Church*	Discern	
	Some simple facts about a different liturgical tradition in	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	the	creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:	
	Church, for example, some prayers or artistic traditions,	D4.6.1. Looking at how a range of artists show St Paul's encounter with Jesus and	
	reflecting a	discuss which one they prefer, giving relevant reasons for their opinion.	
	community in their local area where possible.	D4.6.2. Exploring some examples of art or music from a different Catholic	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know some ways	community, for example, icons of the Coptic Church, and asking questions about	
	in which	what they have noticed.	
	Christians work together for the common good.	D4.6.3. Listening to the stories and experiences of others from different Christian	
	Encounter	communities in the class and the wider community and asking questions about	
	Encounter Know some facts about the five pillars of Islam.	their beliefs, worship, or life.	
	Now some facts about the five pillars of Islam. Understand some ways Muslims in Britain today live out	Respond	
	their beliefs.	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	their beliefs.	example by:	

R4.6.1. Discussing the meaning of what they have learned for their own lives. R4.6.2. Talking, asking, and answering questions with others about their beliefs, experiences, and feelings, recognising the ways in which this could change the way they live and the relationships in their local communities.	
R4.6.3. Reflecting on what they can learn from the stories of families from different Christian traditions or who follow different liturgical traditions.	

Year 5	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 1	Hear	Understand	covenant
Creation and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Moses
Covenant	key texts:	U5.1.1. Retell the Moses story, focusing on the two key events of the call and the	Exodus
	The Moses story, focusing on the two key events of the call	covenant (the Burning Bush (Ex 3:1-15); the Sinai covenant and the Ten	Sinai
	and the	Commandments (Ex 19:3-8, 20:1-17)).	Commandments
	covenant:	U5.1.2. Make links between the Ten Commandments and Jesus' summary of the	virtues
	• The Burning Bush (Ex 3:1-15)	law in Matthew's Gospel (22:36-40).	grace
	• The Sinai covenant and the Ten Commandments (Ex 19:3-8,	U5.1.3. Correctly use developing specialist vocabulary to describe what a	
	20:1- 17)	covenant is, recognising that God made several covenants throughout history,	
	• Jesus' summary of the law (Matt 22:36-40)	e.g., with Noah, Abraham, and Moses.	
		U5.1.4. Use developing specialist vocabulary to show how the Ten	
	Believe	Commandments help human beings live good and happy lives.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	U5.1.5. Correctly use developing specialist vocabulary to describe sin as	
	Church	deliberately spoiling our friendship with God and each other.	
	teaches that:	U5.1.6. Know that a virtue is a positive habit that helps people live a good life.	
	A covenant is a binding agreement between God and	Discern	
	human beings, which makes them his people.		
	God made several covenants throughout history – with	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	Noah, Abraham, Moses, and David.	creatively	
	God gives the Ten Commandments to help human beings	about what they have studied, for example, through:	
	live good and happy lives.	D5.1.1. Playing with possibilities, asking questions about the Ten	
	That Jesus teaches that the most important	Commandments, such as What does 'you shall not steal' mean? Or what if there	
	commandments are to love God and to love other people.	were eleven Commandments?	
	Catholic Social Teaching helps us to see that loving our	D5.1.2. Expressing a point of view about what are positive habits (virtues) and	
	neighbour demands a commitment to social change and	negative habits and how virtues might help them grow in goodness.	

	transformation: 'We profoundly belong together and are fundamentally dependent on one another'. (YC 321) Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • That sin is the deliberate spoiling of our friendship with God and each other. • We can develop habits that will help us accomplish what is good. These habits are called virtues. • Virtues are practical wisdom (prudence), justice, fortitude, and temperance (also known as the cardinal virtues). Through God's grace we can enjoy the theological virtues of faith, hope, and love. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • Examples of acting with great love (e.g., Little Way week shows the importance of doing small things with great love). • What growing in virtue could mean in their school (e.g., Jesuit Pupil Profile, Virtues to Live By (Diocese of Leeds)).	D5.1.3. Discussing what loving our neighbour means for Christians today, for example, welcoming asylum seekers and refugees. Express a point of view and give reasons relating to the Church's teaching on the common good and love of neighbour. Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R5.1.1. Reflecting on the words and images used to describe Moses' encounter with God. R5.1.2. Reflecting on what makes them truly happy. R5.1.3. Discussing and dialoguing with others about how rules can help people be happy (YCfK 110). R5.1.4. Reflecting on their habits and where they could 'grow in virtue' to be better neighbours.	
Year 5 Branch 2 Prophecy and promise	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: • Scripture passages that speak of David's life and importance: • 1 Samuel 16:1-13: anointing of David (a great king) • 1 Samuel 17:1-11, 32-54: David and Goliath • 2 Samuel 5:1-5: David becomes king • 2 Samuel 7: 8-15 God's covenant with David • 1 Kings 2:1-4, 10-12: David's death • Psalm 21:1-7, Psalm 23 Scripture passages that speak of Jesus' as the fulfilment of the promise to David (e.g., Matt 1:1-17; Lk 1:32-33).	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U5.2.1. Show an understanding of scripture passages that speak of David's life, recognising the intended audience and the historical context. U5.2.2. Show an understanding of some gospel passages that present Jesus as the fulfilment of the promise to David (Matt 1:1-17; Lk 1:32-33), recognising the gospel writers are writing for Christians. Recognise links with God's covenant with Abraham. U5.2.3. Use specialist vocabulary to describe and explain the nature of David's kingship in the Old Testament, with reference to the passages that speak of David's kingship and Psalm 21:1-7. U5.2.4. Recognise that David is a model of prayer, referencing one of the psalms. U5.2.5. Know that the Rosary is a prayerful reflection on the life of Christ and explain what the joyful mysteries remember.	Samuel David anointing antiphon psalm Advent

