

RE in the summer term

Useful festival dates (excerpts from the [SHAP calendar](#))

2 May	Yom Hashoah Judaism
6 May – 4 June	Ramadan Islam
19 May	Vesakha Puja / Buddha Day Buddhism
23 May	Lag B'Omer Judaism
28 May	Lailat-ul-Qadr Shi'a Islam
31 May	Lailat-ul-Qadr Sunni Islam
5 June	Eid-ul-Fitr Islam
9/10 June	Shavuot Judaism
16 June	Martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev Sikhism
21 June	World Humanist Day
10 – 14 August	Hajj Islam
12 – 16 August	Eid-ul-Adha Islam
14/15 August	Raksha Bandhan Hinduism
23/24 August	Janmashtami Hinduism

For more information and support, contact:

County RE Centre

Tel: 01962 863134

email: re.centre@hants.gov.uk

Justine Ball, HIAS Inspector/Adviser for Primary RE

email: justine.ball@hants.gov.uk

<https://tinyurl.com/HIASREwebsite>

<http://re.hias.hants.gov.uk>

Teaching about summer religious festivals and topics

Planning

Visit the HIAS RE website <https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/hias/religious-education> (free access for Hampshire schools see below; subscribable for non-Hampshire schools via: <https://tinyurl.com/HIAS-order>) or the RE Moodle site for the following medium term plans.

Please note change to schools' access to the HIAS RE curriculum site from April 2019

Access to Hampshire County Council's password protected pages, including the HIAS RE curriculum site and HIAS curriculum updates, is now via the [Services Portal](#).

Hampshire schools: Full instructions to set up access via the Services Portal for your school are detailed in school communication SC016651 – so please talk to your admin office about setting up your access.

External subscribers: If you have a license for the RE website, the named person on that license has received an invitation to set up their account in the Services Portal. To set up access for other members of your school:

Download the user guide <https://www.hants.gov.uk/portal-guide-orgadmin> and follow the instructions to set up your staff. Then send this link <https://www.hants.gov.uk/portal-guide> to your staff once you have set up their access. Services Portal login <https://www.hants.gov.uk/business/servicesportal/signin>

<i>Ritual</i>	KS2 Ramadan and Eid-UI-Fitr	HIAS RE site
<i>Celebration</i>	KS1 Eid-ul-Fitr	Moodle+
<i>Sacrifice</i>	KS2 Eid-ul-Adha	HIAS RE site
<i>Enlightenment</i>	KS2 Wesak	HIAS RE site and RE Moodle
<i>Protection</i>	KS2 Raksha Bandhan	HIAS RE site and RE Moodle
<i>Remembering</i>	FS/KS1 Janmashtami (Krishna's birthday)	HIAS RE site and RE Moodle
<i>Golden rule, the</i>	KS2 Humanism	Moodle+
<i>River of life, the</i>	KS2 Humanism	Moodle+
<i>Good life, a</i>	KS2 Humanism	HIAS RE site and RE Moodle
<i>Creation</i>	KS1 Creation stories	HIAS RE site and RE Moodle
<i>Creation</i>	KS2 Creation	HIAS RE site
<i>Stewardship</i>	KS2 Creation	HIAS RE site
<i>Precious</i>	FS/KS1 Water	HIAS RE site and RE Moodle
<i>Ritual</i>	KS1 Water	HIAS RE site
<i>Symbol</i>	KS2 Trees	HIAS RE site

Looking for a medium-term plan by concept?

Search no further!

There is a handy list entitled *Where can we find Primary RE planning by concept?* indicating where planning is held. This could be on the HIAS RE site, RE Moodle and Moodle+, or in a teaching pack. This list is available from:

<https://re.hias.hants.gov.uk/course/view.php?id=58>

Artefact boxes to borrow from the RE Centre on these summer term topics:

- Ramadan and Eid-ul-Fitr
- Hajj
- Raksha Bandhan
- Janmashtami
- Creation
- Water
- Trees.

To check availability, please call the RE Centre on 01962 863134 or email re.centre@hants.gov.uk

For a full list of artefact boxes to borrow, visit:

<https://re.hias.hants.gov.uk/course/view.php?id=9>

Teaching packs to purchase from the RE Centre on these summer term topics:

- *Islam at KS2* [RE040 £25*]
- *Janmashtami* [RE013 £14*]
- *Creation for KS2* [RE006 £14*]
- *Water for KS1 (concept precious)* [RE028 £14*]
- *Water for KS2 (concept ritual)* [RE036 £14*]
- *Water for KS2 (concept symbol)* [RE037 £14*]
- *Trees* [RE038 £14*]

*Prices quoted above are for subscribers to the RE Centre; non-subscribers should add £35 to the price quoted for each publication.

To purchase, please order online: <https://tinyurl.com/re-centre-form>

For a full list of primary RE teaching packs and guidance to purchase, visit:

<https://re.hias.hants.gov.uk/course/view.php?id=7>

Looking for RE courses and networks?

Hampshire's new Learning Management System (LMS) launched on 1 October 2018.

For information on how to access the LMS, visit <https://tinyurl.com/HTLCLMS>

If you have an urgent enquiry about making a booking or managing your attendance on a HTLC course, please email: HTLC.Courses@hants.gov.uk or telephone: 01962 718600.

Browse from our extensive CPD catalogue, in particular the following:

- **Help! I'm an RE manager** (termly networks) **including a twilight network in Winchester**
- **Annual primary RE conference 23 May 2019:**

Annual primary RE conference 23 May 2019

Presented by the HIAS RE team, this is a popular annual event that RE leaders always find worthwhile and enjoyable. It offers an ideal opportunity to refresh your RE practice, as well as network with RE lead colleagues and the RE team.

This year's keynote speech will address the issues raised in the recent report by the Commission on RE entitled *Religion and Worldviews: the way forward. A national plan for RE*. It will consider the implications for RE and what future teaching in RE may look like. This will help delegates consider your own RE teaching and what changes you may make in the future.

The day will also include a choice of workshops including:

- **What does it mean to be a Muslim?** This workshop will consider the five pillars of Islam and, through them, the important concepts of *belonging* and *community* (Umma) for Muslims.
- **Jewish family life** and the teaching of concepts through a focus on celebrating at Shabbat, the key Jewish festivals considered in the *Living Difference III* syllabus and what you might see on a visit to the synagogue.
- **Hindu music and dance** and using this to teach concepts in Hinduism. This workshop will also consider the key festivals of Diwali and Holi.
- **The teaching of non religious worldviews:** this workshop will present the research by the RE leader at Twyford St Mary CE Primary School on Humanism and teaching this in the primary classroom.
- **Concepts of story and storytelling to teach concepts in Christianity:** this workshop will share some practical activities for use at the Contextualise and Evaluate steps in the cycle of enquiry.