



St Michael's
C.E. Primary School

EYFS – Key Stage 1 Bridge Religious Education

	ELG 14 People and Communities	How this goal is achieved in EYFS	RE in Key Stage 1
<p>Specific Area of Learning Understanding the World</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class. • Explain some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, non-fiction texts, and when appropriate, maps. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • From Spring Term daily collective worship – with opportunities to listen to stories from the bible and Christian hymns and music. Explicit links are made to Christianity from around the world. • Sharing stories that reflect diversity of experiences. (e.g The stories ‘Smeds and Smoos’ and ‘Mixed’) • Exploration of key Christian events eg Nativity, Advent, Harvest, Easter and Pentecost. • Exploration of key religious events from other faiths eg Eid and Diwali. • Inclusion of small world characters and puppets from different faiths and cultures. • Visit in Reception to St Michael’s Church. • Following of Sandwell RE scheme and Understanding Christianity. • Exploration of school values in circle time. 	<p><u>Christianity (including Methodism Y2 unit)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why is belonging to God and the church family important to Christians? • What did Jesus teach about God in his parables? • Why do Christians pray to God and worship him? • How does celebrating Pentecost remind Christians that God is with them always? • Why was Jesus given the name ‘saviour’? • What are the best symbols of Jesus’ resurrection at Easter? • Why do Christians trust Jesus and follow him? • Why does it matter to be part of a community and what can we learn about Christians and community life? <p><u>Islam</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How do some Muslims show Allah is compassionate and merciful? • Explore stories from the Prophet. <p><u>Sikhism</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning to learn about Sikhism: Stories of the Sikh Gurus • Where do Sikhs worship? To explore Gurdwaras • Explore the holy text of the Sikhs. <p><u>Themes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sacred Books for Christians, Muslims and Sikhs. • Places of Worship for Christians, Muslims and Sikhs. • Stories from different faiths. • Holy days and celebrations for different faiths.

ELG – Listening, attention and understanding and ELG – Speaking to be promoted through all work in RE.