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EY	Special Times Harvest and Christian beliefs about caring for our world Divali – the festival of light	Special stories Why was Jesus' birth seen as special?	Special Books The Bible as a special book for Christians Special Stories Stories Jesus told (e.g. The Lost Coin) Other stories from the Bible	Special Times Easter - new life and celebration	Special places Church visit Special places Church visit	Belonging/Family Weddings- Christian and Hindu marriage ceremonies	
1	Who am I and why am I special? How and why do Christians celebrate harvest?	What does it mean to belong in Christianity? Why are gifts given at Christmas ?	Why is Jesus special to Christians?	Why is Easter special for Christians?	How do Jews worship at home?	How do both Jews and Christians think the world was created?	
2	How and why do Christians care for others?	How and why do Jews celebrate Sukkot? How and why is Christmas a festival of light?	Why is Moses important to Jews? Why is the Bible special for Christians?	How do Christians celebrate Easter ?	What can we learn from visiting a church?	What can we learn from the story of a saint?	
3	What do Hindus believe about God? How and why do Hindus worship at home and in the Mandir?	Christmas Why is Advent important to Christians?	What do miracles tell us about who Jesus was?	Easter What do Christians remember on Palm Sunday?	Why are holy books important?	How do Jesus' parables help Christians live their lives?	
4	Why do religions have rules?	How and why do Hindus celebrate Divali? Christmas How do Christians celebrate Christmas today?	How and why do religious people pray?	Easter Why is Lent such an important time for Christians?	What can we learn about symbols and beliefs from visiting religious buildings?	What do religions say about the environment?	
5	Why is Muhammad important to Muslims? What is the Qur'an and why is it important to Muslims?	Christmas Why is the birth of Jesus important to Christians?	Why do people travel to sacred places?	Easter What happened at the Last Supper?	What do Christians believe about God? Why and how do Christians celebrate Pentecost?	How do Christian groups differ in their expression of faith?	
6	Why is the Buddha important for Buddhists? How do Buddhist beliefs affect the way Buddhists live their lives?	Christmas What do the gospels tell us about the birth of Jesus?	What do religions believe about life after death?	Easter Why are Good Friday and Easter Day the most important days for Christians?	How and why do some religious people inspire others?	How do religions respond to prejudice and discrimination?	



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