

Luxulyan School

Embracing Community, Shaping Futures

Luxulyan School Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural development Programme

	Aspect	Early Years	Key stage 1	Key stage 2
Spiritual	Ability to be reflective about their own beliefs, religious or otherwise, that inform their perspective on life.	In EYFS, children begin to talk about the beliefs of their immediate family and community, recognising that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways. They listen to religious and modern-day stories and compare and contrast characters, including figures from the past. RE Units - Children explore the questions 'Why is Christmas Special for Christians?' and Why is Easter special for Christians?'. As part of these units they make connections with personal experiences. RE Unit – 'Being Special: where do we belong?' – children talk about belonging to a family, school community etc and share	Children develop their awareness of religion and worldviews in Key stage 1, focusing on conceptual knowledge through the study of a limited range of religions and worldviews represented in the UK, including Christianity. RE – In Key Stage 1, children explore the questions 'What do Christians believe God is like?', 'Who do Christians say made the world?', 'Why does Christmas matter to Christians?' and 'Why does Easter matter to Christians?' History – Kapow Y1/Y2 children learn about changes in living memory through the topics 'How am I making History?', 'How have toys changed?', 'What is History?' and 'How was school different in the past?	Children build knowledge they can refer to throughout their learning in Key stage 2 while encountering a greater range of religions and worldviews and considering further the diverse nature of religious and non- religious lived experience. Opening Worlds RE – In Y4 Christianity 1 – The family of Jesus, children explore the question 'Why is the idea of 'Messiah' so important to Christians?' Opening Worlds RE – In Y4 Christianity 2 – The birth of Jesus, children explore the question 'How do Christians express their beliefs about Jesus at Christmas time?' Opening Worlds RE – In Y4 Christianity 3 – Life and teachings of Jesus, children explore the

	occasions when things have happened in their lives that make them feel special.		question 'How does the life and teaching of Jesus affect the way in which Christians live?'
	Theme – Let's Celebrate - Children explore the significance of various festivals including Diwali, Hannukah and Christmas, through stories, images and creative activities; learning about the customs and meanings behind these celebrations.		Opening Worlds RE – In Y4 Christianity 4 – The death and resurrection of Jesus, children explore the question 'What does the death and resurrection of Jesus mean in Christian traditions?'
Knowledge of and respect for different people's faiths, feelings and values.	RE Unit – 'What stories are special and why?' - listening to different stories, children will explore what they can learn about people's beliefs. They will understand that stories have the power to inspire and teach, encouraging people to do good things, which makes stories special. RE Unit – 'What places are special and why? – children learn that some religious people have places which have special meaning for them. Children explore things that are special and valued in a place of worship.	RE Units – 'Who is Jewish and how do they live part 1 and part 2?' and 'Who is Muslim and how do they live part 1 and part 2?' – children explore what different people believe and what difference this makes to how people live Re Unit – 'What does it mean to belong to a faith community?' – children think about belonging an how Christians, Muslims and Jews show they belong to a faith community Weekly newsround Weekly picture news assemblies Daily stories – choice of texts	Opening Worlds RE Y3, children learn about Hinduism through units on : 'A Hindu Story' They explore the question 'What does the story of Rama and Sita mean to Hindu peoples? 'More Hindu Stories' They explore the question 'What do Hindus learn from Vishnu's stories and symbols?' 'Even more Hindu stories' They explore the question 'How do Hindus show their devotion?' Opening Worlds RE Y6, Sikhism 1 – The teaching of the Gurus. Children learn how Sikhs use their stories and sayings in their
	RE – 'Being Special: where do we belong?' – children learn about	covers a range of cultures, beliefs and values.	everyday lives.