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches that:

- There were great kings anointed and chosen in the Old Testament.
- God chooses in unexpected ways and especially values those the world overlooks. David, the shepherd was called by God to become a servant king.
- David became a great king and united his people who loved him (see Psalm 21:1-7).
- For Christians, Jesus fulfils the promises made to David.

Psalms are part of the Church's treasury of prayers. In praying psalms David is a model of prayer.

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- •Some words of Psalm 23 to speak or sing.
- •The links between the O antiphons and the Evening Prayer of the Church (Vespers) for 17-23 December.
- The verses of the hymn 'O Come, O Come Emmanuel' as expressions of beliefs about who Jesus is.
- The joyful mysteries of the Rosary: the Annunciation, the Visitation, the Nativity of our Lord, the Presentation of the Child Jesus in the Temple, and the Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple.

Live

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- Psalms are an ancient way of prayer that are still prayed every day.
- How the O Antiphons are expressed in art from around the world (e.g., illuminated manuscripts, sung versions of the O Antiphons).

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:

D5.2.1. Playing with possibilities, asking 'what if?' questions that explore why God especially values those the world overlooks. For example, what if Samuel had followed his own judgement rather than God's in choosing a king? What is the possibility of those values being overlooked in today's communities? D5.2.2. Wondering about the imagery of shepherd used in the scripture passages studied and explore how it helps them, as readers, understand servant leadership.

D5.2.3. Exploring artistic representations of the O Antiphons, describe what they represent, and say which they prefer, giving reasons for their choice

Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

R5.2.1. Reflecting on your understanding of David and the idea of a leader as a shepherd. R5.2.2. Talking with others about their ideas about leadership, thinking about what it means to be a good shepherd today.

R5.2.3. Considering how their own lives and the future of the communities to which they belong could be transformed by offering their own lives in service to others, as part of their preparation during Advent.

	How the O Antiphons are used by Christians to reflect on the significance of Jesus and his coming at Christmas (e.g., The O Antiphons, by Ansgar Holmberg C.S.J.).		
Year 5	Knowledge lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 3 Galilee to Jerusalem	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: The Beatitudes from the Sermon on the Mount (Matt 5:1-12) Jesus summarises the law (the great commandment) (Matt 22:3640, Lk 10:27) A parable about living out Jesus' law (e.g., The Good Samaritan (Lk 10:25-37)) The Transfiguration (Matt 17:1-13) Our Father prayer (Matt 6:7-13) Believe By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches that: The Beatitudes show the loving face of Christ. The Beatitudes describe how faithful Christians should aim to live their lives. Christian hope and charity unfold from the Beatitudes as they show the path to a life in Christ. The Our Father is the perfect prayer given to us by Jesus himself. It is composed of seven petitions. At the Transfiguration Jesus revealed his divine glory. Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: A petition is a form of prayer.	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U5.3.1. Recognise that in the Beatitudes Jesus tells his followers important messages about what makes a life blessed. U5.3.2. Compare Matthew and Luke's description of the new law, or great commandment and make links between the new law a parable and Jesus' summary of the law and lessons for Christian life today. U5.3.3. Make simple links between the Beatitudes and the Ten Commandments. U5.3.4. Describe accurately in sequence and detail what the disciples see at the Transfiguration, saying something about the importance of Moses and Elijah. U5.3.5. Make links between the seven petitions (requests) of the Our Father and their meaning for Christians. U5.3.6. Show understanding of how the virtue of either hope or charity (love) links with Jesus' teaching in the Beatitudes. Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through: D5.3.1. Expressing a point of view about Jesus' great commandment as a rule for life. D5.3.2. Imagining how Peter, James, or John felt at the Transfiguration. Explain their thinking with reference to why this event is a mystery. D5.3.3. Exploring how they and others interpret artists' meanings, in response to paintings of the Transfiguration.	Beatitude sermon petition Our Father virtue Transfiguration

