

Year 7

Pathway 2,3,4

Christianity: An Introduction

Learning Intention: Students are given an overview of the ideas of the Christian beliefs in God, the Christian teachings, festivals and celebrations and their place of worship. Students will be given the opportunity to compare their studies of Christianity alongside their own beliefs, experiences and knowledge. Students are encouraged to explore where Christianity fits within our shared cultures, countries of origin and communities.

Key knowledge that should be learned during this SoW	All	Most	Some
Concept:	Christianity is a major world faith. Through an introduction to this topic students will be introduced to the Bible and Christian way of living. The topic will look at stories of the Old Testament and students will gain an understanding of the Christian place of worship - Church and gain a knowledge of the Christian festivals and celebrations which can be understood and shared within our different communities and cultures.		
Knowledge:	 Know that Christians believe there is one God. Places of worship - Church. Significant stories from the Bible. Celebrations carried out by Christians and when. 	 What significance did Jesus' life have to Christians? Difference between New and Old testament. Christian communities and how they worship. 	The differences and similarities between Christianity and other religions.
Key Skills:	 Students will be able to identify key aspects of the Christian religion 	 Students will be able to compare Christianity with other religious practices 	 Students will be able to recognise how Christianity fits within our communities and cultures

Language and/or communication skills:	Christian, Chuch, God	Bible, Jesus,	Different, similar, community
Curricular Links	 PSHCE : Myself, Community, Culture Geography : Our local area 		