# Bullion Lane Primary School Medium Term Plan for Religious Education

Year: 1/2 Cycle: A Term: Autumn 1

Topic: What can we learn about Christianity from visiting a Church?

#### Knowledge

- Find out which buildings are special to ourselves. Who do we belong to? Identify that a Church is special to many Christians. Christians belong to the Church.
- Identify the features found on the outside of a building that defines it a church building.
- Realise that the cross is the sign used to show people how to recognise the church building. Identify the cross both inside and outside the local church & know its importance for Christians.
- Name objects and features that are found inside a Church.
- Find out how objects and features found in a Church may be used in worship, teaching or reflection.
- Identify the priest and know what his/her job entails.

#### Skills

#### AF1: Thinking about religion and belief

- Recall features of religious, spiritual and moral stories and other forms of religious expression
- Recognise and name features of religions and beliefs

#### AF2: Enquiring, investigating and interpreting

- Identify what they find interesting and puzzling in life
- Recognise symbols and other forms of religious expression

#### Beliefs and teachings (what people believe)

Recount outcomes of some religious stories

#### Practices and lifestyles (what people do)

Recognise features of religious life and practice

Expression and language (how people express themselves)

Recognise some religious symbols and words

## Identify and experience (making sense of who we are)

 Identify aspects of own experience and feelings in religious material studied

## Meaning and purpose (making sense of life)

• Identify things they find interesting of puzzling, in religious materials studied

## Values and commitments (making sense of right and wrong)

 Identify what is of value and concern to themselves, in religious material studied

### Vocabulary

building, special. pulpit, lectern, altar, font, tower, spire, windows, candles, choir, worship, priest, anchorage, Christianity, Features, **Beliefs Religion** Cross, symbol,

Sign,

church

| • | Name, locate and know the history of a local church. Visit the church and identify. features. Consider own feelings and appreciate how many years the church has been in the community and how many Christians have worshipped there.   |  |
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| • | Appreciate that people volunteer to work at the church as part of their service to God Find out what other activities may take place in a Church or building e.g. Messy Church, Traidcraft, Foodbanks,. Why? How do we feel about this? |  |