	how babies are welcomed in the Muslim tradition and how Hindu brothers and sisters show their love for each other at a festival Theme – Let's Celebrate - Children explore the significance of various festivals including Diwali, Hannukah and Christmas, through stories, images and creative activities; learning about the customs and meanings behind these celebrations. Weekly picture news assemblies Daily stories – choice of texts		Christmas Carol Service for KS2 at the local church Weekly newsround Weekly picture news assemblies
Sense of enjoyment and fascination in learning about themselves, others and the world around them.	covers a range of cultures, beliefs and values. RE Unit – 'Why is the word God so important to Christians?' – children think about the wonders of the natural world, expressing ideas and feelings and talk about what people do to mess up the world and what they can do to look after it.	RE Units – Children explore the questions 'How should we care for the world and for others, and why does it matter?' and 'Who do Christians say made the world?' Kapow History Y1/Y2 unit 'How	Opening Worlds RE Y3 Judaism 3 - Samuel, Saul, David and the Kingdom Children explore the question 'How do Jews today show the importance of the Jewish Temple and the kingdom of Israel?'
	Theme – Marvellous Me - Children explore the different ways people are special; using stories, discussions and creative activities to learn about what makes themselves, people	was school different in the past?' Children develop an understanding that although schools have been in the local area for a long time, they have not always been the same; identifying historical similarities	Geography units on Rivers, Mountains, Settlements, Agriculture, Volcanoes, Climate and Biomes in Y3. Geography units on The Rhine and the Mediterranean,

around them and in the	and differences; using a range of	Population, Coastal processes
community special.	sources to recognise continuity	and landforms, Tourism,
	between children's lives past and	Earthquakes and Deserts in Y4.
Theme – Let's Celebrate -	present.	Geography units on Why is
Children explore the significance		California so thirsty?, Oceans,
of various festivals including	Kapow Geography Y1/Y2 unit	Migration, North and South
Diwali, Hannukah and Christmas,	'What is it like here? Locating	America, The Amazon and The
through stories, images and	where they live on an aerial	Interconnected Amazon in Y5.
creative activities; learning about	photograph and recognising	
the customs and meanings	features within a local context.	Geography units on Energy and
behind these celebrations.	Creating maps using classroom	Climate change, Ethiopia,
	objects before drawing simple	Changing Birmingham, Jamaica
Theme – The Circle of Life –	maps of the school grounds.	and a Local Enquiry unit in Y6.
Children learn about growing and	Following simple routes around	
changes focusing on themselves,	the school grounds and carrying	
animals and plants. They	out an enquiry as to how their	Trips
consider how they can help to	playground can be improved.	Community based projects such
look after the planet.		as developing the Glebe Land,
	Geography unit 'Would you	Cornwall Heritage and Friends of
Theme – Amazing Adventures –	prefer to live in a hot or cold	Luxulyan Valley.
Children explore and learn about	place?' Introducing children to	
a range of different	the basic concept of climate	
environments through stories.	zones and mapping out hot and	
	cold places globally. Looking at	
Theme – Blue Planet – Children	features in the North and South	
learn about the beach and the	Poles and Kenya. Comparing	
sea. They also find out about	weather and features in the local	
plastic pollution and the impact	area. Learning the four compass	
it has.	points. Learning the names and	
	locating the continents of our	
Trips – Lost Gardens of Heligan,	world.	
Eden Project, Beach trip		
	Geography unit 'What can you	
	see at the coast?' Naming and	

		locating continents and oceans of the world while revisiting countries and cities of the UK and surrounding seas. Children learn about the physical features of the Jurassic Coast and how humans have interacted with this, including land use and tourism. Trips and visitors linked to the curriculum	
	about the world around them. In English, enjoyment is shared th writing. In Maths children use multiple rep question. In Science enquiry and investigation	hnology units promote a sense of er rough love of reading, choice of text presentations to explore thinking of ons foster a sense of curiosity. Scien s linked to stories and the world arou	ts to engage children and inspire different methods to answer a ce day enables all children to
Use of imagination and creativity in their learning.	During OWL (Our Wonderful Learning) Time, children have the opportunity to use and explore resources in the art studio, craft workshop, shape and create zone, imagination station, picture production zone, build factory and construction zone that all foster and develop the use of imagination and learning.	Children use imagination and creativity in daily writing lessons. In Art in Y1 children study units on Drawing: Make your mark, Painting and mixed media: Colour splash, Sculpture and 3D: Paper play and Craft and Design: Woven wonders	Opening Worlds RE units allow opportunities for children to be creative and explore their understanding through art, story telling and role play activities. E.g. Year 3 Rama and Sita Lesson 3 – storytelling, Lesson 4 exploring art representations

