Timescale	Autumn 1	Autumn 1 and 2	Spring	Summer
Prior Learning (from KS2/3)	Basic knowledge from KS2 studies of world religions.	Basic knowledge from KS2 studies of world religions, Attributes of God from autumn term.	Basic knowledge from KS2 studies of world religions, understanding of Monotheism autumn 1.	Basic knowledge from KS2 studies of world religions, understanding of Monotheism autumn 1.
Unit Title	What is RE? (2)	Christianity (5)	Judaism (7)	Islam (7)
Key knowledge (5-10 points)	 What is RE? Why study RE? Asking questions that do not always have an easy answer World Religions Key concepts in religions Polytheism and monotheism Attributes of God 	 What is Christianity? Key teachings - Creation Key teachings - The Apostles Creed Key teachings - The Bible Who was Jesus? The Parables (x2)- MUST include x1 lesson on the Good Samaritan* Assessment The concept of forgiveness in Christianity The Nativity (Jesus' birth - Christmas) 	 What is Judaism? The Covenant with Abraham Rules for Living (<i>Ten</i> <i>Commandments</i>) The Torah The Synagogue Shabbat Keeping Kosher Festivals in Judaism (Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur and Pesach) Assessment 	 What is Islam? The Qur'an and the Mosque The Five Pillars of Islam Ramadan and Eid-ul-Fitr Hajj Daily Life and Prayer Countering Islamophobia Assessment
Key skills	 Questioning and answering Compare/contrast between different religions To understand the different concepts of God 	 Interpreting/explaining the teaching of a range of Jesus' parables Understand the religion of Christianity through the narrative of Jesus' life analysing different beliefs/practices. 	 Evaluate a range of different arguments Compare/contrast different beliefs/practices in Judaism. Making links to Christianity. 	 Explaining a range of significant beliefs and practices in Islam Evaluate different arguments. Compare/contrast to other religions
Key terminology	Belief, opinion, atheist, theist, agnostic, founder, Covenant, Prophet, monotheism, polytheism.	Denomination, miracle, parable, Bible, worship, church, resurrection, forgiveness, baptism.	Monotheism, mitzvot, Covenant, Kippur, Tallit, Tefillin, Shabbat, Kosher, festivals.	Monotheistic, Muhammad, Tawhid, Qur'an, Five Pillars, Shahadah, Sawm, Salah, Zakah, Hajj, Ramadan.
Assessment (methods to assess)	Key terminology, short answer knowledge retrieval, extended writing answers. (Thunks)	Key terminology, short answer knowledge retrieval, extended writing answers. (Use of the Bible/Parables)	Key terminology, short answer knowledge retrieval, Formal end of Unit Assessment including extended written answers. (Synagogue, Shabbat, Festivals)	Key terminology, short answer knowledge retrieval, Formal end of Unit Assessment including extended writing answers. (Features of the Mosque/Five Pillars)
Links to other units in KS3/4	Monotheisic religions in Year 7, polytheistic religions in Year 8.	What makes a religion Yr 7 Aut 1, Christian lifestyle Yr 9 Aut 1.	Links to Christianity in Autumn term Jewish views on life and death and marriage (Yr 9) Anti-Semitism and Anne Frank (Yr 9)	Links to Christianity and Judaism Muslim views on life and death and marriage (Yr 9)