



Year 1 – Autumn 2 – Religious Education – Pupil Knowledge Organiser

WHAT DO I ALREADY KNOW?			WHAT AM I LEARNING NOW?	
- People change and grow over time. - Some places are special to some people. - People like to tell and listen to stories; some stories can be from a special book. - Most people try to be good, sometimes we might tell people to 'do the right thing'.			- What is a community? - Why might a Muslim go to a mosque? - Why might a Jewish person go to a synagogue? - Why might a Christian go to a church? - What is celebrated at Raksha Bandhan? - Why do Buddhists take time to be quiet and still?	
KEY KNOWLEDGE: WHO IS MY FAMILY, WHERE DO I BELONG?			KEY VOCABULARY	
Families are our first community.  All families are different but share the same qualities. Belonging to communities helps shape our identity.  School is a community where we feel part of a team.			community	A group of people who live, work, or do things together and help each other.
 Muslims go to the mosque to pray, learn, and be with others. Praying together makes their community stronger.  On Raksha Bandhan siblings exchange gifts representing love and protection.			family	People who are related to us and others who love and care for us.
 Jewish people go to the synagogue to pray and learn about their faith. The synagogue reminds Jewish people of their identity.  Buddhists believe meditation helps them feel calm and peaceful.			school	A place where children go to learn, play, and make friends.
 Places of worship are special to some people. The community in these buildings help people to learn about their religion and worship.			world	The Earth and all the people, animals, plants, and places on it.
RELIGIOUS SOURCES OF WISDOM			religion	A way people believe in and show respect for their god(s).
 Christians go to church to worship God and pray together.			belief	Something a person thinks is true or important.
BELIEVING THINKING LIVING Why do people like to pray or celebrate together in special places? What would happen if people didn't have communities to belong to? How can you help someone feel included at school or at home?			belong	To feel like you are a part of a group that cares for you.
			place of worship	A special place where people go to pray or think about their beliefs.
			symbol	A picture or thing that stands for something special.
			identity	The things that make you who you are.