Progression of Knowledge of Religion/Belief through Key Questions

Through themes, pupils engage in enquiring into key questions arising from study of religion and belief, so as to promote their personal and spiritual development.

Religion/Belief	EYFS	KS1	LKS2	UKS2
Christianity	What makes people special? Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas? What makes places special? Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden? What can we learn from stories? Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?	What do Christians believe about God? Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Why does Easter matter to Christians? What does it mean to belong? The beginning of the world: what can we learn from special Christian and Jewish stories? Why do Christians love the stories of Jesus? Who is an inspiring person & who inspires you? Is it true Jesus came back to life? What makes some places sacred? How should we show care for others?	What do different people believe God is like? What are the deeper meanings of festivals? What matters to Christians about Easter? Can religious teachings help us decide what is the best way to live? Can Christian Aid and Islamic Relief change the world? How does a Christian follow Jesus? What are the deeper meanings of festivals? Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday? How and why do believers care for others and the world? How can we make Wiltshire/my town a more respectful place?	What does commitment look like in our community? How do Christians celebrate Jesus' birth, and show their beliefs about Jesus? Why is pilgrimage important to some religious believers? What happened after Easter? Why do believers often see life as a journey & what significant experiences mark this? If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? What would Jesus do? Can people live by the values of Jesus in the twenty-first century? What makes some books sacred, how are they used and why do they matter to believers? What do religions say to us when life gets hard? Is it better to express your religion in art and architecture or in charity? Justice & Poverty: Can religions help to build a fair world?
Hinduism	What can we learn from stories?		What are the deeper meanings of festivals? How and why do believers care for others and the world?	What does commitment look like in our community? Why do believers often see life as a journey & what significant experiences mark this? If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?

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Humanism			Can religious teachings help us decide what is the best way to live?	What do religions say to us when life gets hard? Is it better to express your religion in art and architecture or in charity?
Islam	What makes places special? What can we learn from stories?	Why is God important to Muslims? What does it mean to belong? What makes some places sacred?	What do different people believe God is like? What are the deeper meanings of festivals? Keeping the five pillars: what difference does it make to Muslims? Can Christian Aid and Islamic Relief change the world? How can we make Wiltshire/my town a more respectful place?	Why is pilgrimage important to some religious believers? Why do believers often see life as a journey & what significant experiences mark this? Is it better to express your religion in art and architecture or in charity? Justice & Poverty: Can religions help to build a fair world?
Judaism	What makes people special? What makes places special? What can we learn from stories?	How does being Jewish make a difference to family & celebration? The beginning of the world: what can we learn from special Christian and Jewish stories? Who is an inspiring person & who inspires you? What makes some places sacred?		What does commitment look like in our community? If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?
Sikhi				Why is pilgrimage important to some religious believers? Who was Guru Nanak? Why and how do people follow these leaders? Justice & Poverty: Can religions help to build a fair world? What makes some books sacred, how are they used and why do they matter to believers?