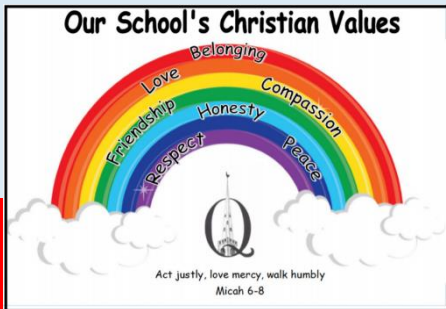


RE

Intent

The intention of the RE curriculum at QPS is to ensure that all children learn about a range of religions and understand the balance of these across both the UK and the world. As we are a Church of England school we ensure that our planning meets the coverage target of spending at least 50% of RE lessons focused on learning about Christianity.

We have chosen to do this using the Understanding Christianity Units and by ensuring that all planning fits with all parts of the 'tree' overview of coverage which ensures links from EYFS through to YEAR 9 in C of E schools. Where units are not taken from Understanding Christianity they are taken from the RE today resource which helps us to ensure that a mixture of faiths and beliefs are discussed as each new concept/question is delivered. In addition to this, both Key Stage 1 and Upper and Lower Key Stage 2 have a unit each which enables a deep dive into another religion. For KS1 this is Judaism and for Lower KS2 this is Hinduism and Upper KS2 Islam.



ACT
justly,
LOVE
mercy,
WALK
humbly.
MICAH 6-8

What?

RE is taught explicitly for one hour per week.

RE also takes place during 'Time to Worship' daily. (assemblies)

All of our teachers have received CPD so that they are equipped to teach RE confidently within their classes.

Impact

Children view RE as an important part of the curriculum and are able to identify religious concepts and link these to specific faiths.

The revisiting of religious concepts in TTW time enables them to be better embedded within the children's minds. The practice of worship also encourages quiet reflection for the children.

Teachers are confident when teaching all religions and world views and are able to take questions and provide well researched answers to enable children to come to their own opinions on faith.

