



St. Edward's Catholic Primary School



Curriculum Intent Religious Education

To learn about the challenges, the world is facing, have the inspiration to improve and preserve the future of our planet, and to live happy, healthy and kind lives in the way that Jesus teaches us.



Within our RE Curriculum, we encourage our pupils to pray the Sign of the Cross, Hail Mary and Our Father in a home language, as well as, the language of the month. All KS2 pupils learn these prayers in French. During May, which is the Month of Mary, pupils learn about the appearance and apparitions of Our Lady from around the world. Within our assemblies and lessons, we learn about international saints that may be patrons of the countries in which our pupils have links with. We also learn about other faiths in our local community.

Pupils are encouraged to comment and form an opinion on religious art of specific religious events and use these ideas to create their own artistic interpretation of the same occurrence. Pupils are encouraged to independently think about the feelings of individuals that they learn about in different circumstances to create diary extracts for them.



Through Catholic Social Teaching, we are learning about the wider world and our place in it. We are becoming aware of how we can make our planet equal, fairer and sustainable for those less fortunate than us. As stewards of God's world we are becoming more aware of how to look after our world through the responsible use and protection of our natural environment.

Where possible, we seek ways in providing cross curricular links within our RE work and the opportunity to make educational visits to places of worship and religious museums. During May, the Month of Mary, geographical links by locating the host country of the apparitions is encouraged. Religious art is a feature across the RE curriculum topics. Religious literacy is evident in the prayers, and recounts composed by the pupils.



Pupils are encouraged to use devices to create power points to retell biblical stories, as well as, use the internet to conduct research on religious based topics, find information about specified saints or explore charities such as CAFOD and MISSO.



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The RE curriculum is arranged according to three strands: Church (community of faith), Sacrament (celebration in Ritual) and Christian Living (our way of life) that are taught once a term, in conjunction with a week spent on aspects of Catholic Social Teaching, other faiths and Relationship and Sex Education as a spiral curriculum.

RE (Come and See, RSHE and Catholic Social Teaching) TOPICS

Autumn	Spring	Summer
Domestic church CST-Family and Community Our Lady of the Rosary CST-Solidary and Common Good Baptism/confirmation - Belonging Other Faith - Judaism (NOV) Advent/ Christmas	Local church CST-Dignity of Work Caritas- Newham Deanery Citizenship Week Eucharist CST-Option for the Poor and Vulnerable Lent/Easter	Pentecost CST-Rights and Responsibility May is the Month of Mary- Our Lady Other Faith Reconciliation - Inter-relating CST-Dignity of the Human Person Journey in Love CST-Stewardship Universal Church

EYFS

Domestic church **Myself**- importance of my name and family
CST-Family and Community
 Our Lady of the Rosary
 Other Faith Judaism -
 Special Days-Hanukkah
CST-Solidary and Common Good
 Baptism /Confirmation -
Belonging- Welcome into God's family
 Advent & Christmas -
Birthday- to know Jesus; birthday is Christmas.

Local church - **Celebrating** -
 Presentation of our Lord
CST-Dignity of Work
 Caritas- Newham Deanery
 Citizenship Week
 Eucharist - **Gathering**- recognise how we gather as a parish family at mass
CST-Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 Easter Lent/Easter **Growing** recognise the Cross, the words of the Sign of the Cross and the Easter garden

Good News-Pentecost: The joy and happiness the Good News of Jesus brings.
CST-Rights and Responsibility
 May is the Month of Mary-The family of Mary
Other Faith-Sikhism
 Reconciliation - **Friends**-What Jesus tells us about friendship
CST-Dignity of the Human Person
Journey in Love
CST-Stewardship
 Universal Church - Our **World**- understand what we love and wonder about our world



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YEAR 1

Domestic church – Families- My family loves me. God loves all of us
CST-Family and Community
 Our Lady of the Rosary –Joyful Mysteries
 Other Faith – Judaism Stories-Abraham, Moses -leaders
CST-Solidary and Common Good
 Baptism /Confirmation Belonging - rite of the Sacrament of Baptism
 Advent & Christmas Waiting- Symbols of Advent.

Local church – Special People retell some stories about Jesus' life
CST-Dignity of Work
 Caritas- Newham Deanery Citizenship Week
 Eucharist – Meals-the last supper
CST-Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 Lent/Easter Change- To recognise the story of Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday and recognise some religious signs, symbols and words linked to them

Pentecost Holy Days and Holidays- understand Pentecost; a holy day – the feast of the Holy Spirit.
CST-Rights and Responsibility
 May is the Month of Mary - Our Lady of Lourdes
 Other Faith
 Reconciliation – Being Sorry - Jesus looks for people making wrong choices Jesus forgives Zacchaeus
CST-Dignity of the Human Person
Journey in Love
CST-Stewardship
 Universal Church –
 Neighbours understand everyone is our neighbour and is loved by God.

