

West Green Primary Early Years and KS1 Religion and World Views Overview

Topic. Key vocabulary. Religion/world view

Year group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Throughout Reception, children will experience and be taught, a range of religious and world view related knowledge. They will develop and explore their understanding through directed sessions and self-initiated activities, sharing their experiences and how they celebrate their important festivals.					
	<p>Harvest Christian Celebrate, Autumn, crops Diwali Hindu Light, diva, Rama, Sita, Rangoli, Mehdi</p>	<p>Hanukkah Jewish Hannukkah, candles, community, miracle Christmas Christian Born, stable, manger, angel, Wise men</p>	<p>Valentine's day Love, care, thoughtful Shrove Tuesday Lent, pancake, use up</p>	<p>Chinese New Year Emperor, lantern, tradition, Zodiac Ramadan Fasting, charity, deeds, pray Eid al-Fitr Muslim Break the fast, new moon, mosque Easter Christian Cross, new life</p>	<p>Vesak Buddhist Buddha, birthday, meditation</p>	
1	<p>How did the world begin? Christian, Jewish, Hindu Belief, creation, God, proof, religion, scripture</p>	<p>What do some people believe God looks like? Christian, Hindu, Muslim Bible, Hindu, Muslim, respect, Brahman, Jesus</p>	<p>What is God's job? Jewish, Zoroastrianist, Muslim, Hindu, Christian Allah, destroyer, Jewish, miracle, protect, Zoroastrian</p>	<p>Why should we care for the world? Jewish, Muslim, Hindu, Jain, Humanist Ahimsa, stewardship, environment, Humanist, responsibility, Torah</p>	<p>How do we know that new babies are special? Muslim, Hindu, Christian, Humanist Adhan, Aqiqah, baptism, ceremony, godparents, blessing</p>	<p>Why should we care for others? Sikh, Christian, Jewish, Muslim, Humanist Act of kindness, charity, scripture, Sikh, The Five Pillars of Islam, community</p>
2	<p>Why do we need to give thanks? Hindu, Christian, Humanist Festival, harvest, pray, puja, Radha, thankful</p>	<p>What do candles mean to people? Christian, Hindu, Jewish Advent, Diwali, Hanukkah, prayer, sacred, symbol, temple</p>	<p>How do we know some people have a special connection to God? Sikh, Muslim, Christian, Jewish, Hindu Guru, Last messenger, Muhammad, pbuh (peace be upon him), prophet, revelation</p>	<p>What is a prophet? Christian, Muslim, Jewish, Sikh Messiah, Yeshua, Saviour, Eternal, Guru Granth Sahib, wisdom</p>	<p>How do some people talk to God? Muslim, Jewish, Hindu Communicate, mandir, mosque, puja, Qur'an, shrine, synagogue, Veda</p>	<p>Where do some people talk to God? Hindu, Alevi, Muslim, Sikh Alevi, equality, gurdwara, Langar, place of worship, Trinity</p>

West Green Primary KS2 Religion and World Views Overview

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3	What makes us human? Hindu, Christian, Buddhist, humanist Consciousness, exist, influence, inner self, meditation, soul	Where do our morals come from? Christian/Jewish, Buddhist, Muslim, Hindu, Humanist Commandment, covenant, forbidden, Golden Rule, mitzvoh, observance	Is scripture central to religion? Jewish, Muslim, Christian Abrahamic, Hadith, Tenak, revelation, sacred, prophet	What happens if we do wrong? Hindu, Muslim, Humanist, Christian, Jewish Authority, cleansed, immoral, repentance, sin, wrongdoing	Why is water symbolic? Christian, Sikh, Muslim, Shinto Blessing, purity, renewal, ritual, shrine, symbolism	Why is fire used ceremonially? Hindu/Sikh, Zoroastrianist Divine, equality, eternal, remembrance, Ner Tamid, unity
4	Are all religions equal? Baha'i, Sikh, Hindu Baha'I, harmony, Khanda, origin, respect, practice	What makes some texts sacred? Sikh, Hindu, Buddhist Authoritative, canon, holy, oral tradition, revealed, sacred	Just how important are our beliefs? Sikh, Muslim, Jewish, Hindu, Christian Commitment, core, fast, outward expression, responsibility, sacrifice	Who was Jesus really? Christian, Jewish, Muslim Depictions, Messiah, miracles, Pharisees, Sadducees, traditions	Why is the bible the best-selling book of all time? Christian Gospel, interpretation, secular, significance, spiritual, translation	Does the language of scripture matter? Christian, Muslim, Jewish Commentary, cultural language, diaspora, religious language, translation, written scripture
5	Why do people have to stand up for what they believe in? Christian, Muslim, Sikh Atheist, devotion, discrimination, liberation, prejudice, tolerance	Why doesn't Christianity always look the same? Christian Congregation, Eucharist, evangelising, Pentecost, resurrection, sacraments	What happens when we die? (part 1) Jewish, Christian, Muslim, Humanist Atonement, Dia de los Muertos, Jannah, purgatory, reconciliation, Yom Kippur	What happens when we die? (part 2) Hindu, Buddhist, Sikh Bodhisattva, Eightfold Path, Hukam, karma, margas, reincarnation,	Who should get to be in charge? Muslim, Sikh, Christian Anointed, bloodline, interpretation, lineage, religious law, succession	Why are some places in the world significant to believers? Christian, Jewish, Buddhist, Muslim, Sikh, Hindu Covenant, pilgrimage, relic, shrine, significant, stupas
6	Why does religion look different around the world? (part 1) Jewish, Muslim, Christian Charedi, hijab, kippah, mitzvot, niqab, Shabbat	Why does religion look different around the world? (part 2) Hindu, Sikh, Buddhist, Jain Commemorate, concept, culture, diversity, monastic, righteousness	Why is it better to be there in person? Muslim, Jewish, Christian, Humanist Ka'bah, Makkah, Hajj, spirituality, Temple Mount, Western Wall	Why is there suffering? (part 1) Jewish, Christian, Zoroastrianist, Buddhist Balance, conscience, crucifixion, evil, suffering, temptation	Why is there suffering? (part 2) Shinto, Buddhist, Sikh, Humanist Chardi Kala, dukkha, Hukam, kami, Naam, sukha,	What place does religion have in our world today? Multiple Worldviews Census, colonialisation, diversity, heritage, protected characteristics, worldview