

3 Year Cycle for Religious Education

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Table of the Three Year Cycle Linked to the Liturgical Calendar



	Year	Autumn	Year	Spring	Year	Summer
Year 1 (2018-2019)	B	Beginning with God (Moses) & (Trinity)	C	Sacramental People (Sacraments of Healing)	C	Easter to Pentecost (Resurrection, Pentecost, Caritas)
	C	Advent to Christmas (Luke's Nativity & Incarnation)	C	Lent to Easter (Stations of the Cross)	C	Virtuous Life (Being a Good Samaritan & the cardinal Virtues)
Year 2 (2019-2020)	C	In the Beginning (Genesis story)	A	People of Prayer (Epiphany & The Beatitudes)	A	Easter to Pentecost (Liturgy)
	A	Advent to Christmas (Matthew's Nativity)	A	Lent to Easter (Liturgies of Holy Week)	A	Kingdom of God (Parables & Nelson Mandela)
Year 3 (2020-2021)	A	Beginning with Church (Sacraments of Initiation)	B	Jesus at Prayer (Passover)	B	Easter to Pentecost (Pentecostal People eg: Vincent Nichols)
	B	Advent to Christmas (Christmas around the world)	B	Lent to Easter (Last Supper & Eucharist now)	B	Discipleship

NOTES:

- Section Highlighted in YELLOW is the Curriculum that EYFS follow every year – starting with the topic “In the Beginning”
- Dates in brackets indicate the academic year that those units will have been or will be taught in.