Religious Education: Lighting the Path

St Mary's RC Primary School Overview of the Year 2026-27

Autumn	**Mission Week** **2/9 – 4/9** Bespoke work in each class on the following: - Liturgical calendar - Class Saint - Mission Statement	**Branch 1 – Creation and Covenant (7 weeks)** **7/9 – 16/10**		**Remembrance Week** **(1 week)** **2/11 - 6/11** Including reflecting on peace as well as supporting work through topic.	**Branch 2 – Prophecy and Promise** **19/11 – 17/12 (6 weeks)**
Spring	**Vision Week** **4/1/27 – 8/1/27** Bespoke work in each class on the following: - Liturgical calendar - Class Saint - Vision Statement	**Branch 3 – Galilee to Jerusalem** 11/1/27 – 12/2/27 (5 weeks)		**Branch 4 - Desert to Garden** 22/2 – 25/3 (5 weeks)	
Summer	**Mission Week** **5/4/27 – 9/4/27** Bespoke work in each class on the following: - Liturgical calendar - Class Saint Vision Statement	**Branch 5 – To The Ends of the Earth** 12/4/27 – 21/5/27 (6 weeks)	**Multi Faith Week** (1 week) 24/5/27 – 28/5/27 In addition to work completed in Branch 6, each class to participate in a multi faith week.	**Branch 6 – Dialogue and Encounter** 14/6/27 – 16/7/27 (5 weeks)	

Each branch will loosely take a half term to complete. We will fit in our usual Mission/Vision weeks, Liturgical Calendar and Class Saints lessons in addition as directed by the RE team.

RSE Scheme – Life to the Full Plus – taught alongside Lighting the Path / Diocesan Resources throughout the year.

This scheme covers all of the protected characteristics and statutory curriculum for PSHE.

We also teach other PSHE related work through the work throughout the year and curriculum.