## St Vincent's Religion Curriculum Knowledge Map

RE	Autumn				Spring				Summer			
EYFS Topics  (Following the new RE Directory 2023)  One Year Cycle	Branch 1 Creation & Covenant		Prop	Branch 2 phecy & Promise	Branch 3 Galilee to Jerusalem		Branch 4 Desert to Garden		Branch 5 To the ends of the earth		Branch 6 Dialogue & Encounter	
EYFS	To hear the stories: The Creation (1) and know the words and actions of the sign of the cross. To believe that God made us unique and that we are stewards of his creation. To celebrate creation and entering God's family through Baptism. To live with love for ourselves and others because God made us all.		To hear the stories: The Annunciation; The Nativity; Shepherds visit the Manger. To believe that Mary was chosen by God and that Shepherds were chosen to visit Jesus. To celebrate Jesus' birth with the tradition of the crib and explore how other cultures celebrate. To live our lives helping others and God.		To hear the stories: The visit of the Magi; Jesus blesses the little children; Feeding of 5000 (Jn 6:1-14). To believe that Jesus is God's son and the Magi brought him gifts. To believe that Jesus' birth is celebrated at Christmas and he came to show God's love for everyone. To celebrate Jesus' coming by praying the 'Glory Be'. To live our lives welcoming and showing love to everyone in our words and actions. To live our lives showing care for others by recognising what everyone 'needs' and thinking about how we can take extra care of those who do not have these things.		To hear the stories: Key events of Holy Week especially Good Friday and Easter Sunday (simplified); The Great Commandment. To believe that Jesus died on Good Friday and rose again on Easter Sunday. To believe that Easter is a celebration that Jesus is still with us. To celebrate the season of Lent using ashes and the colour purple as well as being sorry. To celebrate Easter by making Easter gardens and looking at symbols of new life. To live our lives in communion with others, learning about how different cultures celebrate Lent and Easter.		To hear the stories: Pentecost (Simplified); The early Christian community. To believe that the Holy SPirit came at Pentecost and that the early Christian community lived out the Good News of Jesus. To know that we celebrate Pentecost in the church and that SUnday is a special day for people to celebrate. To live our lives with our parish and wider Catholic community - being happy with our family and friends and seeing others as brothers and sisters in God's family regardless of what we look like and where we come from.		To learn about the lives of St Peter & St Paul. To find out about our faith from someone in our local parish asking them why it matters that they are a friend to Jesus. To explore pictures of Jesus from around the world. To find out about the music, smells, tastes and clothing of someone from a different faith.	
RE	Autumn 1	Spring 1		Summer 1	Autumn 2	Spring 2		Summer 2	Autumn 3	Spring 3		Summer 3
KS1 & KS2 Topics (Three Year Cycle)	In the Beginning (C6) From Advent to Christmas (A1)	People of Prayer (A2) From Lent to Easter (A3)		From Easter to Pentecost (A4) The Kingdom of Heaven (A5)	Beginning with The Church (A6) From Advent to Christmas (B1)	Jesus at Prayer (B2) From Lent to Easter (B3)		From Easter to Pentecost (B4) Discipleship (B5)	Beginning With God (B6)  From Advent to Christmas (C1)	Being a Sacramental People (C2) From Lent to Easter (C3)		From Easter to Pentecost (C4) The Good Samaritan (C5)