	In Art in Y2 children study units	More Hindu stories Lesson 1 –
Children use imagination and	on Drawing: Tell a story, Painting	storytelling and pictorial
creativity in daily writing lessons.	and mixed media: Life in colour,	representations of stories,
	Sculpture and 3D: Clay houses	Lesson 5 pictorial
RE units allow opportunities for	and Craft and Design: Map it out	representations of stories
children to be creative and		Living Hindu traditions Lesson 2
explore their understanding	RE Unit – children explore the	 Creating an Aum design,
through art and role play	question 'Who do Christians say	Lesson 6 using art to represent
activities.	made the world?'. They explore	the festival of Teej
	the Christian story of creation in	Opening Worlds Y4 Christianity
	imaginative ways, children	2 – The birth of Jesus How have
	present their own ideas using art	Christians shown their
	and language. They consider how	importance in their drama, art
	the creation story helps some	and music?
	people understand what God is	Opening Worlds Y6 Art and
	like.	Action: three Christian lives
		In Art in Y3 children study units
		on Drawing: Growing artists,
		Painting and mixed media:
		Prehistoric painting, Sculpture
		and 3D: Abstract shape and
		space and Design: Ancient
		Egyptian scrolls
		In Art in Y4 children study units
		on Drawing: Power prints,
		Painting and mixed media: Light
		and Dark, Sculpture and 3D:
		Mega materials and Design:
		Fabric of nature
		In Art in Y5 children study units
		on Drawing: I need space,
		Painting and mixed media:
		Portraits, Sculpture and 3D:
		Fortraits, Sculpture and SD.

			Interactive installation and Craft and Design: Architecture In Art in Y6 children study units on Drawing: Make my voice heard, Painting and mixed media: Artist study, Sculpture and 3D: Making memories and Craft and Design: Photo opportunity
	All Art and Design and Design Te their learning.	echnology units promote children's ເ	ise of imagination and creativity in
Willingness to reflect on their experiences.	 PSHE – Aut 2 – Celebrating Difference focuses on reflecting on their experiences of their homes and why they are special to them. RE units usually begin with an opportunity to reflect on what is special to them – for example special places, special books, belonging. RE Units - Children explore the questions 'Why is Christmas Special for Christians?' and Why is Easter special for Christians?'. As part of these units they make connections with personal experiences 	RE Units In Key Stage 1, children explore the questions 'Why does Christmas matter to Christians?' and 'Why does Easter matter to Christians?' – children reflect on their own experiences of Christmas and Easter. Children reflect on learning through editing their work. Use of restorative conversations. Use of metacognition strategies to reflect on previous learning.	Opening Worlds Y4 Christianity 2 – The birth of Jesus reflect on their experiences of Christmas and the Christmas story Opening Worlds Y5 Christian sites and space – reflect on visit to local church Opening Worlds Y6 Holy Spaces - Children reflect on their experiences of studying / visiting 2 religious sites.

