Spring Term - Explore					
Year	Big Question	Project Values	Sunshine 6 Value	RE Driver	Project Theme
1	What makes a house a home?	Belonging, Compassion, Equality, Integration	Perseverance & Respect	Who is the prophet Muhammed and why is he important to Muslims? What can we learn from him about how people should be treated? How do Muslims show compassion, belonging and respect?	**Geography Context:** Mapping Skills and Settlements. **Design Technology Context:** Bulbs and buzzers. Creating homes.
2	Whose responsibility is it to look after the air we breathe?	Responsibility, Fairness, Choice, Consequence.	Compassion	Why and how are some books holy? What makes these books special to Sikhs and Muslims? How do Sikhs, Muslims and Christians show respect to these books?	**Geography Context:** The Rainforest, Deforestation, Renewable energy **Design Technology Context:** Vehicles
3	How does food bring us together?	Community, Sharing, Choice, Happiness	Compassion	What is the Langar and why is it important in the Sikh faith? How do Sikhs feel responsible for the community around them? To explore the key beliefs of Sikhs, their holy text, the Gurus and their place of worship.	**Geography Context:** Food distribution **Design Technology Context:** Cooking and Nutrition
4	How can our choices improve our future?	Sustainability , Change, Belief, Choice	Perseverance	Judaism: my life, my religion. Exploring Yom Kippur and Rosh Hashanah. What can we learn about and from Pesach (Passover). How do Jews: show gratitude fro what they have, reflect on their choices, make decisions? (The ten commandments.)	**Geography Context:** Renewable energy **Design Technology Context:** Building a prototype wind turbine
5	How can we overcome challenges facing our world?	Duty, Aspiration, Vision, Responsibility	Courage	Studying the values behind and aims of: Islamic Relief and Christian Aid. Learning from these religiously based charities to explore our own sense of stewardship and common good. Learning about the 5 Pillars of Islam (Zakat).	**Geography Context:** Water quality **Design Technology Context:** Recycling plastic and sustainable living.
6	How do communities work together to face adversity?	Adversity, Resilience, Hope, Community	Respect	In Islam and Judaism how do believers pray? What prayers and rituals are key to these faiths? How does faith help people to face adversity? Jewish visitor: How does the community support each other to face adversity?	**Geography Context:** Water Stress **Design Technology Context:** Protecting homes for water & Accessing water