

What I Need to Know: Y4 RE

Does prayer change things?

We nurture the curiosity to learn, the courage to lead and the compassion to care.

We will explore the reasons why believers pray and what they believe the impact of praying can be.



Create, Communicate & Evaluate

- Write and share a prayer, explaining why they chose particular words, phrases or format; reflect on how praying has helped them



Question, Reason, Discuss & Explain

- Explore the purposes of prayer and the different ways that Christians might pray (location, group & format of prayer)
- Explore similarities and differences between the way that Christians, Muslims and Hindus might pray
- Explore different viewpoints talking with practicing Muslims / Hindus about prayer



Know & Do

- Consider important questions about prayer
- Suggest how recent learning might inform their decision to pray and their choice of prayer

Vocabulary I need to know...

prayer sin salvation miracle believer intercession supplication confession
adoration and thanksgiving Lord's Prayer First Surah of the Qur'an Gayatri Mantra reflection
shrine mandir worship puja puja tray deity

Opportunities to support English and maths

- Skim and scan texts to retrieve information or quotes quickly and accurately
- Summarise main ideas from more than one paragraph
- Make and justify inferences with appropriate evidence from the text
- Provide reasoned justifications for their views, quoting evidence from across a text

Curriculum Links and Enrichment Activities