KS1	Retell the first story of creation; Know that the psalms are poems or songs found in the bible.  Recognise the 'O' Antiphons and/or Jesse Tree as part of the season of Advent; Become familiar with or retell Matthew's account of the birth of Jesus; Matthew 1:18-2:15.	Recognise or use some of the signs, symbols and religious terms to describe celebration of the Feast of the Epiphany; Recognise and/or describe the Lord's Prayer; Describe the Beatitudes.  Make simple connections between Jesus' time in the desert & Christians praying and fasting for forty days in Lent; Recognise simple connections between the use of ashes & the belief that Lent is an opportunity for a new start; Recognise that Lent is a time for reconciliation & forgiveness; Sequence the events of Holy Week (PS, HT, GF); Use religious words to talk about the use of Palms.	Identify key resurrection vocabulary; Recognise Jesus' miracles show his Godliness; Use religious words to talk about symbols of the Easter Vigil; Recognise that Catholics celebrate holydays such as Ascension and Pentecost; Explore symbols of the Holy Spirit; Recognise some Christian belief about the Holy Spirit.  Recognise parables; Know that parables teach us about God; Create and explore modern parables.	Make connections between the mission of the church and the mission of Jesus and our mission as Christians today; Use religious words and phrases to talk about the sacrament of Baptism as a sign of Jesus' love and a welcome into the Christian family; Recognise the structure of Mass and know the names for some items on the altar.  Identify seasons of the liturgical year; Know that Psalms are a different literary form; Describe how some Christians prepare during Advent using religious words and phrases; Know that the bible is in two parts / testaments; Recognise that Christmas reveals God's love; Talk about how different Christians celebrate Christmas.	Name the Jewish holy scripture; Recognise the story of Exodus; Retell the story of the final plague and the passing over of the angel of death; Consider what the story teaches us; Explore what Moses told the Isarelites to do; Learn how Jesus might have remembered the Passover; Describe how Jewish people today celebrate Passover.  Know the liturgical colour of Lent and recognise some symbols of the season; Explore the three practices of Lent; Pray the examen as a prayer for Lent; Retell the story of Passover according to Mark - making links to their previous work on the Exodus story.	Explore Mark's account of the Resurrection and retell main points; Recognise that some people died for their faith.  Recognise the word 'disciple' meaning follower; Hear and simply retell the story of Jesus calling the disciples; Recognise the connection between Mark's story and the activity of people in the church today.	Recognise that people of faith believe in 'something' and explore different titles for God; Introduce sources of revelation as ways to get to know God; Recognise the story of the burning bush; Compare God to different 'things' to show their understanding of what he is like.  Recognise some actions, words and symbols associated with Advent; Recognise and simply retell Luke's version of the annunciation and Mary's visit to Elizabeth; Simply retell Luke's account of the Christmas story.	Know that God is always with us even if we can't see him; Recognise some signs and symbols of reconciliation.  Recognise the Stations of the Cross as a devotional practise associated with Lent; Recognise and retell the events of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem, the Last Supper and the Death of Jesus from Luke's Gospel.	Recognise the events of the Easter Season (Luke); Know that Jesus rose from the dead; Recognise the actions of Christians who acted as 'relay runners' for the church.  Become familiar with the story of the Good Samaritan; Know the cardinal virtues (prudence, justice, restraint and courage) and be able to explain them; Know that St. John Southworth lived a virtuous life saying something he did.
LKS2	Retell the first story of creation; Explain the belief in the nature of God	Use religious vocabulary to describe and explain the celebration of the Epiphany, including	Sequence events of Holy Week; Describe some reactions to Jesus to Holy Week;	Describe connections between Jesus' announcement of the disciples mission to the work of the	Read the story of Exodus; Retell with correct setting, people and events the final plague;	Retell Mark's account of the resurrection with correct setting, people and events;	Define the word revelation and know that there are 4 ways to find out about God;	Recognise that God is always with us, making links with the Holy Spirit coming at Pentecost;	Accurately retell the events of the Easter Story (Luke); Know that the resurrection of Jesus

drawn from these passages; Pray the psalms.

Recognise, describe and explain the 'O' Antiphons and/or Jesse Tree as part of the season of Advent; Identify the titles for Jesus used by Matthew to express belief in the Incarnation; Pray the O Antiphons.

identifying and explaining key religious signs and symbols: Describe the Beatitudes and begin to explain why they are an important part of Christian prayer and life.

Explain the lenten

practices:

Wednesday; Describe Lent as a time of metanoia change of heart and mind; Describe the events of Holy Week; Describe how Jesus showed his love at the Last Supper; Make links between John 20:1-10 and Peter's declaration of faith in Matt 16:13-20 and/or between Peter's three denials of Jesus and Jesus' three requests of Peter (John 21:15-17); Find connections between Jesus' words to Peter (Matt 16:18). John's account of Peter, and the role of Pope as Peter's

successor.

