**Religious Education End Points – Reception.**

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|  | **Pupils will know that…** | **Pupils will be expected to…** |
| Autumn 1 Harvest | \*Christians believe God created the world.\*Christians believe that we should say thank you to God at Harvest time.\*Christians celebrate the Harvest Festival with a special service in church. | \*Talk about the food they enjoy\*Talk about harvest around the world.\*Talk about why we celebrate harvest\*Talk about why it is important to help others, particularly at harvest time. |
| Autumn 2I am special | \*Christians believe that they are fearfully and wonderfully made by God.\*They are unique special and loved. \*Christians believe that God is their heavenly father. | \*Talk about themselves, their likes, dislikes, and what makes them special. \*Talk about feelings they have experienced. \*Talk about the names people of faith give to God. |
| Christmas | \*For Christians, Christmas is the celebration of Jesus’ birthday. \*Jesus was a very special baby, the Son of God. \*The church celebrates Christmas in special ways.  | \*Recall/retell the nativity story. identify the characters in the nativity story. \*Use religious words to talk about Christmas and why itis important. \*Talk about how the church celebrates Christmas. \*Talk about their own experiences of Christmas and the feelings related to celebrating Christmas. |
| Spring 1Stories Jesus heard | \*Jesus listened to and learned Old Testament stories. \*Old Testament stories teach us about God | \*Recall/retell some of the Old Testament stories Jesus heard. \*Talk about their favourite stories. \*Talk about their feelings and experiences. |
| Spring 2Stories Jesus told | \*Jesus told stories and that they are found in the Bible. \*Jesus told the stories to teach people about God. | \*Identify a Bible. recall/retell some of Jesus stories. \*Talk about their own experiences and feelings. ask and respond to questions about their experiences and feelings. \*Give a simple explanation of the things we can learn from Jesus’ stories. |
| Easter | \*Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a donkey on Palm Sunday. \*Jesus died on the cross on Good Friday. \*Christians believe that Jesus rose on Easter Day and is alive today. \*Easter is the most important time of the year for the Church. | \*Tell you that Christians believe Jesus died on the cross because God loves everyone. \*Briefly retell the story of Easter and ask questions about the story. \*Identify symbols associated with Easter. \*Talk about their own experiences of love and other emotions expressed in the Easter Story.  |
| Summer 1Special times | \*Christians celebrate the arrival of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. \*People of faith have special times of celebration. special times create memories. \*Celebrating special festivals and occasions is important. | \*Talk about special times. \*Recall/retell the story of Pentecost. \*Talk about feelings associated with special times, festivals and celebrations. \*Ask questions about special/holy times. |
| Summer 2Prayer | \*Jesus taught his disciples the Lord’s Prayer.\*Prayer is a form of communication with God. \*Prayer is expressed in a variety of ways. \*People pray for many different reasons. | \*Talk about the stories of Daniel and Jonah. \*Talk about the different ways people pray. \*Talk about their own experiences of prayer. |