



Year 7						
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Learning	<p><b>Me and My World Part 1</b></p> <p>Students will consider their own beliefs and values and why these are important to themselves, school and British society. They will also reflect on how belief and values inspire people to act in heroic and compassionate ways.</p>	<p><b>Me and My World Part 2</b></p> <p>Students will understand how Christianity came to the North East of England and consider the main contributors in the spread of Christianity in their area. They will also reflect on places of worship in Middlesbrough and the contribution that religion plays in supporting the local community.</p>	<p><b>Me and My World Part 3</b></p> <p>Students will consider how the world began and the responsibilities humans have in caring for the environment and each other.</p>	<p><b>The Big Bible Story: Old testament</b></p> <p>Students study the big story from Genesis and the separation from God, to the hope of a Messiah and God's plan to rescue humanity. Students begin to understand Christian and Jewish beliefs and their way of life today.</p>	<p><b>The Big Bible Story: Old testament</b></p> <p>Students study the big story from Genesis and the separation from God, to the hope of a Messiah and God's plan to rescue humanity. Students begin to understand Christian and Jewish beliefs and their way of life today.</p>	<p><b>The Background to Jesus</b></p> <p>Students will reflect on what evidence is available for Jesus of Nazareth. This will involve historical, archaeological and theological evidence. Students will have the opportunity to investigate and analyse the culture and society that Jesus grew up in.</p>
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Learning	<b>Understanding Christianity</b>	<b>Rites of Passage</b>	<b>Rites of Passage</b>	<b>Is death the end?</b>	<b>Is death the end?</b>	<b>Is there a God?</b>
	Students study the big story from Jesus's birth to his death and resurrection. Students reflect on God's bigger picture to rescue humanity from sin and the fulfilment in the New Testament of the Old Testament Prophecy. Links will be made with Unit 2 in Year 7.	Students will understand some of the significant milestones in the lives of believers and explain why these are meaningful. They will be able to reflect on the value of having rituals to mark a 'turning point' or commitment in the life of Christians.	Students will understand some of the significant milestones in the lives of believers and explain why these are meaningful. They will be able to reflect on the value of having rituals to mark a 'turning point' or commitment in the life of Christians.	Students will interpret a range of sources, texts and authorities on the nature of life after death from different traditions to suggest answers to questions about what happens when we die. They will also evaluate the significance of religious and non-religious beliefs about life after death.	Students will interpret a range of sources, texts and authorities on the nature of life after death from different traditions to suggest answers to questions about what happens when we die. They will also evaluate the significance of religious and non-religious beliefs about life after death.	Students will interpret a variety of sources which express what God is like and analyse and compare the arguments for the existence of God. They will also express insights into how the problem of evil and suffering challenges a belief in God.



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