Enquiry Focus	KS1 pupils will be able to:		Lower KS2 pupils will be able to:		Upper KS2 pupils will be able to:		KS3 pupils will be able to:	
	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6	Y7	Y8
BELIEVING Core knowledge and understanding of texts, stories and key beliefs	Recognise the core beliefs of the religion(s) studied e.g. creation, salvation incarnation; belief in one God (Christianity & Judaism). Recall a variety of religious stories used for different purposes.	Give a simple account of the core beliefs of the religions studied. Retell a selection of key stories, making links to the core beliefs.	Identify the role of some religious figures in the core beliefs and stories (Jesus, Moses, Rama, Sita etc.). Identify different types of texts within sacred writings (laws, narratives, prayers, poems, story).	Describe the lives of the most important religious figures and their place within the belief system. Suggest meaning for the various kinds of writing found within sacred texts.	Identify and describe the role of sacred texts in establishing belief systems and influencing religious leaders. Use technical & religious language to identify the different writings within sacred texts.	Recognise the role of inspiration in the creation of sacred texts and the lives of leaders. Explain the connections between sacred texts and beliefs using theological terms.	Demonstrate a good knowledge and understanding of the belief systems of the religions being studied. Describe with some reasons, the significance of these belief systems. Name similarities and differences within and between religions. Explain the relationship between the key theological concepts studied and show whether the key concepts lead to a coherent faith narrative and if so how.	Demonstrate sound knowledge and understanding of the belief systems being studied. Describe reasons for the significance of the belief systems being studied. Describe the similarities and differences within and between religions. Use specialist vocabulary, mostly appropriately, in their answers. Suggest meanings for the concepts making reference to key texts and beliefs