Disciplinary Skills Progression Map

Understanding religion and faith							
EYFS	Year I	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
					Review Year	Review Year	
	Review EYFS	Review Year I	Review Year 2	Review Year 3	4	5	
EYFS pupils	YI pupils	Y2 pupils	Y3 pupils	Y4 pupils	Y5 pupils	Y6 pupils	
should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	
						Compare and	
			Compare and			contrast	
			contrast	Compare	Compare	beliefs and	
			beliefs and	beliefs and	beliefs and	faiths,	
CI			faiths (eg	faiths and	faiths and	relating it to	
Show an			how Muslims	begin to	give coherent	their own	
understanding of	Understand	Understand	and	suggest reasons	reasons for	heritage and	
their own	what a belief	that there is	Christians	for the	the	to other	
feelings and	is and why it	more than	differ in	differences	differences	cultures	
those of others.	is important to	one belief	daily prayer	and	and	around the	
	people.	system.	routines).	similarities.	similarities.	world.	

Questioning						
EYFS	Year I	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
					Review Year	Review Year
	Review EYFS	Review Year I	Review Year 2	Review Year 3	4	5
EYFS pupils	YI pupils	Y2 pupils	Y3 pupils	Y4 pupils	Y5 pupils	Y6 pupils
should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:
					Ask and	
		Show curiosity			answer	
		by voluntarily	Start to		theologically	
		asking	frame	Ask and	valid	Regularly ask
	Ask and	questions	questions and	answer	questions (eg	and answer
Respond with	answer simple	about what	answers in	relevant	about	perceptive
relevant questions	questions about	they have	ways that are	questions (eg	sensitivity,	questions in
and comments.	what they have	seen, heard	relevant to	about cause	reliability,	theologically
	seen or heard.	or read.	RE.	and change).	perspective).	valid ways.

Respect and empathy							
EYFS	Year I	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
					Review Year	Review Year	
	Review EYFS	Review Year I	Review Year 2	Review Year 3	4	5	
EYFS pupils	YI pupils	Y2 pupils	Y3 pupils	Y4 pupils	Y5 pupils	Y6 pupils	
should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	
Work and play				Demonstrate		Start	
cooperatively and		Demonstrate	Consistently	good manners	Demonstrate	managing	
take turns with	Start to show	respect for	show respect	and start to	good manners	other people's	
others.	respect through	others (eg by	for others	cope with /	and sensitively	insensitivity in	
	their actions	choosing to	through their	compensate	deal with	appropriate	
	(eg following	help each	manners and	for non-	others' lack	and courteous	
	school rules).	other)	actions.	reciprocation.	of manners.	ways.	

						Explain how
						and why
						people might
				Share and		decide not to
			Verbalise	discuss		show respect
			someone else's	opinions,	Explain how	or tolerance
		Listen	opinion,	comparing	people can	for other
		courteously	including	and	show respect	people's
Listen attentively		(eg take turns	when it	contrasting	for other	religions,
and respond to	Explain own	to explain	differs from	politely where	religions	faiths and
what they hear.	views politely.	views).	their own.	appropriate.	(opinions).	opinions.

Using Texts							
EYFS	Year I	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
					Review Year	Review Year	
	Review EYFS	Review Year I	Review Year 2	Review Year 3	4	5	
EYFS pupils	YI pupils	Y2 pupils	Y3 pupils	Y4 pupils	Y5 pupils	Y6 pupils	
should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	
Demonstrate							
understanding of							
what has been	Show some						
read to them by	understanding	ldentify ways	Start to show	Recognise that			
retelling stories	of the ways we	that religion	awareness	'facts' can		Explain and	
and narratives	can find out	is presented	that there are	vary	Begin to	critique the	
using their own	about religion	and	different	depending on	explain how	way 'facts'	
words and	(eg books,	represented	ways to	the source and	'facts' are	are used and	
recently	internet,	(eg fiction,	represent	begin to	interpreted to	interpreted to	
introduced	museums,	images,	religious	suggest reasons	support	support	
vocabulary.	photos.	maps).	information.	for this.	opinions.	opinions.	
Anticipate- where					Select and		
appropriate- key					organise	Use careful	
events in stories.		Start to			information	and sensitive	
		explain a			from more	selections of	
	Use parts of	personal	Explain a		than one	information	
	religious stories	response to	personal		source to	to politely	
	to show that	(parts of)	response to	Use references	construct an	critique their	
	they	books and	book and	to explain	informed	peers'	
	understand.	religious texts.	religious texts.	their opinions.	response.	opinions.	

Finding morals (in stories)							
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EYFS pupils	YI pupils	Y2 pupils	Y3 pupils	Y4 pupils	Y5 pupils	Y6 pupils	
should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	should:	
Offer							
explanations			Explain the				
about why things			moral				
might happen,	Understand		(purpose) of a	Explain the	Find links		
making use of	that some	Recognise and	story and	purpose of	between stories		
recently	stories have a	start to	start to put	religious stories	within and	Explain how	
introduced	hidden	explain the	into a	and how they	between	religious	
vocabulary from	'message', for	moral of a	religious	impact on	beliefs and	stories fulfil	
stories.	example.	story.	context.	practice(s).	faiths.	their purpose.	