

Year 5 Curriculum – Spring Term Overview

<p>Religious Education 1 Buddhism The Buddha’s Teaching Key Questions What are the importance of symbols in Buddhism. What are the Buddhist teachings and values and how do Buddhists follow them? Buddhist festival Vaisakha Puja or Vesak/Wesak. How do the teachings and example of the Buddha help Buddhists to grow towards enlightenment? Vocabulary: The Noble Eightfold Path, Symbols - the wheel, Lotus Dharma, Awakening, Vaisakha Puja or Vesak/Wesak, The Monkey King</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">History</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Focus: The Golden age of Islam and it’s achievements and failures.</p> <p>Key Questions</p> <p>What were the greatest Achievements and failures during the golden age of Islam?</p> <p>What was the Islamic civilization and when did it start?</p> <p>Where is this period placed on the class global timeline? Elsewhere: Abbasid Caliphate, Golden Age of Islam during Vikings</p> <p>What made the Golden Age a significant time for the Islamic Civilisation and Baghdad?</p> <p>How were the Arabs able to spread so far, so quickly, within just a century of the Prophet Muhammad's death?</p> <p>In its Golden Age, ten times more people lived in Baghdad than in London. So, what was so special about it and how can we possibly know?</p> <p>How did governance effect society and the lives of different people differently? (rich vs poor)</p> <p>When and why did this period end?</p> <p>What is the importance of this on society today?</p> <p>What can we learn about Islam from the way they set up the capital at Baghdad?</p> <p>Which of the early Islamic achievements has most effect on our lives today?</p> <p>Vocabulary: Mecca, Medina, Caliph, Abbasids, Baghdad, Golden age, Scholars, Tolerance, Mongol</p> <p>Siege, Economic, Scientific, Amalgamation, Interpretation, Significance, Civilisation, Culture, Century, Classical Knowledge, CE/BCE, Primary/ Secondary Source</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Religious Education 2</p> <p>Buddhism: The Buddhist Community worldwide Key Questions: What are the special places within the Buddhist community? What are the five main precepts and how does this help Buddhists to lead a good life. What does compassion mean to Buddhists? What are the different places of pilgrimage for Buddhists worldwide and what is the significance of these places. How do Buddhists try to live a good life? Vocabulary: Sangha, Dharma, Monks, Nuns, Precepts, Pilgrimage, Lumbini, Bodhgaya, Deer park at Samath, Kushinagar</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Computing Digital Literacy</p> <p>Using more complex apps to improve outcomes Key Questions: What are the most effective apps? What makes these apps most effective? Which app/device would be best to achieve this outcome? How will you collaborate and use these tools to complete a learning project? Vocabulary: app, effective, device, tools</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Science Living Things and their Habitats</p> <p>Key Questions: Describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird. Describes the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals How and why do living things reproduce? Why aren't humans formed in eggs? What does a world without bees look like? Vocabulary: reproduction, sexual, asexual, germination, formation, pollen, stamen, stigma Scientific working procedural knowledge: Observe and Compare, Sort and Organise, Predict, Experiment, Conclude, Apply</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Materials</p> <p>Key Questions: To compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, know that some materials can dissolve to create a solution, demonstrate that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes. Vocabulary: solid, liquid, gases, sieving, filtering, dissolving, state of matter, evaporating, mixture, solution</p>		
RHE 1	MFL	PE1	PE2

<p>Living in the wider world Key questions: How can fundraising support the local and wider community?</p>	<p>RHE 1 Relationships Key questions: How do we celebrate similarities and differences in our school community?</p>	<p>Food Opinions Key Focus: Express opinions about food, Negatives Key questions: What do you like/not like to eat? Which foods do you not eat and why? Can you politely request a specific kind of sandwich?</p>	<p>Places in Town Key Focus: Directions (Places in town) Key questions: Can you follow your partners direction to locate places in town on a picture/map?</p>	<p>Games Focus: Volleyball Key Questions: What decisions and options have you got on the court? How could you/ your team's performance be improved? Vocabulary: volley, dig, serve</p>	<p>Athletics Focus Key Questions: Why is exercise important? What are the positive effects of physical activity on the body? Vocabulary: Warm Up Muscles Dynamic Static</p>
<p>Music</p>		<p>Geography</p>			
<p>Melody/Use of Voice Key Questions: What is a pentatonic scale? How do we construct a 2/3 part melody? What is a pentatonic melody? Vocabulary: pentatonic scale, 2 part melody, 3 part melody Notation Key Questions: What is the difference between legato and staccato? What is a crescendo? What is a diminuendo? Can you draw the symbol for (crescendo/ diminuendo etc)? Vocabulary: Crescendo, legato, staccato, diminuendo</p>	<p>Listening and Appraising Key Questions: What instruments can you hear in this piece? In what way is the removal/addition of instruments effective overall? Vocabulary: tone, timbre History Key Questions: How many different genres of music can you name/describe? Can you compare and contrast the similarities/differences between (2 genres/eras of music e.g. disco and hip-hop)? Vocabulary: genre, classical, piece, composer</p>	<p>Physical and Human diversity of Continent Amazon River, The Andes, Atacama Desert Key questions: What are the Key Physical characteristics The Amazon River? What types of settlement and land use is there in South America? What is the population of South America? What are the biggest Capital cities? What languages are spoken and why? How do people earn a living? Vocabulary: River Estuary, channel, meander, tributary, conservation, deforestation, reforestation Dessert: Arid, dry, desert, barren, hostile, harsh, vegetation, unprotected, precipitation, desertification, settlement, trade, natural resources, economic activity</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Art</p> <p>A study of Ink drawings and perspective by Charles Keeping How would you develop ideas further? Observational Drawing Tonal drawing with pencil/charcoal moving on to ink. Use cross-hatching techniques to enhance light and dark shades. Practice creating form in shape using light and shade. Vocabulary: cross-hatch contour-hatch, scumbling, stippling, space, form, vanishing point, horizon, composition, shade, foreground, middle-ground, landscape, mannequin</p>		