

Subject: R.E.			Area of learning: Unit 4.2 Saints and Heroes		
Year Group: Years 3 and 4			Focus on Christianity and Sikhism		
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taught over a	Please refer to http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and-				
full term.	exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/ks2-units/unit-4-2-saints-and-heroes/				
	where you will find ideas for each lesson, the programme of study and other relevant information to support planning.				
	Key Question: What makes a hero?				
	About this unit				
	This unit provides opportunity to explore lives of faith members who				
	have performed heroic deeds or dedicated their lives to a cause and to				
	consider the concept of commitment.				
	Include past and present saints and heroes from different world faiths,				
	-		e are opportunities to link with aspects of		
	history and citizenship and to build upon work in Unit 2.1: Belonging.				
	Ideas for resources:				
	texts, posters and film clips of the actions of saints, heroes and				
	modern-day people of Christian and other faiths, who have lived their				
	lives dedicated to an altruistic cause.				
Term	Years 3	Key Skills to be	taught		
	and 4				
Spring 2022					
		Skills and process over the year	ses in RE to be included in all year groups		
		The following skill	s are central to religious education and		
		-	ed in learning opportunities at all key stages.		
		a) Investigation -	this includes:		
		<ul> <li>asking rele</li> </ul>	evant questions		
		<ul> <li>knowing h</li> </ul>	ow to use different types of religious texts		
		as a way o	of gathering information and how to		
			those texts in a critical manner		
		-	hat may constitute evidence for		
			ding religion(s)		
		•	and listening		
		b) Interpretation -			
		•	to draw meaning from artefacts, works of		
			and symbolism		
			to interpret religious language		
		-	to suggest meanings of religious texts		
		c) Reflection – thi			
			to reflect on feelings, relationships,		
1		experience	e, ultimate questions, beliefs and practices		



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	<ul> <li>d) Empathy – this includes: <ul> <li>the ability to consider the thoughts, feelings, experiences, attitudes, beliefs and values of others</li> <li>developing the power of imagination to identify feelings such as love, wonder, forgiveness and sorrow</li> <li>the ability to see the world through the eyes of others and to see issues from their point of view</li> <li>e) Evaluation – this includes: <ul> <li>the ability to debate issues of religious significance with reference to evidence and argument</li> <li>weighing the respective claims of self-interest, consideration for others, religious teaching and individual conscience</li> </ul> </li> <li>f) Analysis – this includes: <ul> <li>distinguishing between opinion, belief and fact;</li> <li>distinguishing between the features of different religions</li> </ul> </li> <li>g) Synthesis – this includes: <ul> <li>linking significant features of religion together in a coherent pattern</li> <li>connecting different aspects of life into a meaningful whole.</li> </ul> </li> <li>h) Application – this includes: <ul> <li>making the association between religions and individual, community, national and international life;</li> <li>identifying key religious values and their interplay with secular ones</li> </ul> </li> <li>i) Expression – this includes: <ul> <li>the ability to explain concepts, rituals and practices</li> <li>the ability to identify and articulate matters of deep conviction and concern and to religious issues through a variety of media</li> <li>j) Collaboration – this includes:     <ul> <li>the ability to work together and learn from each other</li> </ul> </li> </ul></li></ul></li></ul>

#### Vocabulary

Christianity - artefacts, symbols, rituals, belonging, holy books, rites of passage, faiths

#### **KS2** Christianity

God

The Trinity - God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit - symbols of dove, flame, light Creator God who cares for the world and expects people to care for the world Baptism of Jesus, revealing the Trinity The Apostles' Creed

#### Key figures

Jesus – Son of God, Son of Man, Saviour, Messiah, Redeemer, Conqueror

- baptism and temptations
- disciples, friends and followers
- teaching about the Kingdom of God in parables and miracles .... Lord's Prayer
- Holy Week, ascension into heaven and Pentecost

St Paul

#### Place of worship: Church

How buildings, artefacts and symbols play a part in the worship, rituals and ceremonies of the community

The family of believers past, present and future, guided by the Holy Spirit, carrying on the work of Jesus

Worship:

- Holy Communion, Mass
- silence and music
- styles of worship

#### Holy book: Bible

Meaning and significance of:

- stories...
- Psalms (23)
- songs that describe the nature of God...

