

RE 	Branch 1: Creation and Covenant	Branch 2: Prophecy and Promise	Branch 3: Galilee to Jerusalem	Branch 4: Desert to Garden	Branch 5: To the ends of the Earth	Branch 6: Dialogue and Encounter
Nursery	Recognise that the world is God's gift to us.	Begin to retell the Christmas Story.	I know that the Wise Men gave Jesus gifts.	Retell Palm Sunday and The Last Supper.	Recognise that Jesus sent His friend - the Holy Spirit.	Recognise how we can be a friend of Jesus.
Reception	Recognise how God made our world, and how we are part of His family.	Recognise the story of the first Christmas, and how Jesus came for the world.	Recognise that Jesus cares and welcomes everyone.	Recognise how we take care of others during Lent and that Lent is a time to grow closer to God.	Recognise that Jesus went back to his Father and sent the Holy Spirit.	Recognise that people all over the world are friends of Jesus. Focusing on another faith - Islam.
Year 1	Retell the story of Creation and recognise that everything comes from God, so we should look after the world Recognise the Nicene Creed and Our Father.	Retell the story of the Visitation and Jesus' Birth. Recognise that Angels are messengers sent by God.	Recognise that Jesus came for everyone. Retell key stories from Jesus' life and Mission. Know that Jesus reveals his Fathers love as he g. rows.	Retell the story of Easter and Holy Week. Reflecting on 'I wonder' questions. Recognise that Lent is a time to 'pray, fast and give.'	Retell the story of the Ascension and Pentecost and recognise that the mission of the begins at Pentecost. Recognise that when people open our hearts to the Holy Spirit they are changed, just like the Apostles.	Recognise that we are part of a big Catholic family and that the cross is a sign of Christianity. Encounter some Jews beliefs around one God and the Torah.
Year 2	Recognise that God gave humans	Retell the story of Jesus' birth and	Recognise that everyone is	Recognise that Lent is a time to	Recognise that the Holy Spirit helps	Describe how Christians work

	a new beginning and it is our responsibility to care for God's world. Recognise that Baptism welcomes people into the Christian family.	recognise that the person Isaiah spoke about was Jesus.	tempted to make wrong choices (sin), but God loves and forgives everyone, and we can think about how it feels to say sorry and to be forgiven.	say sorry and show forgiveness.	Christians to develop habits of good behaviour towards themselves and other people.	together to serve others locally and globally.
Year 3	The Creation Story and linked themes such as dignity and equality.	Parts of the Catholic Mass and Advent (including Joseph's Annunciation)	The Epiphany as well as parables and miracles which reveal more about God's Kingdom	Focusing on The Liturgy of the Eucharist within the Catholic Mass and scriptures which are related to this	Linking the breaking of bread within the Mass with the Early Church through various scriptures. Then focusing on the Holy Trinity and its parts	Studying Jewish Passover and then beginning to look at the faith of Islam (the key teachings - 5 pillars - and praying)
Year 4	The story of Abraham- recognise that God's covenant with Abraham is the foundation of the faith of the people of the Old and New testaments: Judaism and Christianity. Show some	We will show some understanding of the cultural and religious context of Elijah's time and why people needed to be reminded of God's covenant. Make links with the words of Isaiah, the preaching of John the Baptist and the season of	Show an understanding of why some people gave Jesus the title 'Christ' (the anointed one) by making links with the Scripture studied. Show an understanding of the belief that Jesus reveals the kind of Messiah he	Make simple connections with the Judgement of Nations parable and the Christian belief that helping others is part of loving God. Correctly sequence the events of Holy Week, describing some of the	Find connections between Jesus' words to Peter as the rock (Matt 16:18), John's account of Peter, and the role of the Pope as Peter's successor. explain how the one, holy, Catholic, and apostolic Church is structured.	Know there are different traditions in the Liturgy of the Church Know some facts about a different liturgical tradition in the Church, for example, some prayers or artistic traditions, reflecting a community in their

	understanding of how the decisions of Abraham (and Joseph) were informed by faith, hope and love in God.	Advent.	is by showing that God's Kingdom includes those who are excluded by society.	different reactions to Jesus during the events of Holy Week and how they speak to Christians today.		local area where possible. Know some ways in which Christians work together for the common good.
Year 5	In this topic, children will learn about Moses encountering God in the Burning Bush, where God revealed His name and called Moses to lead His people. God gave the Ten Commandments to help the Israelites live in freedom, love God and care for one another. Jesus taught that all God's laws are fulfilled by loving God wholeheartedly and loving our neighbours as ourselves.	Children will learn that the people wanted a King to protect them, but God chose David, a humble shepherd, to lead His people and care for them. David became a great king, and God promised that one of his descendants would reign forever, which Christians believe is fulfilled in Jesus. David is remembered as a faithful leader, shepherd, and model of prayer who points us towards the kingship of Christ.	Children will learn that Jesus taught a new way of living that goes beyond following rules, calling people to love God, love their neighbours, and even love their enemies. Through the Beatitudes, Jesus showed that true happiness comes from living close to God and placing Him at the centre of our lives. At the Transfiguration and through the Our Father, Jesus revealed His glory and taught that God is our loving Father who invites	Children will learn that Lent is a special time when Catholics reflect on their choices, strengthen their relationship with God, and try to turn away from sin through prayer, fasting, and giving to others. Jesus showed how to resist temptation and taught people to follow their conscience and choose love, kindness, and goodness. Catholics believe that God wants everyone to be with Him in heaven, and that	Children will learn that The Sacrament of Confirmation strengthens people with the gifts of the Holy Spirit, helping them grow in faith and continue their journey as followers of Christ. Through the signs and symbols of Confirmation, Christians are reminded that they belong to Christ and are called to share the Gospel with others. The lives of the saints and Mary show how people can be open to the Holy	Children learn that the Bible is a collection of books inspired by the Holy Spirit, helping Christians understand God's relationship with His people and His plan revealed through Jesus Christ. They also learn about Judaism, exploring the importance of the Torah, the Shema prayer, Hebrew as a holy language, and sacred objects such as the Mezuzah, which help Jewish people live out their faith.

			us into a relationship with Him.	our choices help us grow closer to God's plan for our lives.	Spirit and live out their vocation in different ways.	
Year 6	Children will learn that Christians believe God is the creator of everything and that all creation comes from Him, as shown in the Genesis accounts alongside scientific explanations of how the world began. They will understand how God calls people into a covenant relationship, beginning with Abraham and Moses and continuing through the Old Testament.	Children will learn that the prophets in the Old Testament spoke about God's promise of a Messiah, which Christians believe is fulfilled in Jesus Christ. They will explore how the Advent season reflects waiting for Christ and understand the nativity story and the Christian belief in the incarnation.	Children will learn about the life and ministry of Jesus, understanding how he reveals the Kingdom of God through parables, miracles, teachings, and encounters with others. They will explore the call of the disciples and what it means to follow Jesus.	Children will learn about the season of Lent as a time of preparation leading to the key events of Holy Week. They will understand the significance of the Paschal Triduum and its importance at the heart of Catholic liturgy and belief.	Children will learn about the events following the Resurrection and Ascension, including the coming of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. They will understand how the apostles and the early Church spread the message of Jesus.	Children will learn that Christians are called to work together with people of different beliefs and all people of goodwill for the common good. They will understand the importance of respecting the dignity of every person.