



With Christ at the centre,
We live, love and learn together, reaching out to all.
Only our best is good enough!

Overview of *To Know You More Clearly* Curriculum

	Overarching theme	Branch 1 Creation and covenant	Branch 2 Prophecy and promise	Branch 3 Galilee to Jerusalem	Branch 4 Desert to garden	Branch 5 To the ends of the Earth	Branch 6 Dialogue and Encounter
EVFS	My own faith, The faith of my community, Knowing God and the life of Jesus	Genesis – Indeed it is very good Focus on themselves and God's love for us	The annunciation The Nativity, shepherds, the crib, advent wreath; How different cultures celebrate	Wise men visit Jesus calls the little children Jesus came to show God's love	Lent, Jesus died on the cross - it was sad, Jesus was given new life - everyone celebrates, simple Holy Week	Ascension Pentecost Holy Spirit Early Christian community	My own faith Local Parish (Other faiths and festivals covered across the curriculum)
Year 1	Revelation, how do people know about God?	Story of Creation in Genesis, God's gift of Creation	God's love, Mary said yes to God's call, Hail Mary, events from the annunciation to shepherds, Angels – bringing God's message, Christmas around the world and the local Community	People that encounter Jesus, Jesus' mission, Our mission, Candlemas	Link Jesus' time in the desert and Lent, Giving - widow's mite, story of last week of Jesus' life (inc ways marked in another country)	Road to Emmaus, Promise of the Spirit, The Ascension, Pentecost Holy Spirit	Christianity – follower of Jesus Christ Judaism – belief in one God and special clothes Jewish people wear
Year 2	Baptism	Gift of Creation, Noah, God's promise, Caring for God's world	Isaiah spoke of Jesus, The annunciation, John the Baptist, Mary (pray to and with), Advent – different cultures and communities (the wreath, Las Posadas)	John the Baptist Baptism of Jesus The Lost Sheep Sin Forgiveness	Jesus' words on the cross about forgiveness, Lent is a time for forgiveness and reconciliation Sacrament of Reconciliation Holy Week review, Easter Vigil	Events from the Resurrection to Pentecost, Fruits of the Holy Spirit St Luke's gospel - the life of Jesus, the Acts of the Apostles, early Church	Christianity – how we should live; Judaism – religious law, beliefs, worship and life (Sabbath celebrated in synagogues and homes) Hebrew calligraphy
Year	Eucharist	Story of Creation in Genesis	Sunday as a holy day, Mass – simple	Magi – gifts Kingdom of God	Feeding of the 5000, the last supper, Body	Road to Emmaus, the group of	Judaism – Exodus, Passover, meaning of food

		Made in the image of God Stewardship	description (focus on Liturgy of the Word), Angels' message (linking Isaiah) to Joseph, signs used in Advent/Christmas	Our Father Life of a Saint	of Christ, Describe the Mass – focus of Liturgy of the Eucharist – offertory prayer	apostles (inc Mary), Early Church, Paul's Letter to the Corinthians, linked to Mass	Christianity - Last Supper Islam - Islamic laws, beliefs, worship, and life (5 pillars)
Year 4	People whose lives have been transformed by faith and hope in God	Abraham Joseph Covenant Cardinal Manning in the London dockworker's strike 1889	What is a prophet? – Elijah, John the Baptist (link words and preaching to Advent), The Feast of Christ the King, Jesse tree	Jesus showed God's Kingdom inc those excluded, Nicene Creed, People inspired by Jesus to help the marginalised	Prodigal son Judgement of nations parable Holy Week Story of St Peter	Peter: faith, three denials, saw Jesus by the lake; the Pope, Apostles' Creed, Communion of Saints, Mary -Queen of Heaven	Christianity - St Paul, Theological virtues, Liturgical rite, Liturgical traditions, Coptic Church Islam - 5 pillars