



## Curriculum

### Year 5 Scheme of Work

Term: Summer 2

Topic: How do people of world faiths mark the end of life?

#### Key Skills and Knowledge:

<p><b>Aims</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Give children an opportunity to ask questions, and discuss feelings about loss, death and heaven.</li> <li>• Give children an opportunity to express their ideas and perceptions of loss, death, heaven and eternal life.</li> <li>• Give pupils time to think about and respond to the key questions in a safe, loving environment.</li> <li>• Develop the children's understanding of Christian hope and the promise of eternal life with God.</li> <li>• Develop pupil's understanding and knowledge of how people of faith mark the end of life.</li> <li>• Develop pupil's understanding of Muslim, Hindu and Buddhist beliefs about death and life after death.</li> <li>• Develop understanding of Humanist beliefs about death.</li> </ul> <p><b>Key Skills and Knowledge: Interpret Empathise Reflect</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make links between what the Bible says about death and heaven and Christian beliefs.</li> <li>• Identify Christian beliefs about God and heaven found in prayers and worship songs.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Give their own opinion about what happens when you die.</li> <li>• Talk about what they think heaven is and what heaven will be like.</li> <li>• Show understanding of the similarities and differences between world faiths on the subject of death and heaven.</li> <li>• Use appropriate religious vocabulary to show understanding about Christian beliefs about eternal life and heaven.</li> <li>• Use appropriate religious vocabulary to show understanding about Muslim beliefs about eternal life and heaven.</li> <li>• Talk about what the Bible says and Christians believe heaven will be like.</li> <li>• Talk with understanding using appropriate religious vocabulary, about the beliefs of people of faith on the subject of death and heaven.</li> <li>• Talk about Hindu and Buddhist belief In reincarnation.</li> <li>• Describe funeral practices in the religious traditions they have explored</li> </ul>
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#### Reading and Writing Opportunities (Long and Short Activities) Creative Ideas and Hooks

<p>To begin with – discuss the key questions and select from stories/film clips/natural materials/national incidents to stimulate and enrich that discussion.</p> <p><u>Christian funeral</u> Explore what the Bible says about death and heaven. Create images of heaven. Read and analyse the words of the Christian funeral service, poems and worship songs to find out what Christians believe about death.</p> <p><u>Buddhist and Hindu beliefs and traditions.</u> Highlight similarities and beliefs. concept of rebirth to be discussed here. Islamic beliefs and traditions.</p>	<p>Funerals and funeral prayers. Compare and contrast with Christianity.</p> <p><u>Humanist funeral.</u> Explore what happens at a non-religious funeral ceremony.</p> <p><b>Key Questions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is death?</li> <li>• What does it mean when something or someone dies?</li> <li>• Is death an ending or a beginning?</li> <li>• What happens when we die?</li> <li>• Where do we go?</li> <li>• Where is heaven?</li> <li>• What is heaven like?</li> </ul>
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#### Links to PSHCE, Equality and British Values Work

Stories from history such as: The Holocaust – Erika's Story ISBN 078-0898128918 or The death of Stephen Lawrence – The Life of Stephen Lawrence, ISBN 978-1848531055.

Key Vocabulary:	Resources Available / Visits/Visitors	Useful Websites:
Life, death, heaven, eternal life, funeral, reincarnation and hope	Tapestry by Bob Hartman and Suzy Poole ISBN 978-1904637585 Badgers Parting Gifts by Susan Varley ISBN 978-1849395144 Waterbugs and Dragonflies by Doris Stickney ISBN 978-0829816242 Michael Rosen's Sad Book ISBN 978-1406317848 What happens when you die, Grandpa? by Jan Godfrey and Estelle Corke ISBN 978-1-83858-003-2 Are you sad little bear? By Rachel Rivett ISBN 978-0-7459-6430-0 Always and forever by Debi Gliori and Alan Durant ISBN 978-0-552-567	<p><a href="https://youtu.be/F2bk_9T482g">https://youtu.be/F2bk_9T482g</a></p> <p><b>Previous Knowledge</b> Easter – Jesus' death.</p>

