

Religious Education: Year Seven Curriculum Overview.

Calendar	Theme/Big Question	Small Questions	Assessment Opportunities.
Autumn 1	Welcome to St Francis/Creation and covenant	 Who was St Francis and what is his legacy? What is the prayer of St Francis? What is God? What is revelation? What is prayer? What is the importance of Creation? What is Catholic Social teaching? What is stewardship? What is CAFOD? Who was Sister Dorothy Stang? 	 Keyword and definition test Mid Unit Assessment: AO1: 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill question (8 marks) End of Unit: AO1 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 2 x describe skill questions (5 marks) 2x explain skill questions (8 marks)
Autumn 2	Prophecy and Promise	 What is Scripture, Tradition and the Magisterium? How is the Bible structured? How do Christians navigate the Bible? What is the Mass? To what extent is the rosary the best form of devotional prayer? Can meditation on scripture help us become closer to God? Do all religions revere their texts as much as others? 	 Keyword and definition test Mid Unit Assessment: AO1: 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill question (8 marks) End of Unit: AO1 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 2 x describe skill questions (5 marks) 2x explain skill questions (8 marks)
Spring 1	Galilee to Jerusalem	 What is the incarnation? What are the different titles for Jesus? What is heresy? What is meant by the Holy Trinity? How is the Mass Trinitarian in nature? How is Jesus the model of holiness? 	 Keyword and definition test Mid Unit Assessment: AO1: 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill question (8 marks) End of Unit: AO1



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Spring 2	Desert to Garden	 What is the connection between the Passover, the Last Supper and the Eucharist? What is the Paschal Mystery? What are the Sacraments and why are they important to Catholics? How is the Mass structured? Why is the Eucharist important to Catholics? How do beliefs about the Eucharist differ in other Christian denominations? How has the Eucharist impacted the lives of people throughout history? 	 Keyword and definition test Mid Unit Assessment: AO1: 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill question (8 marks) End of Unit: AO1 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1 x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill questions (8 marks) 1 x discern/evaluate skill question (15 marks).
Summer 1	To the ends of the Earth	 What do Catholics believe about the Holy Spirit? What beliefs about the Holy Spirit are in the Nicene Creed? Why did Luke write his Gospel? What happened at Pentecost? What are the symbols of the Holy Spirit? What is the Sacrament of Confirmation? What are the gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit? 	 Keyword and definition test Mid Unit Assessment: AO1: 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill question (8 marks) End of Unit: AO1 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1 x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill questions (8 marks)



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Summer 2	Dialogue and Encounter/ Study of World Religion: Sikhism	 What is a council? What councils did the Church host? What was the Council of Trent? What are some of the different denominations? What is ecumenicism? 	 Keyword and definition test Mid Unit Assessment: AO1: 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill question (8 marks) End of Unit: AO1 1 x keyword definition question (2 marks) 1 x describe skill question (5 marks) 1x explain skill questions (8 marks)
		 Who were the Gurus? What is the Guru Granth Sahib? What is the Khalsa? What are the 5K's? What is the Gurdwara? 	- Sikhism Knowledge check