St Margaret Marys Catholic Infant School

Religious Education Curriculum Overview

	Overarching	Branch 1	Branch 2	Branch 3	Branch 4	Branch 5	Branch 6
	theme	Creation	Prophecy	Galilee to	Desert to	To the ends	Dialogue
		and	and promise	Jerusalem	garden	of the	and
	44	covenant	71	Mission	Louis Toolis	Earth	Encounter
EYFS	My own faith, The faith of my community, Knowing God and the life of Jesus	Genesis - Indeed it is very good Focus on themselves and God's love for us	The annunciation The Nativity, shepherds, the crib, advent wreath; How different cultures celebrate	Wise men visit Jesus calls the little children Jesus came to show God's love	Lent, Jesus died on the cross - it was sad, Jesus was given new life - everyone celebrates, simple Holy Week	Ascension Pentecost Holy Spirit Early Christian community	My own faith Local Parish (Other faiths and festivals covered across the curriculum)
Year 1	Revelation, how do people know about God?	Story of Creation in Genesis, God's gift of Creation	God's love, Mary said yes to God's call, Hail Mary, events from the annunciation to shepherds, Angels - bringing God's message, Christmas around the world and the local Community	People that encounter Jesus, Jesus' mission, Our mission, Candlemas	Link Jesus' time in the desert and Lent, Giving - widow's mite, story of last week of Jesus' life (inc ways marked in another country)	Road to Emmaus, Promise of the Spirit, The Ascension, Pentecost Holy Spirit	Christianity - follower of Jesus Christ Judaism - belief in one God and special clothes Jewish people wear
Year 2	Baptism	Gift of Creation, Noah, God's promise, Caring for God's world	Isaiah spoke of Jesus, The annunciation, John the Baptist, Mary (pray to and with), Advent - different cultures and communities (the wreath, Las Posadas)	John the Baptist Baptism of Jesus The Lost Sheep Sin Forgiveness	Jesus' words on the cross about forgiveness, Lent is a time for forgiveness and reconciliation Sacrament of Reconciliation Holy Week review, Easter Vigil	Events from the Resurrection to Pentecost, Fruits of the Holy Spirit St Luke's gospel - the life of Jesus, the Acts of the Apostles, early Church	Christianity - how we should live; Judaism - religious law, beliefs, worship and life (Sabbath celebrated in synagogues and homes) Hebrew calligraphy