	 The Our Father is the perfect prayer given to us by Jesus. The theological virtues help Christians follow Jesus' great commandment. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: That the virtues of faith, hope and love help Christians to live out the Beatitudes. Examples of some artists who have imagined the Transfiguration. 	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R5.3.1. Reflecting on the mystery of the Transfiguration. R5.3.2. Reflecting on why Jesus invites us to call God 'Father'. R5.3.3. Reflecting on the meaning of what they have learned about Jesus' great commandment for their own lives. R5.3.4. Reflecting on how the communities they are part of could be transformed if everyone chose to love their neighbour as themselves.	
Year 5	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 4 Desert to garden	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: • A selection of Ash Wednesday readings e.g., Joel 2:12-18, Psalm 50:3-6, 12-14, 17, 2 Cor 5:20-6, Matt 6:1-6, 16-18 • Temptation in the Wilderness (Matt 4:1-11) • The Resurrection of the Dead Paul (1 Corinthians 15:1-8, 20-25, 54-57) Believe By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches that: • Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the season of Lent and is the first of the forty days of Lent leading up to Easter. The forty days refer to the time Jesus spent in the desert during which he was tempted. • A sin is a word, deed, or intention by which a person deliberately chooses to turn away from God. • Sin separates people from love and from good. All sins are damaging but some are so deadly they break our friendship with God.	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U5.4.1. Explain what happens at the Ash Wednesday Mass and how Christians mark this day, using religious vocabulary to describe symbols and actions. U5.4.2. Make links between the Ash Wednesday readings and Lent as a time when Christians reflect on their sins and listen to God's call to return to him. Describe some ways Christians act to answer that call in Lent, including the importance of prayer. U5.4.3. Describe how Catholics define sin, making links with the Ten Commandments and Jesus' great commandment as guides for a good life. U5.4.4. Use specialist vocabulary to describe the term 'conscience'. U5.4.5. Simply describe Catholic beliefs in the last things, death, judgement, heaven, and hell. U5.4.6. Recognise that the words of St Paul (1 Corinthians 15:1-8, 20-25, 54-57) describe the Christian belief that through the Resurrection of Jesus, people can follow his path to heaven. U5.4.7. Know that the Rosary is a prayerful reflection on the life of Christ and explain what the sorrowful mysteries remember. Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:	Ash Wednesday Lent sin deadly sin fasting prayer conscience death judgement heaven hell

	 Conscience is an 'inner voice' that guides the choices people make. God speaks to people through their conscience. The Last Things are death, judgement, heaven, purgatory, and hell. Prayer is turning the heart towards God. Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: What the ashes on Ash Wednesday symbolise. A simple examen and/or act of contrition. The Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: Prayer is a way of sharing with God everything that is in a person's heart, what makes them happy and what is troubling them. What Christians express by prayer postures e.g., kneeling, standing, sitting, joined hands. 	D5.4.1. Discussing if all points of view are equally valid when thinking about conscience. For example, is it ever okay to be cruel or unkind to another person? D5.4.2. Thinking about the temptations Jesus faces in the wilderness, ask 'what if' questions about the times they have faced temptations in their own lives. Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R5.4.1. Considering how examining their conscience could help them recognise when they have acted to hurt themselves or others and how they could change. R5.4.3. Reflecting on the meaning of what they have learned for their own lives.	
Year 5	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 5 To the ends of the earth	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: • Scriptural echoes of the Sacrament of Confirmation (Is 11:2, 61:1, Lk 4:16, Mt 3:13-17) • Pentecost (Acts 2:1-8, 14-18) • The gifts of the Spirit Paul (1 Cor 12:4-11) • Baptism in the Spirit (Acts 8:14-16) Believe By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches that: • 'Without the Holy Spirit, we cannot understand Jesus'. (YC 114)	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U5.5.1. Identify that scripture speaks of the outpouring of gifts of the Holy Spirit on the Messiah in the Old Testament and the gospels. Make links with the Sacrament of Confirmation. U.5.5.2. Use specialist religious vocabulary to show knowledge and understanding of the religious actions and signs involved in the celebration of confirmation. U5.4.3. Describe the gifts of the Holy Spirit and describe some ways they help Christians be good disciples, making simple links with some of the fruits of the Spirit. U5.5.4. Using the lives of Mary and another saint as examples, explain what the term 'discipleship' means.	confirmation discipleship Holy Spirit anoint chrism Bishop baptismal grace

