



**St. Benet's RC Primary School
Come and See Yearly Overview – Cycle A
2014/2015**

<p>Autumn</p>	<p align="center">Domestic Church <i>8 Sept – 3 Oct</i></p> <p>Early Years - MYSELF - God knows and loves each one Year 1 & 2 - BEGINNINGS - God is present in every beginning Year 3 & 4 - HOMES - God's vision for every family Year 5 & 6 - OURSELVES - Created in the image and likeness of God</p>	<p align="center">Judaism <i>6 Oct - 10 Oct</i></p> <p>Early Years - Hannukkah Year 1 & 2 - Shabbat Year 3 & 4 - Synagogue Year 5 & 6 - Passover</p>	<p align="center">Baptism/Confirmation <i>13 Oct – 14 Nov</i></p> <p>Early Years - WELCOME - Baptism: a welcome to God's family Year 1 & 2 - SIGNS AND SYMBOLS - Signs and symbols in Baptism Year 3 & 4 - PROMISES - Promises made at Baptism Year 5 & 6 - LIFE CHOICES - Marriage, commitment and service</p>	<p align="center">Advent/Christmas <i>17 Nov – end of term</i></p> <p>Early Years - BIRTHDAY - Looking forward to Jesus' birthday Year 1 & 2 - PREPARATIONS - Advent: preparing to celebrate Christmas Year 3 & 4 - VISITORS - waiting for the coming of Jesus Year 5 & 6 - HOPE - Advent: waiting in the joyful hope for Jesus, the promised one</p>
<p>Spring</p>	<p align="center">Local Church <i>5 Jan – 30 Jan</i></p> <p>Early Years - CELEBRATING - People celebrate in Church Year 1 & 2 - BOOKS - The books used in Church Year 3 & 4 - JOURNEYS - Christian family's journey with Christ Year 5 & 6 - MISSION - Continuing Jesus' mission in diocese (ecumenism)</p>	<p align="center">Eucharist <i>2 Feb – 6 Mar</i></p> <p>Early Years - GATHERING - Parish family gathers to celebrate Eucharist Year 1 & 2 - THANKSGIVING - Mass, a special time to thank God Year 3 & 4 - LISTENING & SHARING - Jesus gives himself to us Year 5 & 6 - MEMORIAL SACRIFICE - Eucharist as the living memorial of Christ's sacrifice</p>	<p align="center">Islam <i>9 Mar – 13 Mar</i></p> <p>Early Years - Special days/ Ritual objects Year 1 & 2 - Prayer/home Year 3 & 4 - Places for worship Year 5 & 6 - Beliefs and festivals</p>	<p align="center">Lent/Easter <i>16 Mar – end of term</i></p> <p>Early Year - GROWING - Looking forward to Easter Year 1 & 2 - OPPORTUNITIES - Lent: an opportunity to start anew Year 3 & 4 - GIVING ALL - Lent: remembering Jesus' total giving Year 5 & 6 - SACRIFICE - Lent: aligning with the sacrifice made by Jesus</p>

Summer

Pentecost
20 Apr – 15 May

Early Years - GOOD NEWS - Passing on the Good News of Jesus
Year 1 & 2 - SPREAD THE WORD - Pentecost: a time to spread the Good News
Year 3 & 4 - ENERGY - Gifts of the Holy Spirit
Year 5 & 6 - TRANSFORMATION - Celebration of the Spirit's transforming power

Reconciliation/Anointing of the sick
18 May – 19 June

Early Years - FRIENDS - Friends of Jesus
Year 1 & 2 - RULES - Reasons for rules in the Christian family
Year 3 & 4 - CHOICES - Importance of examination of conscience
Year 5 & 6 - FREEDOM & RESPONSIBILITY - Commandments enable Christians to be free & responsible

Universal Church
22 June – end of term

Early Years - OUR WORLD - God's wonderful world
Year 1 & 2 - TREASURES - God's treasure; the world
Year 3 & 4 - SPECIAL PLACES - Holy places for Jesus and the Christian community
Year 5 & 6 - STEWARDSHIP - The Church is called to the stewardship of Creation