Make connections between a Memorial Acclamation said at Mass and the Resurrection. Use religious words and phrases to describe the use of light and water at the Easter Vigil. Identify links between the Holy

Explain the use of Spirit and the ability ashes on Ash to speak of God's love. Know some prayers which express belief in the Holy Spirit. Identify parables as narratives; God is and is not; parables;

Show understanding of what Kingdom of Retell one parable; Make links between Epiphany; Know that parables include marginalised individuals; Baptist as Make connections examples; between parables and behaviour of words of Isaiah, believers. the season of Advent; Recall what the teach us:

church today as the Body of Christ; Use religious words and phrases to describe key sacramental moments during Baptism; Give simple reasons for some prayers, signs and actions performed at mass (focussing on the Eucharist): Recognise that the Eucharist is the meeting point where God gives himself to us as food.

Make connections between Christ the King and Matthew's account of the birth of Jesus and the Describe what a prophet is using Elijah and John the Make links with the John the Baptist and Gospels and Acts Describe and explain the ways Christians bear witness to their beliefs at Christmas.

Find out about the Tyburn Martyrs; Describe the acts of the martyrs.

Define the word

describe their role in

'disciple' and

Make links between

the Exodus and the

presence of God:

Make links between

the 'rules' given by

Passover in Jesus'

Describe and give

some reasons for

people celebrate

Identify customs

and rituals for the

Identify the three

give examples of

how they can be

Explore the idea of

'ambassador' from 2

Corinthians and give

examples of how we

can be ambassadors

Examen and explain

source of belief that

the bread and wine

become the body

carried out;

being an

in school;

Describe the

the process;

structure of the

Identify the Last

Supper as the

and blood.

practices of Lent and

season of Lent;

the way Jewish

Moses and the

celebration of

time:

todav.

belief in the

the life of Jesus: Rell the story of Jesus calling the disciples with correct people, setting and events: Describe what it means to be a follower of Jesus: Describe the connection between Mark's story and the activity of people in the church today.

the burning bush with correct setting, people and events; Explore the language 'I am who I am' and know that we believe in one God: Explain what the bible's metaphors of

Retell the story of

God sav about him. Describe and give reasons for some of the symbols, words and actions of Advent; Retell Luke's account of the annunciation and visitation with correct setting, events and people;

Consider what Luke

Retell Luke's account

wants us to know

about Mary and

of the Christmas

story with correct

setting, events and

Examine how this

story expresses

belief in the

incarnation.

Elizabeth;

people;

Find examples of where we can 'see God' in our lives: Describe and explain some signs and symbols of reconciliation.

Describe and explain

the Stations of the Cross as a devotional practise associated with Lent: Correctly retell the events of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem, the Last Supper and the Death of Jesus from Luke's Gospel.

is a fundamental belief of Christians; To describe the actions of Christians who acted as 'relay runners' for the church.

Accurately retell the story of the Good Samaritan; Know the cardinal virtues (prudence, justice, restraint and courage) and be able to explain them as a response to belief in love of neighbours; Describe and explain the life work of St. John Bosworth as someone who lived a virtuous life.

## UKS2

Retell the second story of creation; Compare both creation stories; Find connections between a creation passage and a message from Laudato Si; Explain the Psalms as a form of prayer ritual used by both Jews and Christians today.

Describe and or explain the meaning and purpose of the 'O' Antiphons and Jesse Tree as a prayer ritual used during Advent, using appropriate religious terminology; Make links between the O Antiphons and Matthew's account of the birth of Jesus

Explain the meaning and purpose of the Feast of the Epiphany; Make links between two sources of revelation: the Beatitudes and Christian life [St Teresa].

Make links between the Ash Wednesday readings and practices of Lent: Explain what happens at the Ash Wednesday Mass and how Christians mark this day, using religious vocabulary to describe symbols and actions. Show K&U of how one of the texts reveal deeper meanings about Jesus as Messiah and describe the beliefs revealed. Describe ways Jesus shows his love for all people by his actions; Show an understanding of the account of Holy Week in the gospel of John: Make links between the account of Jesus' washing his disciples' feet, what happens at Mass on Holy Thursday, and Christian beliefs

ing Compare different accounts of the resurrection showing an understanding of the account of Holy Week;
Make connections between a Memorial Acclamation and th

Memorial Acclamation and the Resurrection: Explain symbols of light and water at the Easter Vigil and how they represent the Resurrection using religious words and phrases; Show understanding of scripture studied, identifying authorial intention and recognising that it speaks to people literally and carries a deeper spiritual meaning. Show understanding of parables; Identify authorial intention; Recognise that parables carry literal and deeper meanings; Recognise that David is a model of prayer.