		Assemblies and Picture News alw reflections.	vays have a reflection period where	children can share their
Moral	Ability to recognise the difference between right and wrong, readily apply this understanding in their own lives and, in so doing, respect the civil and criminal law of England.	PSHE – Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on managing their feelings, working with others and why it is good to be kind and use gentle hands. They discuss children's rights including the right to learn and play. They learn about what it means to be responsible. RE Unit – 'What stories are special and why?' – children explore different religious stories and their teachings. Children learn about the school of class. Newsround and current affairs di Use of behaviour policy and restored		Opening Worlds Y6 Living Sikh traditions, children learn about Sikhism in practice. PSHE – Y5 Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on their rights and responsibilities as a member of their class, school, wider community and the country they live in. Opening Worlds – Y5 Living Muslim traditions, children explore the question ' What lies behind the traditions of hajj?' Opening Worlds Y6 Stories which point to truth, children will explore a variety of fables which point to truth.
	Understanding of the consequences of their behaviour and actions.	PSHE – Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on managing their feelings, working with others and why it is good to be	PSHE – Y1 Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on rights and responsibilities and choices and consequences.	World Earth Day – Y4 project with Wheal Martin to celebrate World Earth Day

	kind and use gentle hands. They discuss children's rights including the right to learn and play. They learn about what it means to be responsible.		Opening Worlds RE Y3 Rama and Sita Opening Worlds RE Y3 Judaism 2 - Joseph, Moses and the Exodus - The 10 commandments Opening Worlds RE Y3 Judaism 3 - Samuel, Saul, David and the Kingdom Opening Worlds RE Y5 Islam 3 – Living Muslim traditions – 5 pillars of Islam Opening Worlds RE Y5 Buddhism 1 – The prince who became the
	Children learn about the school Use of behaviour policy and rest Anti-bullying week activities	code of conduct part of our assemb torative conversations.	lies and in class.
Interest in investigating and offering reasoned views about moral and ethical issues, and being able to understand and appreciate the viewpoints of others on these issues.	Thematic units in RE allow children to learn about different peoples viewpoints. Weekly picture news assemblies	RE Units – 'Who is Jewish and how do they live part 1 and part 2?' and 'Who is Muslim and how do they live part 1 and part 2?' – children explore what different people believe and what difference this makes to how people live Weekly newsround Weekly picture news assemblies Class voice sheet for school parliament	Opening Worlds RE In Y4, Islam 1 (Ramadan), children explore the question 'What does 'Ramadan mean to Muslims today? Opening Worlds Y5 – Buddhism 2 – Buddhist stories and traditions Children explore the question 'What do Buddhist stories teach Buddhists about enlightenment?' PSHE – Y3 Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focusses on rights and responsibilities, choices and consequences, working collaboratively and seeing things from other people's point of view.

				Opening Worlds RE- In Y6, Reason and Revelation, children will ask big questions without reference to religion, God, holy scriptures e.g. How can I live a good life? What is good? What happened before birth? What will happen after death?
Social	Use of a range of social skills in different contexts, including working and socialising with pupils from different religious, ethnic and socio-economic backgrounds.		nd Opening Worlds RE encourages ross every year group as well as faci RE Unit – 'What does it mean to belong to a faith community?' Children think about belonging an how Christians, Muslims and Jews show they belong to a faith community PSHE – In Y1 Aut2 Celebrating difference they focus on how to make friends and that it is ok to be different from their friends.	
		Playground mentors Buddy reading	ovide opportunities for children to r	neet children from different

Willingness to participate in a variety of communities and social settings, including by volunteering, cooperating well with others and being able to resolve conflicts effectively.	Anti bullying week assemblies su St. Austell Festival of Music and S Library visits Poltair sports partnership Playground leaders Luxulyan Feast Week including C		oport anti-bullying.
	 PSHE – Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on managing their feelings, working with others and why it is good to be kind and use gentle hands. They discuss children's rights including the right to learn and play. They learn about what it means to be responsible. PSHE – Sum1 – Relationships unit focuses on strategies they can use to mend friendships and what makes a good friend. 	PSHE – Y2Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on rights and responsibilities, how to work collaboratively and how to listen to each other.	Stay Safe Anti-bullying workshops. Y6 School Council – fundraising events
Acceptance and engagement with the fundamental British values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs; the pupils develop and demonstrate skills and attitudes that will allow them to participate fully in and contribute positively to life in modern Britain.	Daily book vote Themes Amazing Adventures and Blue Planet - Children explore what makes the world around them special, children will learn why the world can be special to both themselves and others. Listening to other people's ideas about caring for the world and	Daily book vote PSHE – Y4 Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on democracy linking it to school parliament. RE Unit – 'What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings?' – children look at stories	Opening Worlds Y5 RE – Islam 2 – The story of the prophets Children explore the question 'What do Muslims learn from the prophets as role models?' Sikhism 1 – The teaching of the Gurus Children explore the question 'How do Sikhs use their stories and sayings in their everyday lives?'