	• The Sacrament of Confirmation completes baptismal grace,	U5.5.5. Describe the names and signs under which the Holy Spirit appears and	
	enriches those receiving the sacrament with the strength of	explain some simple links with scripture and the Sacrament of Confirmation.	
	the Holy Spirit who helps them be true witnesses of Christ in	U5.5.6. Know that the Rosary is a prayerful reflection on the life of Christ and	
	word and deed.	explain what the glorious mysteries remember.	
	 The effects of confirmation are an increase in the gifts of 	Discern	
	the Holy Spirit, a closer bond with Jesus and the Church and a		
	desire to spread the Gospel. These are experienced as the	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit.	creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:	
	 Mary is an example of discipleship. 	D5.5.1. Saying what they wonder about the Holy Spirit in the life of Jesus and	
	 The Holy Spirit appears under different names and signs 	mystery of the Holy Trinity.	
	through Scripture	D5.5.2. Expressing and explaining a preference for an artistic representation of	
		the Holy Spirit, listening to different points of view and giving reasons for their	
	Celebrate	answers.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	D5.5.3. Consider the claim 'the Sacrament of Confirmation helps a Christian	
	• The actions, signs, prayers, and symbols of the Catholic rite	grow in virtue', expressing a point of view about this statement.	
	of Confirmation.	Respond	
	• The Rosary is a prayerful reflection on the life of Christ and		
	the glorious mysteries remember what followed the	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	Resurrection.	example by:	
	• 'Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful' prayer.	R5.5.1. Reflecting on the links between the words chrism and Christian and	
		discuss what it means for Christians to be anointed for Christ today.	
	Live	R5.5.2. Reflecting on how they can use their gifts to make a better world.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	R5.5.3. Considering the gifts and virtues Christians need to be disciples today.	
	 Some examples of artistic symbolic representation of the 		
	Holy Spirit.		
	 An example of a saint whose life was transformed by 		
	encountering Jesus and who went on to transform the lives		
	of others.		
Year 5	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 6	Encounter	Understand	Old Testament
Dialogue and		By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	New Testament
encounter	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	U5.6.1. Explain that the Bible came together over a period of more than a	Bible
	Church	thousand years and	Tanakh
Across the year	teaches:	contains sacred texts from Judaism, the four Gospels, and other early writings of	Shema
pupils will study		the Church.	Mezuzah

an aspect of each of the following faiths

Judaism Sikhism Hinduism Islam

- The many different writers of the Bible were inspired by the Holy Spirit.
- What Christians call the Old Testament originates in Hebrew scriptures.
- The Old Testament is important for Christians because it speaks of God's covenant with Abraham and is the foundation of the faith of the people of the Old and New Testaments: Judaism and Christianity.

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- The Bible was originally written in Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek which were the languages of the writers.
- God's covenant with Abraham is the foundation of the faith of the people of the Old and New Testaments: Judaism and Christianity

Dialogue

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches:

- The many different writers of the Bible were inspired by the Holy Spirit.
- What Christians call the Old Testament originates in Hebrew scriptures.
- The Old Testament is important for Christians because it speaks of God's covenant with Abraham and is the foundation of the faith of the people of the Old and New Testaments: Judaism and Christianity.

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- The Bible was originally written in Hebrew, Aramaic, and Greek which were the languages of the writers.
- God's covenant with Abraham is the foundation of the faith of the

people of the Old and New Testaments: Judaism and Christianity

U5.6.2. Know that the Church teaches that Sacred Scripture is the inspired Word of God and the Church helps Catholics read and understand the Bible.

U5.6.3. Know that the Bible is translated from different languages into many languages.

U5.6.4. Recognise that the Tanakh uses different names for God that reveal aspects of his nature.

U5.6.5. Use specialist vocabulary to describe some Jewish beliefs expressed in the Shema prayer

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:

D5.6.1. Asking 'How can Sacred Scripture be "truth" if not everything in it is right?' (YOUCAT 15) and discussing how to read the Bible prayerfully and how the Church helps us understand Scripture.

D5.6.2. Exploring the place of Sacred Scripture in Jewish life today.

D5.6.3. Discussing why the whole Bible is important for Christians, not just the New Testament.

Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

R5.6.1. Reflecting on the books that matter to them in their lives.

R5.6.2. Talking to others about their sacred texts and why they matter.