#### Christian way of life

Christians believe that human beings:

- are made in the image and likeness of God
- became sinful and can be redeemed

#### Christians base their morality on:

- The Ten Commandments
- The Sermon on the Mount

#### Christian values come from the 'Fruits of the Spirit': Gal 5: 22-23

 love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control

#### Christian commitment is shown by:

- personal relationships
- caring and healing
- attitudes to social and global issues, care for the environment
- involvement in charitable work

#### Christian life is marked by rites of passage:

- baptism (any age)
- confirmation
- marriage (in church)
- death

#### Sacred places of pilgrimage:

- Iona, Lindisfarne, Walsingham
- Holy Land and Lourdes





#### KS2 Sikhism

#### God

One God (Waheguru – 'wonderful teacher')

- Supreme Truth
- Ultimate Reality
- Creator of all things

#### Key figures: Gurus

- Guru Arjan Ji the first martyr- compiled the Adi Granth and built the Golden Temple
- Guru Gobind Singh Ji founded the Khalsa (initiated Sikhs)

#### Place of worship: Gurdwara

Artefacts and symbols - Ik Onkar (there is one God) and Khanda - the Sikh symbol Congregation/community (sangat) Common meal (langar) Granthi, who reads the Guru Granth Sahib Ji and preaches and explains the text Musicians and singers Turban-tying and Amrit (Sikh initiation) ceremonies

#### Holy book: Guru Granth Sahib Ji

Guidance is treated as that of a living Guru

Guru Granth Sahib Ji – carried above the head, placed on a takht (throne) and covered with romalas (cloths), fanned by the Granthi using a chauri, 'putting to bed' At festivals and special occasions there is a complete unbroken reading from the Guru Granth Sahib Ji (Akhand Path)

#### Sikh way of life

Symbols:

- Ik Onkar (there is one God)
- Khanda (two swords showing the need to fight for truth, circle to show God is eternal, double edged sword to show the power of God)
- Nishan Sahib flag outside Gurdwara

Five Ks (obligatory for members of the Khalsa):

• Kesh (uncut hair, covered by a turban, and beard), Kangha (comb), Kara (steel bangle), Kachera (short trousers), Kirpan (short sword)

Sikhs believe in:

• acceptance of God's will

Key festivals:

- holy days (Gurpurbs)
- birthdays of Guru NanakJi, Guru Gobind Singh Ji (Baisakhi)

Sacred place of pilgrimage:

• Golden Temple at Amritsar



Sequence of learning	Objectives and suggested details provided by the subject leader.
1	To explore commitment as demonstrated in the lives and work of significant people of faith See ideas for the lesson in Prepare for Learning <u>http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and-</u>
	exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/ks2-units/unit-4-2-saints-and-heroes/
2	To share ideas as to how the lives of significant people of faith have affected the lives of others
	See ideas for the lesson Engage the Learner <a href="http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and-exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/ks2-units/unit-4-2-saints-and-heroes/">http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and-exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/ks2-units/unit-4-2-saints-and-heroes/</a>
3	To describe the effect of life-changing events on the commitment of significant people of faith
	See ideas for the lesson in Identify the Learning Questions <u>http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and-exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/ks2-units/unit-4-2-saints-and-heroes/</u>
4	To explore teachings of significant religious people
	See ideas for the lesson in Provide new information (This can be taught over two weeks. This week is lesson 1)
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5	To describe the teachings of significant religious people, identifying some similarities and differences
	See ideas for the lesson in Provide new information (Second lesson of two weeks)



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6	To reflect on the teachings of significant religious people and how these teachings impact on society
	See ideas for the lesson in Search for meaning http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and- exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/ks2-units/unit-4-2-saints-and-heroes/
7	To explore commitment as demonstrated in the lives and work of significant people of faith
	See ideas for the lesson in Share new understanding
	http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and- exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/ks2-units/unit-4-2-saints-and-heroes/
8	Assessment Lesson
	See in Reflect on Learning
	http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and- exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/ks2-units/unit-4-2-saints-and-heroes/
9	Easter Year 4 – The Cross: what is its significance throughout the Easter Story?
	To recall the key events associated with Holy Week from Palm Sunday to Easter Day
	See Easter overview
	http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and-exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/easter-overview/
10	To discuss the symbolic meaning of the Easter ritual of the washing of feet on Maundy Thursday
	See Easter overview (John 13:1-17)
	http://www.eriding.net/all-ages/religious-education/units-of-learning-and-exemplification/ks1-and-ks2/easter-overview/
11	To understand there are different types of crosses including the Crucifixion



See Easter overview

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Learning Outcome/product

This unit (4.2 Saints and Heroes) will contribute to the following end of Key Stage statements in bold:

Knowledge and Understanding

AT1

Describe and show understanding of links between stories, beliefs and practices of faith communities <u>specified in the key content</u>

Show understanding of how beliefs, practices and forms of expression influence individuals and communities

Show understanding of the challenges of commitment to a community of faith

#### **Reflection and Response**

AT2

Respond thoughtfully to a range of sacred writings and the beliefs, teachings and practices of different faith communities <u>specified in the key content</u>

Give reasons for the significance of beliefs, practices and forms of expression to individual members and faith communities

Suggest why belonging to a community of faith may be valuable, both to faith members and in their own lives

Assessment records	List only those children who have not achieved the expected outcomes
	Children working above.

End of unit assessment question



- 1. Who or what inspires me and why?
- 2. Reflect on the heroes and 'saints' at a local community, national and global level, including people in the modern world. Who do you think deserves a 'heart of gold' award? Why?
- 3. How can the actions of significant people of faith change lives for the better and still influence others long after their death?