

Pegasus Primary Curriculum: Religion & Worldviews



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Year 1	SOCIAL SCIENCES Christianity & Judaism How do people show they belong? Showing belonging through religious artefacts, places and actions.	THEOLOGY Christianity Why does Christmas matter to Christians? Christian beliefs about the Nativity story and incarnation.	THEOLOGY Christianity & Judaism Who made the world? Religious text as origin of story of Creation. Creator God. Stewardship. The Fall.	PHILOSOPHY Humanism What questions does the story of creation make us ask? Can we find any answers? Asking questions & suggesting answers. Humanist/ scientific explanation of creation.	SOCIAL SCIENCES Judaism Why are symbols and artefacts important to Jewish families during Shabbat? Ways diverse Jewish families mark Shabbat.	SOCIAL SCIENCES Christianity How do Christians show God is important to them? Prayer, Praise and Worship
	SOCIAL SCIENCES Where is religion in our local community? (link Geography & History) Looking for evidence of lived Religion in local community.	PHILOSOPHY Judaism What does it mean to be free? The significance of freedom in diverse Jewish practices at Passover (seder).	THEOLOGY Christianity What do stories from the Bible reveal about what God is like? Interpreting meaning in stories about Jesus and stories told by him (parables).	THEOLOGY Christianity Why does Easter matter to Christians? Beliefs about Jesus' life, death & resurrection. Salvation.	PHILOSOPHY Hindu Dharma What do our senses tell us about Hindu worship? Senses in Hindu worship at home and in the Mandir.	SOCIAL SCIENCES Hindu Dharma How do celebrations give Hindus a sense of belonging? Celebrations. Jatakarma, Raksha Bandhan & Diwali



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Year 3	THEOLOGY Christianity What is the Bible? Origins, content, significance, construction and interpretation of the Bible.	THEOLOGY & SOCIAL SCIENCES Christianity What is the Trinity? How have artists used symbolism to express Trinity? One God - Father, Son, Holy Spirit. Significance of metaphor and symbolism.	PHILOSOPHY Christianity & Humanism How do people make moral decisions? Rules and human choice.	THEOLOGY Islam Where do Islamic beliefs come from? History of Prophet Muhammad, revelation of the Qur'an, significance of Mecca.	SOCIAL SCIENCES Islam How do Muslims express their beliefs in their daily lives? Expression of beliefs about Allah, 5 Pillars of Islam as obligations. Lived diversity.	THEOLOGY & PHILOSOPHY Is it reasonable to believe God is omnipotent, omnibenevolent, omniscient and omnipresent? Meaning of "omni" in Abrahamic understanding of God. Does this seem possible philosophically? What religious stories might support this?
	PHILOSOPHY What do we mean by truth? Plato's cave. Evidence and scientific reasoning.	THEOLOGY Christianity/Judaism/Islam What does sacrifice mean? Abraham/Ibrahim in sacred text, Eid-ul-Fitr, animal sacrifice, Jesus as Ultimate Sacrifice.	PHILOSOPHY Christianity / Islam / Humanism How do people think about poverty, justice & self-sacrifice? Meaning of poverty & relative poverty. Meaning of justice. Everyday self-sacrifice.	SOCIAL SCIENCES Islam / Christianity How do people contribute to society? Self-sacrifice in form of charity/ community action.	THEOLOGY Islam How have events in history shaped Islamic diversity? Succession after Muhammad, conflict, Qur'anic interpretation. Sunni, Shia, Sufi.	SOCIAL SCIENCES How has religion and belief shaped our local area? International, national & local data. Lived expression in area.



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Year 5	SOCIAL SCIENCES Hindu Dharma How are Hindu beliefs expressed in artifacts and worship? One supreme being, Brahman Trimurti, avatars. Diverse worship as form of expression.	THEOLOGY Hindu Dharma How does scripture help Hindus understand Dharma? Diverse interpretations of the Ramayana	THEOLOGY & PHILOSOPHY Buddhism How do Buddhists explain suffering in the world? Spiritual journey of Siddhartha Gautama, enlightenment, 4 Noble Truths, 8 fold path.	THEOLOGY Christianity How have events in history shaped Christian diversity? (Link history & Geography) Great commission, Roman Empire, Nicene Creed, Great Schism, Martin Luther, Henry VIII, present.	SOCIAL SCIENCES Christianity How has belief in Jesus as the Messiah impacted art & music? prophecy (Isaiah), fulfillment, New Testament, Ultimate Sacrifice. Global art. Handel's Messiah.	PHILOSOPHY Is belief in God rational? Evidence suggested by religious worldviews, assessment of rational argument.
Year 6	THEOLOGY Christianity Why is the resurrection significant for Christians? Different gospel narratives, truth claims, salvation.	THEOLOGY (Christianity) Are religion & science in conflict? (Link science – Evolution) Creation, interpretation, diversity of opinion.	SOCIAL SCIENCES Hindu Dharma In what diverse ways do Hindus build a sense of community? Festivals & Pilgrimage	PHILOSOPHY What do philosophers teach us about life's purpose? Self & Soul (link Yr5 Knowledge unit)	SOCIAL SCIENCES Christianity / Hindu Dharma / Islam / Humanism / Sikhi How is an understanding of life's purpose reflected in people's lives? (local choice) Diverse expression of purpose in lived worldviews.	