R5.6.3. Thinking and talking about ways of showing respect for sacred texts

Year 6 Knowledge Lenses Expected outcomes Vocab

Branch 1 Creation and Covenant

Hear

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts:

- The second account of Creation (Genesis 2:5-10, 15-23, 3:1-7,9-13, 17-19)
- Jn 1:1-5. 16-18
- The Nicene Creed
- Laudato Si' 66-67

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- The literary forms employed in the Genesis account.
- The Genesis account of Creation and Fall is not a literal scientific description, but expresses beliefs about God, the world, and human beings (see CCC 159).

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church

teaches that:

• The world is in disarray because humans choose to do evil again and again. This is called original sin; the story of Adam and Eve explains why the world is no longer as good as it was in the

beginning. (YCfK 22)

- In Jesus, God restored humanity's relationship with him.
- Baptism is the first sacrament of the forgiveness of sins. It unites Christians with Jesus Christ, who dies and rises, and strengthens the

gifts of the Holy Spirit.

• Belief in God as sustainer and source of the universe is compatible with the scientific account of the beginnings of the universe and the theory of evolution

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

Understand

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:

U6.1.1. Show understanding of the literary forms found in the text's studied, including the use of

metaphor, symbolic language, and poetry.

U6.1.2. Simply explain the Church's teaching on the purpose of the second Creation story and the purpose of scientific accounts, referencing Laudato Si' 66-67. Make links with the term

'stewardship'.

U6.1.3. Show understanding of the Christian belief of the first sin or 'original sin' by making links with the second story of Creation.

U6.1.4. Explain some Christian beliefs about the Sacrament of Baptism.

U6.1.5. Use theological vocabulary to describe and explain the belief that sin damages the relationship with God, the relationship with others and relationships with the created world,

making relevant links with the second account of Creation and Laudato Si' 66. U6.1.6. Show some understanding of the Christian belief that in Jesus a new covenant is made and through him the relationship with God can be restored making links with John (1:1-5, 16-18)

and the Nicene Creed.

U6.1.7. Describe the work of a Christian or Catholic scientist who has contributed to the scientific understanding of the beginnings of the universe (e.g., Mendel, Lemaitre, Blundell),

recognising that many scientists are Christians and they do not see any conflict between their faith and science.

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:

D6.1.1. Articulating reasons which might lead to judgements different to their own, in response to the claim: 'belief in Creation is compatible with scientific accounts of the beginnings of the universe and the theory of evolution', offering reasoned arguments for their own judgement.

D6.1.2. Expressing a point of view about what the story of the Fall says about human beings and suffering giving reasons why they think this way.

Creation
Fall
Eden
evolution
baptism
salvation

	 The symbols in the Sacrament of Baptism that point to a Christian's new life in Christ The Church teaches that the Nicene Creed allows all believers to make a common statement of their faith. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: Many scientists are Christians and they do not see any conflict between their faith and science. The work of Catholic scientists in contributing to the scientific account of the beginnings of the universe (e.g., the work of Mendel and Lemaitre). The ways in which some sin is social and embedded in social structures (cf. CCC 1868-69). 	Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R6.1.1. Considering the ways in which their life and the life of their communities could be transformed by taking seriously the belief in the innate dignity and equality of all human beings. R6.1.2. Reflecting on the evidence in the world that human beings have not always lived as God has wanted and the effects of this on human beings and the environment. R6.1.3. Reflecting on the ways in which the discoveries of science can lead to a deeper appreciation of the greatness of God and God's love for all Creation.	
Year 6	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 2 Prophecy and promise	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: Old Testament passages that show the importance of women in salvation history, e.g.: Genesis 18:1-15; 21:1-7: Sarah Exodus 1:8-22; 2:1-10: Miriam Judges 4:4-11; 5:7-15: Deborah 1 Samuel 1:5, 9-11, 26-28: Hannah Esther 2:4, 15-17; 3:1-6, 12-13; 4:1-4, 8a-17; 5:1-8; 7:1-6, 9-10; 8:3-12 (Purim): Esther Lk 1: 26-56: Mary as the fulfilment of Old Testament promises By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: The difference between the Lucan and Matthean infancy narratives, emphasising their respective intentions, narrative approach, and Luke's emphasis on the role of women in the story of salvation. Believe	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U6.2.1. Show an understanding of any one of the following Old Testament scripture passages that show the importance of women in salvation history, recognising authorial intention and historical context: • Genesis 18:1-15; 21:1-7: Sarah • Exodus 1:8-22; 2:1-10: Miriam • Judges 4:4-11; 5:7-15: Deborah • 1 Samuel 1:5, 9-11, 26-28: Hannah • Esther 2:4, 15-17; 3:1-6, 12-13; 4:1-4, 8a-17; 5:1-8; 7:1-6, 9-10; 8:3-12 (Purim): Esther U6.2.2. Use theological language to explain what is meant by describing the women of the Old Testament as 'true protagonists of salvation history' (Pope John Paul II's address, General Audience, 27 March 1996), making relevant links with the stories of some key women from the Old Testament. U6.2.3. Show understanding of the Christian belief that Mary is the fulfilment of the Old Testament promises, making relevant links to Lk 1:26-56 and the	salvation history fulfilment Old Testament Lucan Matthean protagonists Mary, Mother of God Magnificat religious order