		discussing reasons why this is important. RE Unit – 'What stories are special and why?' – children explore different religious stories and their teachings.	from the Bible and what they teach people. Kapow History Y1/2 Unit 'What is a monarch?' Finding out about the role of a monarch, children compare the monarchy today with the monarchy in the past. Pupils investigate how William the Conqueror became King and learn how he used castles to rule. They study different types of castles and consider how these evolved over time.	PSHE – Y5 Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on democracy and how it benefits the school and how they can contribute to it. PSHE – Y6 Aut 1- Being me in my world unit focuses on the United Nations Convention on the rights of the child. School Council St.Pirans Day March
		emphasising individual liberty an Remembrance Day assembly with British values assemblies through	ith are the same is explored through d the consequences of personal cho h 2 minute silence to reflect. nout the year focus on developing ch led through weekly Picture News ass	ice. ildren's understanding of the
	Understanding and appreciation of the wide range of cultural influences that have shaped their own heritage and that of others.	Whole school Harvest assembly Children collect food for the local St. Piran's Day assembly Go Cornish for Primary Schools Gorsedh Kernow Young People's Link with Cornwall Heritage and L	Awards	
Cultural		Daily stories/reading texts link to different cultures RE Unit – 'What places are special and why?' Children	Daily stories/reading texts link to different cultures Kapow History Unit Y1/2 'What is History?'	Opening Worlds Y5 Christianity 5 The message of Jesus spreads Children explore the question 'How did Christianity develop in

Understanding and appreciation	Investigate what makes places special and significant to different people. Starting by discussing places that are special to them, they will learn about religious buildings and places of worship and discuss the importance of these places to others RE Unit – 'What stories are special and why?' Listening to different stories, children will explore what they can learn about people's beliefs. They will understand that stories have the power to inspire and teach, encouraging people to do good things, which makes stories special.	Looking at personal chronology and finding out about the past within living memory. By examining photographs and asking questions, children investigate chronology. Beginning to look at a simple timeline extending back to before they were born. Exploring what holidays were like in the past through asking questions and examining photographs. RE Unit – children explore the questions 'What makes some people and places in Cornwall special?'	the early Church and how do we know? History curriculum in Y3 units on Ancient Egypt, Cradles of Civilisation, Indus Valley Civilisation, Persia and Greece, Ancient Greece and Alexander the Great. History curriculum in Y4 units on The Roman Republic, The Roman Empire, Roman Britain, Christianity in three empires, Islamic Civilisations (Arabia and Early Islam) and Islamic Civilisations (Muslim Cordoba) History curriculum in Y5 units on Islamic Civilisations (Baghdad – the round city), Anglo-Saxon Britain, Vikings in Britain (Lady of the Mercians), Norse Culture, Vikings in Britain (Changing rulers, Changing worlds) and a Local History Study. History curriculum in Y6 units on The Maya, Medieval African Kingdoms, Cities in time, Britain in the era of the Second World War and a Local History Study.
of the range of different cultures within academy and further afield as an essential element of their	different cultures	different cultures	Opening Worlds Y3 Judaism 2 – Joseph, Moses and the Exodus.

