

Y2 RE: How can we make good choices?

Anchor event: Children devise their own rules for leading a good life: craft activity

What should children already know?

Vertical links to previous RE learning/ topics:

EYFS RE topic: What makes a good helper?

Y1 RE topic: How and why do we care for others?

How does this link to other learning this year?

Horizontal links to other learning this year:

PHSE: Keeping safe

How does this link to other school learning?

Diagonal links to previous learning/ topics across

Key Learning:

What are rules and why do we have them?

How can rules and choices make our classroom a happy place?

What are the consequences for ourselves and other people if we make a bad choice?

What rules do Christians and Jews follow? God gave Moses 10 rules, or commandments, for his followers to live by.

Muslims have the 5 Pillars of Islam which detail what they should do as part of their faith:

- Tell people you believe in Allah
- Pray 5 times a day
- Give some of your money away to help other people
- Fast during Ramadan
- Travel once in your lifetime to the holy city of Mecca

Children devise their own 5 rules for leading a good life

Listen to moral stories, religious and secular

Key Vocabulary/ Concepts:

rule	An instruction to follow
choice	A decision from different possibilities
Moses	A prophet and leader who led the Hebrew slaves out of Egypt
Hebrews	Ancestors of Jewish people
Mount Sinai	A mountain in Egypt where Moses received the 10 commandments
commandments	A rule coming from God
tablet	A piece of engraved stone
Mecca	City in Saudi Arabia, home to the Kaaba -the holiest place for Muslims
5 Pillars of Islam	Rules Muslims must follow
consequence	A result of an action
parable	A story with a moral or message for people to learn from

Key figures/Places/Symbols:



Links with other religions/world beliefs:

Humanist: 10 commandments, a set of non-religious values

Sikhism: have their own 10 commandments on how to live a good life

Hinduism: 5 Yamas or moral instructions to follow

Buddhist: The 5 Precepts are a set of moral values for Buddhists to follow