Branch 3	Hear	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	Cana Bethesda
Year 6	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
		community.	
		reflect on how their 'Yes' could transform their own lives and the lives of the	
		R6.2.3. Considering what life or task God might be calling them to live or do and	
		Mary the mother of Jesus in their spiritual life.	
		R6.2.2. Comparing their own and others' experiences about the importance of	
		who have been important or significant.	
		R6.2.1. Reflecting on their own experience, consider the women in their lives	
	Little sisters of the Poor).	example by:	
	of Mercy, Ursulines, Sisters of Loreto, Daughters of St Paul,	During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
	example of a Catholic women's religious order (e.g., Sisters	Respond	
	orders in the Church today, with reference to at least one	meaning, in response to a variety of sung settings of the Magnificat.	
	call in their life. For example, the role of women's religious	D6.2.2. Exploring how they and others interpret their own and the composer's	
	• Examples of women today who are responding to God's	give different answers.	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	Church', supporting their answer with reasons, and discussing why people might	
	Live	salvation, women today do not play a large enough role in the life of the	
	asa settings of the magnificati	response to this statement: 'Looking at the role of women in the story of	
	Some sung settings of the Magnificat.	D6.2.1. Thinking about the role of women in the story of salvation, giving a	
	(evening prayer).	creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:	
	The Church prays the Magnificat each day at Vespers	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
	song of the Church.	Discern	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: The Magnificat is the song of the Mother of God and the	orders in the Church today, with reference to at least one example of a Catholic women's religious order.	
	Celebrate Py the end of this unit of study punils will know:	(Lk1:26-56), for example, describe and explain the role of women's religious	
	Calabrata	responding to God's call in their life, making relevant links to Mary's 'Yes' to God	
	became the 'Mother of God' by her 'Yes' to God's plan.	U6.2.6. Show understanding of the life of individual women today who are	
	Mary is the fulfilment of the Old Testament promises and And the most Confusion of Confusion (North and Confusion)	expectations of the Messiah.	
	Paul II's address, General Audience, 27 March 1996).	U6.2.5. Show understanding of how and why the Magnificat prayer forms radical	
	salvation history (see Pope John	became the 'Mother of God'.	
	The women of the Old Testament are true protagonists of	U6.2.4. Use theological language to describe and explain the belief that Mary	
	Church teaches that:	authorial focus in Matthew's account (Matt 1:18- 25).	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	accounts of the women of the Old Testament. Contrast Lk 1:26-56 with the	

Galilee to

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts:

- The Wedding at Cana (Jn 2:1-12)
- Healing the official's son (Jn 4:46-54)
- Healing the man at Bethesda (Jn 5:1-47)
- Feeding the 5000 (Jn 6:1-4)
- Walking on water (Jn 6:15-21)
- Healing the Blind Man (Jn 9:1-41)
- Raising of Lazarus (Jn 11:1-57)
- 'I am the bread of life' (Jn 6:35) or 'I am the Resurrection and the life' (Jn 11:25)

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, students will know that the Church teaches that:

- God inspired the authors of Sacred Scripture.
- Scripture is understood literally and spiritually.
- Mary prays and asks Jesus for help at Cana.
- The Church has seven sacraments. The sacraments of initiation are baptism, confirmation, and Eucharist. The sacraments of healing are

penance and anointing of the sick. The sacraments in service to Holy Communion are marriage and Holy Orders.

- The purpose of sacraments is to help people grow more like Jesus, and through him become children of God.
- The sacraments engage all the senses, not just intellect and are earthly signs of the presence of God, especially in the Eucharist.

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

• The sacraments are meeting points with God that bring people into a closer relationship with God and the community of the Church.

U6.3.1. Show understanding of the scripture passages studied identifying authorial intention, recognising that the scripture speaks to people literally and carries a deeper spiritual meaning.

U6.3.2. Use specialist theological vocabulary to make links between each of the miraculous signs and Christian beliefs about Jesus, including some of the sacraments, and how these reveal he is truly God and truly human.

U6.3.3. Use specialist religious vocabulary to make links between one of the 'I am' statements and Christian beliefs about Jesus.

U6.4.4. Know the seven sacraments of the Catholic faith and explain the purpose of each sacrament in the life of the Catholic Church.