Explain the metaphor 'the Body of Christ': Identify the 7 Sacraments and explain the purpose of each: Explain some Christian beliefs about the sacrament of Baptism; Use specialist religious vocabulary to show knowledge and understanding of actions and signs of Confirmation; Make links between the miraculous signs in John's Gospel and our beliefs about Jesus.

Describe ways local parishes celebrate the sacraments and give reasons for this; Describe and explain the motif of 'kingship' as bookends for the liturgical year; Make links between Advent readings of people who waited for the birth with Isaish and John the Baptist as a precursor: Explain that the bible came together over 1000 years; Show understanding of literary forms and

authorial intention

**Explore Church** Retell Mark's documents from account of the Vatican II: resurrection and Explain that the explain why Jewish sacred text is different Gospel known as the Torah writers record the and that Jesus was a event differently: Jew, reading and Explore customs at learning and living the time of Jesus for death and burial: from the Torah; Retell the Exodus Explain why some story and explain martyrs were killed why it is known as and discuss the an epic: importance of faith. Describe and explain, giving Explain the word

examples, choices

the author made

when writing the

Show understanding

Describe and explain

celebrated Passover;

Make comparisons

with how Jewish

people celebrate

today considering

how their belief

Identify customs

and rituals of the

season of Lent,

explaining and

giving reasons;

explain why

them:

believers might

choose to follow

Identify the three

practices of Lent and

describing,

affects their

behaviour.

Exodus story;

of the beliefs

Exodus story.

how Jesus

derived from the

disciple showing understanding that we are disciples today; Retell the story of Jesus calling the disciples and the call of Levi and compare; Explore the implications of 'following' for the disciples and explore their choices giving reasons; Use the lives of the first disciples and others to explore and explain how being a disciple has changed over time.

Describe and explain the four sources of revelation and give examples: Explain how the story of the Burning Bush leads to our belief in monotheism: **Explore metaphors** for God in the bible and give opinions: Create metaphors for God based on their own human experience.

Give reasons for healing. symbols, words and actions of Advent Explain the purpose and explain why and history of the believers do these **Traditional Stations** things; of the Cross: Describe the faith of Plot development in Mary and Elizabeth belief of the Passion shown in the of Jesus through the annunciation and visitation; Stations of the Explain how John Cross: the Baptist and Correctly retell the Mary are bridging events of Jesus' figures; entry into Make links between Jerusalem, the Last the Christmas story (Luke) and the Supper and the celebration of Death of Jesus from Christmas today. Luke's Gospel: Make links between

Explain the sacramental principle: Use a sacramental vision to see and feel God's presence, giving examples; Identify and describe how the words, actions and symbols in reconciliation express belief: Describe and explain the meaning and purpose of the sacraments of

Luke's account of

the passion of Jesus

and the Stations of

the Cross.

appearances confirmed belief in the divinity of Christ; Make connections between two sources of revelation by finding belief in the resurrection within the Creed or other expression of faith; Explain the choices of and give reasons for the actions of Christians who acted as 'relay runners' for the Church including whole of life. Know the story of

Explain how the

Resurrection and

Post-Resurrection

the Good Samaritan and explain the meaning of the story; Describe how the cardinal virtues are evident in the characters in the story of the Good Samaritan; Name, describe and explain the life work of St John Southworth as someone who lived a virtuous life: Identify similarities and differences between the Good

	about Jesus' actions.	of scripture passages studied; Describe, explain and give examples of ways Christians' bear witness to their beliefs making links with a saint.  Explore the idea of being an 'ambassador' from 2 Corinthians and consider how we can be ambassadors for christ; Explain how the Examen is useful during Lent and make comparisons with Lectio Divina; Compare Mark's account of the Passover with the Eucharistic Prayer.		Samaritan's and John Southworth's responses to the moral issues that they experienced.
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