


RE at The Bramble Academy

<u>Rationale for curriculum design</u>	<u>Sequence of Learning</u>
<p>We believe that understanding the world lays the foundations for developing responsible and understanding citizens ready for a life in Modern Britain. By beginning to understand different faiths and religions, children will learn how other peoples' lives influences the life they live.</p>	<p>Jigsaw RE focuses on critical thinking skills, on personal reflection into the child's own thoughts and feelings, on growing subject knowledge and nurturing spiritual development and uses the following 4-step model.</p>
<u>Intent</u>	
<p>Our belief is that when using this model well, children's critical thinking skills can be developed, their motivation to learn increased, and their knowledge and understanding of, and empathy with people and their worldviews (religious or otherwise) will be enhanced.</p> <p>This approach takes very seriously the philosophy that children are free to make their own choices and decisions concerning their own view of the world and their beliefs and morals. RE does not try to persuade, but rather to inform and develop the skills with which evaluation can take place.</p>	

The Learning of the Bramble Child						
2024-25	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
EYFS						
Year 1	1.1 Celebrations and festivals: Jigsaw RE Judaism: Who is God to the Jews?	Jigsaw RE Christianity: What gifts in my town have given to Jesus if he had been born here rather than Bethlehem?	1.3 Beliefs and teaching Jigsaw RE Christianity: What do Christians believe about God?		1.4 Symbols in religious worship and practice. Jigsaw RE Judaism: Does visiting the synagogue help Jewish children feel closer to God?	1.2 Myself and Caring for Others. Jigsaw RE Christianity: Is it possible to be kind to everybody all of the time?
Year 2	2.1 Leaders Jigsaw RE Judaism: Who is God to Jews?	1.1 Celebration and festivals. Jigsaw RE Christianity: Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world?	2.4 Story Jigsaw RE Christianity: Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity on Palm Sunday?	2.3: Belonging Jigsaw RE Christianity: How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion?	2.2 Believing Jigsaw RE Judaism: Is Shabbat important to Jewish Children?	Jigsaw RE Humanists: What do Humanists believe?
Year 3	3.4 Inspirational people from the past Jigsaw RE Christianity: Could Jesus heal people? Did he perform miracles or was there some other explanation?	3.4 Inspirational people from the past Jigsaw RE Islam: How important is the prophet Muhammad to Muslims? (KS1 enquiry)	3.2 Religion and Family What is 'good' about Good Friday?	3.1 Beliefs and questions Jigsaw RE Christianity: Is forgiveness always possible for Christians?	3.2 and 3.3 Jigsaw RE Islam: Does praying at regular intervals help a Muslim in their everyday lives?	3.3 Theme Worship and sacred places. Jigsaw RE Hinduism: What is the best way for a Sanatani to show commitment to God?
Year 4	Jigsaw RE Humanists: What motivates Humanists to lead good lives?	4.4 Religion, family community, worship, celebration, ways of living. Jigsaw RE Hinduism: What might Sanatanis	4.1 The journey of life and death. Jigsaw RE Islam: Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead a good life?	4.1 The journey of life and death. Jigsaw RE Christianity How significant is it for Christians to believe that God intended Jesus to die?	4.3 Spiritual expression Comparison of symbols in Islam and Christianity.	4.2 Symbols and religious expression Jigsaw RE Islam: Does completing a pilgrimage make a person a better Muslim?

		learn from the story of Rama and Sita and the celebrations of Diwali? (KS1)				
Year 5	5.1 Inspirational people in today's world. Jigsaw RE Christianity: What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?	5.2 Religion and the individual Jigsaw RE Christianity: Is the Christmas story true?	5.3 Beliefs and questions Jigsaw RE Hinduism: How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?	5.4 Beliefs in action in the world. Jigsaw RE Hinduism: Why do Sanatanis use symbols?	5.4 Beliefs in action in the world. Jigsaw RE Islam: What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?	5.3 Beliefs in questions Jigsaw RE Humanism: What motivates Humanists to lead.
Year 6	6.3 Beliefs in action in the world Jigsaw RE Islam: How is the Qur'an vital to Muslims today?	6.2 Religion, worldviews, family and community. Jigsaw RE Christianity: Is Christianity still a strong religion over 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?	6.1 Teachings, wisdom and authority. Jigsaw RE Hinduism: What do some deities tell Sanatanis about God?		6.4 Beliefs in action in the world 'What is the best way for a _____ to show commitment to God? Gives the opportunity to consider upstanding	