**RE Key Vocabulary Overview 2024-2025**

Here is a list of key vocabulary for each unit of work. During each unit, as part of the teaching sequence, children may encounter additional vocabulary, however the list below is the overview of the progressive key vocabulary for each unit.

At the start of each unit, the children will do a pre assessment on their prior knowledge of the vocabulary and this will be revisited at the end of each unit of work to assess children’s understanding and to measure their progress.

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| **Pre-School** | | | | | |
| **Unit : I am special** | **Unit: Christmas** | **Unit: Friendship** | **Unit: Easter** | **Unit: Prayer** | **Unit: Special People** |
| God  love  father  unique | Christmas  Jesus  Birth  Mary  Joseph | friend  friendship  trust  love  Jesus | love  Jesus  Easter  Cross  risen | pray  prayer  God  Jesus  The Lord’s prayer | love  trust  compassion  generosity  Jesus  Miracle  Bible |
| **FS2** | | | | | |
| **Unit: Harvest** | **Unit: Christmas** | **Unit: Stories Jesus Heard** | **Unit: Easter** | **Unit: Special Times** | **Unit: Special Places** |
| God  food  creation  harvest  thank you  prayer | shepherds  star  angel  Mary  Joseph  Bethlehem | Bible  God  Old Testament  Creation  Noah  Moses  Joshua  Gideon  David  Goliath | sacrifice  Jesus  Disciples  Easter  Holy Week  Palm Sunday  Crucified  Tomb  risen | Anniversary  Christening  Baptism  wedding  celebration  funeral  Holy Spirit  birthday | church  mosque  Mandir  Temple  holy |
| **Year 1** | | | | | |
| **Unit 1.1: Harvest** | **Unit 1.2: God & Creation** | **Unit 1.3: Christmas & Gift Bringers** | **Unit 1.5: Easter & New Life** | **Unit 1.4: Jesus was special** | **Unit 1.7: Baptism** |
| Harvest  Harvest festival | God  creation  Genesis  pollution  world  environment | gift  wise men  Magi  Jesus  promise | Good Friday  Easter Sunday  new life  Holy Week  Disciples  Mary  Resurrection  Garden  Tomb | Jesus  Son of God  Friendship  miracle  disciple | Baptism  font  Christening  Vicar/minister  Priest  Godparents  water  belonging |
| **Year 2** | | | | | |
| **Unit 2.1: The Bible** | **Unit 2.2: Christmas & Good News** | **Unit 2.3: Jesus was a friend to everyone** | **Unit 2.4: Easter and symbols** | **Unit 2.6: Ascension & Pentecost** | **Unit 2.5: The Church** |
| Bible  Old Testament  New Testament  Holy  Gospel  Word of God  Mary Jones  Dead sea scrolls | Good news  Elizabeth  Zechariah  Jesus  Mary  Angel Gabriel  Joseph  Shepherds  Bethlehem | Miracle  New testament  Gospels  Faith  trust | Cross  Crucifix  Paschal candle  Last supper  Resurrection  Eucharist  Symbol  Sacrifice  Celebration | Ascension  Pentecost  Holy Spirit  Disciples  Power  Heaven  Trinity | Church  Vicar/minister  Pews  Font  Altar  Stained glass window  Worship  Holy  sacred  Mosque  Minaret  Tower  Temple  Mandir  Synagogue  Ark |

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| **Year 3** | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Unit 3.6: Harvest** | **Unit 3.2: Christmas - God with us** | | **Unit 3.3: Jesus the man who changed lives** | | **Unit 3.4: Easter – sadness & Joy** | | **Unit 3.5: Rules for Living** | | **Unit S7: how can I make a difference?** | |
| Harvest festival  thankfulness  Sukkot  Pongol | Emmanuel  Incarnation | | Jesus  Mother Teresa  Disciple  Zacchaeus | | Palm Sunday  Temple  Last Supper  Gethsemane  Good Friday  Crucified  Easter Sunday  resurrection | | rules  Law  Moses  Commandment  Old /New Testaments  Islam  Muslim  Allah  Fasting  Charity  Ramadan  Eid  Sikh  Langar  Buddhist  Humanist | | Justice  compassion  service  inspire | |
| **Year 4** | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Unit 4.1: David & the Psalms** | **Unit 4.2: Christmas - Light** | | **Unit 4.3: Jesus son of God** | | **Unit 4.4: Easter betrayal** | | **Unit 4.5: The Church** | | **Unit 4.6: What is prayer?** | |
| Samuel  David  Jonathan  Saul  Goliath  inspiration  Psalm | light  candles  Christingle  Light of the world  Saviour  incarnation  Driedel  Hanukah  Hannukiah  Jerusalem  Temple | | Son of God  Authority  Miracle  Sabbath/Shabbat  Pharisees | | Trust  Betrayal  Forgiveness  Judas  Loyalty  Peter  Gethsemane  Jerusalem | | church  chapel  cathedral  sacrament  Curate  Mosque  Minaret  Tower  Temple  Synagogue  Gurdwara  Langar | | pray  prayer  collect | |
| **Year 5** | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Unit 5.1: The Bible** | **Unit 5.7: Christmas around the world** | | **Unit 5.3: Jesus the Teacher** | | **Unit 5.4: Easter - Victory** | | **Unit 5.5: Women in the Old Testament** | | Unit S13: Stories with meanings from World Faiths | |
| Old Testament  New Testament  Gospel  Word of God  translation | St Nicholas  St Lucia  Orthodox | | Parable  Kingdom of God  Imagery | | Victory  triumph  resurrection  sacrifice  salvation  redeemer | | Jochebed  Deborah  Abigail  Rahab  Hannah  Ruth  Esther  Purim | | Christianity  Islam  Hindusim  Sikhism | |
| **Year 6** | | | | | | | | | | |
| **Unit 6.1: Life as a Journey** | **Unit 6.2: Christmas - Advent** | **Unit 6.3: Eucharist** | | **Unit 6.5: Ascension & Pentecost** | | **Unit 6.4: Who was Jesus** | |  | | **Unit 6.7: People of faith** |
| Baptism  Confirmation  pilgrimage  rites of passage  Holy Land | Advent  prophet  prophesy  John the Baptist  Messiah  annunciation  Incarnation  Mary | Eucharist  Holy Communion  Last Supprt  remembrance  holy  Sacrifice  mercy  salvation  sacrament  faith | | Ascension  Pentecost  Trinity  Holy Spirit  inspiration | | Messiah  Prince of Peace  Saviour  resurrection  redeemer  servant | |  | | faith  Ministry  Mission  Kingdom of God  vocation |