St Andrew's C of E (VA) Primary School Religious Education Curriculum

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Foundation Stage	Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?	Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas?	How can we help others when they need it?	Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?	What makes every single person unique and precious?	How can we care for our wonderful world?
	Throughout YF: What times / stories are special and why?					
Year 1	1.10 What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	1.7 Who is Jewish and how do they live? (part 1)	1.1 What do Christians believe God is like?	1.7 Who is Jewish and how do they live? (Continued)	1.2 Who do Christians say made the world?	1.9 How should we care for the world and for others, and why does it matter? (C, J, NR)
Year 2	1.6 Who is a Muslim and how do they live? (Part 1)	1.3 Why does Christmas matter to Christians?	1.6 Who is a Muslim and how do they live? (Part 2).	1.5 Why does Easter matter to Christians?	1.4 What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings?	1.8 What makes some places sacred to believers? (C,M)
Year 3	L2.1 What do Christians learn from the Creation story?	L2.2 What is it like for someone to follow God?	L2.9 How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?	L2.10 How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people?	L.2.4 What kind of world did Jesus want?	L2.12 How and why do people try to make the world a better place? (C, M/J, NR)
Year 4	L2.7 What do Hindus believe God is like?	L2.3 What is the 'Trinity' and why is it important for Christians?	L2.8 What does it mean to be Hindu in Britain today?	L 2.5 Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?	NEW L2.13 How do people from religious and non-religious communities celebrate festivals?	L2.11 How and why do people mark the significant events of life? (C,H,NR)
Year 5	U2.1 What does it mean if Christians believe God is holy and loving?	U2.8 What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?	U2.3 Why do Christians believe Jesus was the Messiah?	U2.9 Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people?	NEW Unit 2.11 What does it mean to be a Humanist in Britain today? 2026 UPDATE Unit 35: How can following God bring	NEW U2.13c What can be done to reduce racism? Can religion help?

					freedom and justice?	
Year 6	**U2.2 Creation and Science: conflicting or complementary?**	U2.11 Why do some people believe in God and some not? (C, NR)	**U2.7 Why do Hindus want to be good?**	**U2.10 What matters most to Humanists and Christians?** (C, M/J, NR)	**U2.6 For Christians, what kind of king is Jesus?**	U 2.12 How does faith help people when life gets hard?

Still to put in: NEW U2.14 What do religious and non-religious worldviews teach about caring for the Earth.

Units in bold for Y6 show where St. Andrew's matches Model 2 - not necessarily in order. In progress.