TIDBURY GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Our R.E. Learning Journey

From exploring belonging to understanding beliefs and worldviews

We explore beliefs, stories and ways of life, asking questions and listening respectfully. Children build knowledge of religious and non-religious worldviews and reflect on their own ideas.

Nursery and Reception foundations Explore belonging, special people, places and stories. Learn about celebrations, including Christmas, Easter, Diwali and Eid, and notice similarities and differences.

YEAR	AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
1 Explore	**Creation and Christmas** Explore Christian beliefs about who made the world and why Christmas matters.	**Jewish life** Learn who Jewish people are and how beliefs shape daily life.	**Belonging and caring** Explore faith communities and why we should care for others and the world.
	Retell stories, recognise beliefs and practices, and share ideas about belonging.		
2 Discover	**God and good news** Explore what Christians believe God is like and the good news Jesus brings.	**Muslim life and Easter** Begin learning about Muslim life; explore why Easter matters to Christians.	**Muslim life and sacred places** Extend learning about Muslim life and explore what makes places sacred.
	Describe beliefs and practices, notice similarities and differences, and ask questions.		
3 Connect	**Creation and following God** Explore what Christians learn from Creation and what following God involves.	**Festivals and family life** Explore what worship and festivals show about Muslim and Jewish life.	**Making a better world** Explore the world Jesus wanted and how people try to make a difference.
	Make links between stories, beliefs and actions, using examples to explain ideas.		
4 Deepen	**Trinity and Hindu beliefs** Explore the Christian Trinity and what Hindus believe God is like.	**Hindu life and Good Friday** Explore Hindu life in Britain and why Christians call Jesus' death Good Friday.	**Pentecost and life events** Explore the impact of Pentecost and how people mark significant life events.
	Explain the meaning of beliefs and celebrations, and compare ways of expressing faith.		
5 Explain	**God and Muslim life** Explore God as holy and loving in Christianity, and Muslim life in Britain today.	**Torah and Messiah** Explore why the Torah matters to Jewish people and Jesus as the Christian Messiah.	**Guidance and values** Ask "What would Jesus do?" and explore what matters to Humanists and Christians.
	Explain how beliefs and texts guide choices; compare values and give reasons for views.		
6 Reflect	**Belief, creation and science** Explore belief and non-belief in God, and relationships between creation and science.	**Goodness and resurrection** Explore why Hindus want to be good and what resurrection means to Christians.	**Kingship, freedom and justice** Explore Jesus as king and how following God can bring freedom and justice.
	Consider different interpretations, justify responses and discuss challenging questions respectfully.		

THREADS THROUGH OUR JOURNEY

Belonging • Celebrations • Sacred stories • Beliefs • Special places

Across the journey, children revisit key concepts, build vocabulary and make connections. They learn to explain their understanding and respond thoughtfully to different beliefs and ways of life.