preparation for life in modern Britain.	Thematic RE units – children explore the questions 'Being Special: where do we belong?', 'What stories are special and why?' and 'What places are special and why?'. Themes – Marvellous Me, Let's Celebrate and Amazing Adventures – allow children to explore different cultures	RE Units – 'Who is Jewish and how do they live part 1 and part 2?' and 'Who is Muslim and how do they live part 1 and part 2?' – children explore what different people believe and what difference this makes to how people live Re Unit – 'What does it mean to belong to a faith community?' – children think about belonging an how Christians, Muslims and Jews show they belong to a faith community	Children explore the question 'Why do Jews celebrate the festival of Passover?' Opening Worlds Y3 Hinduism 3: Even more Hindu stories Children explore the question 'How do Hindus show devotion?' Opening Worlds Y5 Islam 3 – Living Muslim traditions Children explore the question 'What lies behind the traditions of Hajj?' Opening Worlds Y5 Christianity 6 - Living Christian traditions Children explore the question 'How are Christian beliefs and practices around the world similar and different?' Opening Worlds Y5 - Buddhism 2 – Buddhist stories and traditions Children explore the question 'What do Buddhist stories teach Buddhists about enlightenment?' Opening Worlds Y6 Sikhism 2 – Living Sikh traditions
Ability to recognise and value the things we share in common across cultural, religious, ethnic and socio-economic communities.	Daily stories/reading texts link to different cultures Picture News Themes – Marvellous Me, Let's Celebrate and Amazing Adventures – allow children to explore different cultures and compare similarities and differences	Daily stories/reading texts link to different cultures Assemblies Newsround and Picture News Kapow History curriculum / Geography curriculum (see above)	Opening Worlds Y5 Christianity 6 Living Christian traditions Children explore the question 'How are Christian beliefs and practices around the world similar and different?'

	Thematic units in RE allow children to compare different religions.	Thematic units in RE allow children to compare different religions.	
Knowledge of Britain's democratic parliamentary system and its central role in shaping our history and values, and in continuing to develop Britain.	Daily book vote	Daily book vote	Luxulyan School Council Year 5/6 trip to Parliament
	School Council meetings British values assemblies Newsround Picture news assemblies		
Willingness to participate in and respond positively to artistic, sporting and cultural opportunities.	St.Austell Speech and Music festival Go Cornish for Primary Schools Awards Poltair sports partnership St.Piran's Day Parade CELT choir festival CELT dance show Luxulyan Feast Week Carnival		
Interest in exploring, improving understanding of and showing respect for different faiths and cultural diversity, and the extent	RE includes enquiries across the principal world faiths. Enquiries include learning about the Persian New Year, a pilgrimage to the River Ganges, the significance of the Hajj and the importance of The Golden Temple.		
to which they understand, accept, respect and celebrate diversity, as shown by their tolerance and attitudes towards different religious, ethnic and socio- economic groups in the local, national and global communities.	Thematic units in RE allow children to explore and compare different religions. Themes – Marvellous Me, Let's Celebrate and Amazing	In RE units, children are introduced to a range of worldviews. They begin to explore the four key concepts: beliefs, practices, wisdom and morality, and community and	Opening worlds Y3: Abraham, Isaac and Jacob Children learn how stories from the Hebrew bible shaped Judaism. They explore the question ' Why is the

	Adventures – allow children to explore different cultures and compare similarities and differences	belonging. Lessons draw on the children's experiences and ideas to help them begin to consider their positionality, thinking about their own beliefs while being open to new ideas.	promised land so important in Judaism? Opening Worlds Y3 Hinduism 3: Even more Hindu stories Children explore the question 'How do Hindus show devotion?' Opening Worlds Y5 Islam 3 – Living Muslim traditions Children explore the question 'What lies behind the traditions of Hajj?' Opening Worlds Y5 Christianity 6 - Living Christian traditions Children explore the question 'How are Christian beliefs and practices around the world similar and different?' Opening Worlds Y5 - Buddhism 2 – Buddhist stories and traditions Children explore the question 'What do Buddhist stories teach Buddhists about enlightenment?' Opening Worlds Y6 Sikhism 2 – Living Sikh traditions PSHE – In Y5 Aut2 Celebrating difference they focus on culture and cultural differences and respecting other people's
			cultures.