U6.3.5. Explain the role of the deacon, priest, or bishop in administering the sacraments and why they are a part of sacramental celebrations.

U6.3.6. Describe some ways their local parish community celebrates the sacraments, noticing which are celebrated occasionally, and which are celebrated frequently, giving reasons for this.

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:

D6.3.1. Giving reasons why the Church teaches sacraments are 'meeting points where God himself is present' (YCfK 64). Discuss why others might disagree. D6.3.2. Looking at different artistic representations of at least one of the signs in St John's gospel and discussing the artists' use of symbolic representation, expressing and sharing a personal preference, giving reasons for their choice and listen to contrary points of view.

Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

R6.3.1. Reflecting on how the seven signs in John's gospel speak to them literally and spiritually.

 ${\sf R6.3.2.}\ Considering\ how\ stories\ from\ scripture\ speak\ to\ people\ in\ different\ ways.$

Lazarus Sacraments

	They are holy, visible signs of God's presence and action in the life of a Catholic. Through they Catholics experience the 'healing, forgiving, nourishing, strengthening, presence of God that enables them to love in turn' (YC p105). • Different representations in art or music of one of the signs from St John's gospel or one of the 'l am' statements studied. Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • How sacraments are celebrated in their local parish community and how these form part of the life of the local Church. • How their local parish community (Parish priest and laity) hand on the teaching of Jesus.		
Year 6	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 4 Desert to garden	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: • The anointing at Bethany (Jn 12:1-11) • Jesus washes his disciples' feet (Jn 13:1-17) • First farewell discourse (Jn 13:33-38) • The arrest of Jesus (Jn 18:1:11) • Jesus before Pilate (Jn 18:28-40, 19:4-6) • The Crucifixion (Jn 19:17-22) • Jesus and his mother (Jn 19:25-27) • The death of Jesus (Jn 19:28-37) Believe By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches that: • At the Last Supper Jesus showed his love by washing his disciples' feet. • Jesus showed his love by dying on the cross. On the cross he took on the guilt and pain of the whole world to bring the	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U6.4.1. Show an understanding of the account of Holy Week in the gospel of John. U6.4.2. Show knowledge and understanding of how one of the texts reveal deeper meanings about Jesus as Messiah and describe the beliefs revealed. U6.4.3. Make links between the account of Jesus' washing his disciples' feet, what happens at Mass on Holy Thursday, and Christian beliefs about Jesus' actions. U6.4.4. Describe ways Jesus shows his love for all people by his actions on Holy Thursday and Good Friday. U6.4.6. Make links between the Christian belief in the Crucifixion and the Stations of the Cross as a prayerful reflection on Christ's journey to the cross. Discern By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through: D6.4.1. Considering the statement 'Jesus had a fair trial', comparing and contrasting different points of view about this statement drawing on John's gospel as a source of evidence.	Bethany anoint discourse Pilate Crucifixion Holy Week Stations of the Cross

	world back home to God's perfect love. (See Article 4 Apostles' Creed.) • Mary is the mother of all Christians Celebrate By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • That Mass on Holy Thursday recalls Jesus' actions at the Last Supper, including washing the feet of the apostles.	D6.4.2. Exploring how they and others interpret their own and the maker's meaning, in response to a variety of creative and artistic expressions and linking these with a scriptural passage studied. Respond During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by: R6.4.1. Prayerfully reflect on what Jesus teaches about true discipleship. R6.4.2. Considering how love of neighbour could transform their life and the	
	The Stations of the Cross are a prayerful reflection on Christ's journey to the cross	lives of the communities they are part of, describing the actions they could take to begin this transformation. R6.4.3. Reflecting on Lent as a time to begin this transformation	
	Live By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know: • The Stations of the Cross are prayed by Christians around the world and model the Via Dolorosa in Jerusalem. • Explore different representations of the Stations of the Cross or prayers of the stations in different places in the world, e.g., Via Crucis in Rome, the high stations in Lourdes. • Encounter some artistic representations of the Holy Week as depicted in the gospel of John, for example, Sieger Koder 'The washing of feet', or extracts of St John's passion by Bach.		
Year 6	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 5 To the ends of the earth	Hear By the end of this unit of study, pupils will hear the following key texts: • The empty tomb and the appearance to Mary Magdala (Jn 20:1-18) • Appearances to the disciples Jn 20:19-31 • Conclusion (Jn 20: 30-31) • Christians believe in the Resurrection (1 Cor 15:14) • Jesus as the last Adam (1 Cor 15:45-49) • The story of Stephen (Acts 6:8-15, 7:51-60)	Understand By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to: U6.5.1. Show understanding of the scripture passages studied, identifying literary forms and authorial intention. U6.5.2. Use specialist theological and religious and vocabulary to describe and explain links between at least one of the scripture passages studied and religious beliefs. U6.5.3. Describe Christian belief about the Resurrection of Christ and the revelation of the Father, Son, and Spirit. U6.5.4. Explain why Jesus is called the 'new Adam', making links between scripture texts from the new and old testaments.	Adam Mary Magdala Resurrection martyr witness saint charity

Believe

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the Church teaches that:

- Christians believe Jesus rose from the dead. (See Article 5, the Apostles' Creed.)
- The disciples believed that Jesus rose from the dead because they saw him, spoke with him, and experienced him in a different way as

being alive.

