



Key Words in RE

EYFS

In EYFS, we expect children to understand and use the following words or their associated meanings:

Belong; birth; family; join; welcome; Easter; friend; nativity; Christmas; harvest; Jesus; Mary; Joseph; God; Angel; church; cross

Autumn

Spring

Summer

Year 1

How did the world begin?

What do some people think God looks like?

What is God's job?

Why should we care for the world?

How do we know that new babies are special?

Why should we care for others?

Believe
creation
God
religion
world views

God
believe
respect
unique
represent

believe
God
sacred
miracle
incarnation

creation
respect
responsibility
stewardship
ownership

God
creation
ceremony
celebration
precious

responsibility
religion
acts of kindness
charity
service

Year 2	<u>Why do we give thanks?</u>	<u>What do candles mean to some people?</u>	<u>How do we know some people have a special connection to God?</u>	<u>What is a prophet?</u>	<u>How do some people speak to God?</u>	<u>Where do some people speak to God?</u>
	grateful appreciate deity express gratitude	believe represent sacred symbol symbolism	believe symbolism miracle prophet revelation	prophet believe messenger wisdom characteristics	deity scared prayer communicate community	community deity worship tradition rituals
Year 3	<u>What makes us human?</u>	<u>Where do we get our morals from?</u>	<u>Is scripture central to religion?</u>	<u>What happens if we do wrong?</u>	<u>Why is water symbolic?</u>	<u>Why is fire used ceremonially?</u>
	believe express soul spiritual meditation	morals guidance observance restrictive covenant	spiritual believe scripture revelation prophet	morals soul forgiveness repentance consequences	symbolism ritual purity ceremony cleansing	ceremony symbolism eternal unity divine
Year 4	<u>Are all religions equal?</u>	<u>What make some texts sacred?</u>	<u>Just how important are our beliefs?</u>	<u>Who was Jesus really?</u>	<u>Why is the Bible the best-selling book of all time?</u>	<u>Does the language of scripture really matter?</u>
	world views unity religious equality harmony diversity	scared divine scripture origin viewpoint	believe divine commitments fast sacrifice	represent prophet depictions miracles prophecy	moral spiritual literal interpretation depict	scripture world views culture tradition translation

Year 5	<u>Why do people have to stand up for what they believe in?</u>	<u>Why doesn't Christianity always look the same?</u>	<u>What happens when we die? (Part One)</u>	<u>What happens when we die? (Part Two)</u>	<u>Who gets to be in charge?</u>	<u>Why are some places in the world significant to believers?</u>
	symbolism diversity prejudice persecution freedom	community interpretation migration influences impact	soul forgiveness judgement afterlife purgatory	soul eternity Samsara enlightenment reincarnation	commitment community authority dedication integrity	cleansing scared shrine relics significant
Year 6	<u>Why does religion look different around the world? (Part One)</u>	<u>Why does religion look different around the world? (Part Two)</u>	<u>Why is it better to be there in person?</u>	<u>Why is there suffering? (Part One)</u>	<u>Why is there suffering? (Part Two)</u>	<u>What place does religion have in the world today?</u>
	traditions culture omnipotent orthodox liberal	diversity deity practices evolving world views influences	sacred worship connection humanist pilgrimage	scripture omnipotent controversial suffering contradictory	diversity influences omnipresent omniscient celestial	world view discriminations secular immigration human rights