YEAR 2

Domestic church —Beginnings-creation and psalm
CST-Family and Community
 Our Lady of the Rosary –Sorrowful Mysteries
 Other Faith – Judaism Shabbat
 October to November – Baptism /Confirmation –
CST-Solidary and Common Good
 Belonging Sign & Symbols- signs and symbols of Baptism
 December Advent & Christmas Preparing-

Local Church -Books-to recognise the importance of the bible
CST-Dignity of Work
 Caritas- Newham Deanery Citizenship Week
 Eucharist – Thanksgiving- signs and symbols and use some religious words and phrases used in the Eucharist
CST-Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 Lent/Easter Opportunities- describe the religious actions and symbols of Lent, Holy Week and Easter

Pentecost Spread the Word- Pentecost, spreading the Gospel
CST-Rights and Responsibility
 May is the Month of Mary-Our Lady of Fatima
 Other Faith -
 Sikhism- Reconciliation —
 Rules- Sacrament of Reconciliation and understand the reasons for rules in the Christian family.
CST-Dignity of the Human Person
Journey in Love
CST-Stewardship
 Universal Church – treasure- appreciate and value God's treasure – water - caring for God's world-

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YEAR 3

Domestic church – Homes- Holy Family; Mary, Joseph and Jesus give us an example of a happy and caring family.

CST-Family and Community

Our Lady of the Rosary –Glorious Mysteries

Other Faith – Judaism Special Places- Synagogue

CST-Solidary and Common Good

Baptism /Confirmation

Belonging - Sacrament of Baptism and Anointing

Advent & Christmas Visitors- The Annunciation, the Visitation Nativity and the visit of the

Local church – Journeys

CST-Dignity of Work

Caritas- Newham Deanery

Citizenship Week

Eucharist – Listening and

sharing symbols used during the celebration of the Eucharist

CST-Option for the Poor and Vulnerable

Lent/Easter

Giving All- of the stories of Holy Week and the Resurrection

Pentecost Energy- know and understand the energy of fire and wind

CST-Rights and Responsibility

May is the Month of Mary-Our Lady of Manaoag

Other

Faith Reconciliation Choices- examination of conscience and the Sacrament of Reconciliation

CST-Dignity of the Human Person

Journey in Love

CST-Stewardship

Universal Church – Special Places understand special places for Jesus and the Christian community

YEAR 4

Domestic church –

CST-Family and Community

Our Lady of the Rosary –Glorious Mysteries

Other Faith – Judaism Special Places- Synagogue

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YEAR 5

Domestic church –
CST-Family and Community
 Our Lady of the Rosary –Seraphic Rosary
 Other Faith – Judaism Festivals and belief-Passover
CST-Solidary and Common Good
 Baptism /Confirmation Belonging –Life Choices Sacrament of Marriage
 Advent & Christmas -Hope

Local church – Ecumenism
CST-Dignity of Work
 Caritas- Newham Deanery Citizenship Week
 Eucharist – Memorial Sacrifice symbols used during the celebration of the Eucharist make links with Passover and scripture
CST-Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 Lent/Easter
 Sacrifice- of the stories of Holy Week and the Resurrection
 Sacrifice- make links between scripture stories of Holy Week and the Temptation in the desert and how Christians observe the season of Lent

Pentecost -Transformation know and understand how fire and wind can lead to a transformation
CST-Rights and Responsibility
 May is the Month of Mary-Our Lady of Guadalupe
 Other Faith
 Reconciliation- Freedom and Responsibilities- examination of conscience and the Sacrament of Reconciliation
CST-Dignity of the Human Person
 Journey in Love
CST-Stewardship
 Universal Church – Stewardship
 Understand the church is called to stewardship of Creation.

YEAR 6

Domestic church – Loving
CST-Family and Community
 Our Lady of the Rosary –History of the Rosary
 Other Faith – Judaism Belongings and values-Yom Kippour
CST-Solidary and Common Good
 Baptism /Confirmation Belonging – Vocation Sacrament of Holy Orders
 Advent & Christmas Expectations- the prophesy of the coming of the Messiah

Local church – Sources
CST-Dignity of Work
 Caritas- Newham Deanery Citizenship Week
 Eucharist – Unity- between scripture and the Eucharist
CST-Option for the Poor and Vulnerable
 Lent/Easter
 Death and New Life- make links between religious actions and symbols to do with Lent and Holy Week and the Sacred Paschal Tridium and the Resurrection of Jesus

Pentecost Witness- know and understand the energy of fire and wind
CST-Rights and Responsibility
 May is the Month of Mary-Our Lady of Velankanni
 Other Faith
 Reconciliation Healing- Sacrament of Anointing the Sick
CST-Dignity of the Human Person
 Journey in Love
CST-Stewardship
 Universal Church – Common Good- Catholic Social Teaching

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