- The Resurrection is the work of the Holy Trinity.
- All Christians are called to witness to the Resurrection by the example of their new life in baptism, strengthened by the Holy Spirit

in confirmation.

• Some Christians die for their faith, this is called martyrdom

Celebrate

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

- How Christians today meet Christ in the Eucharist, in the scriptures, in prayer and in love for all people.
- Some age-appropriate examples of the Act of Faith, Hope and Love prayers

Live

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:

• Some examples of saints, considering how they bore witness to Christ in their lives (e.g., St Margaret Mary Alacoque and her devotion

to the Sacred Heart, St Teresa of Calcutta being the merciful face of Christ to the poor) or by suffering persecution and death (e.g., St Oscar Romero speaking out against oppression, St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross who died in the concentration camps).

• The work of Christian charitable organisations that help people facing injustice and persecution because of their beliefs, e.g., Aid to the Church in Need, CAFOD, Missio U6.5.5. Describe and explain, with examples, the different ways in which Christians' bear witness to their beliefs now and in the past and make links with the life of a saint.

U6.5.6. Describe how one charity studied witnesses its Christian faith through its work

Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:

D6.5.1. Consider 'There were many other signs that Jesus worked, and the disciples saw, but they are not recorded in this book', and give some reasons why some people find it difficult to

believe things they have not seen.

D6.5.2. Playing with possibilities and wondering about why people of religious faith sometimes choose prison, persecution, or even death rather than give up their faith.

Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

R6.5.1. Considering what beliefs matter most to them.

R6.5.2. Comparing their own and others' experiences, feelings and things that matter to them and the ways in which this may lead to different beliefs and different choices about how to live

their life.

R6.5.3. Reflecting on how the work of charities can support people facing injustice or persecution.

Year 6	Knowledge Lenses	Expected outcomes	Vocab
Branch 6	Dialogue	Understand	dialogue
Dialogue and	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know that the	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:	worldview
encounter	Church teaches:	U6.6.1. Explain in an age-appropriate way the meaning of 'the common good'	Catholic Social
	 That Catholics should work to promote 'unity and love' 	and the principles of Catholic Social Teaching.	Teaching
Across the year	(Nostra Aetate 1) among all people.	U6.6.2. Describe some ways Christians work together with people of different	
pupils will study	• That the Church is called to 'enter dialogue with the world	worldviews to promote the common good.	
an aspect of each	in which it lives. It has something to say, a message to give'	U6.6.3. Use the term 'worldviews' and understand its meaning, giving simple	
of the following	(Ecclesiam Suam 65).	examples.	
faiths	• That Christians are responsible for promoting the common	U6.6.4. Recognise links and simple connections between some Dharmic beliefs,	
	good.	practices, and way of life making links between them.	
Judaism	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will know:	Discern	
Sikhism	Some practical ways in which people can work together	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think critically and	
Hinduism	towards common goals.	creatively about what they have studied, for example, through:	
Islam	 The term 'worldview' and its meaning. 	D6.6.1. Reflecting on the statement 'Everyone should be concerned to create	
		and support institutions that improve the conditions of human life' (CCC 1926),	
	Encounter	consider how this challenges	
	By the end of this unit of study, pupils will have encountered	people to change.	
	the following:	D6.6.2. Considering the term 'common good', discuss why charities with	
	Recognise links and simple connections between some	different worldviews work to promote the same goals.	
	Dharmic beliefs, practices, and way of life (e.g., Hinduism or	D6.6.3. Explore some examples of creative expressions of faith from a Dharmic	
	Sikhism or Buddhism or Jainism).	pathway.	
		D6.6.4. Listening to the stories and experiences of those who follow a Dharmic	
		pathway in the class or the wider community and asking questions about their	
		laws, beliefs, worship, or life	
		Respond	
		During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for	
		example by:	
		R6.6.1. Considering how engaging in dialogue with those who hold different	
		beliefs could transform their own lives and the future of the communities.	
		R6.6.2. Identifying ways, they could act to differently because of their learning	
		about Catholic Social Teaching dialogue.	