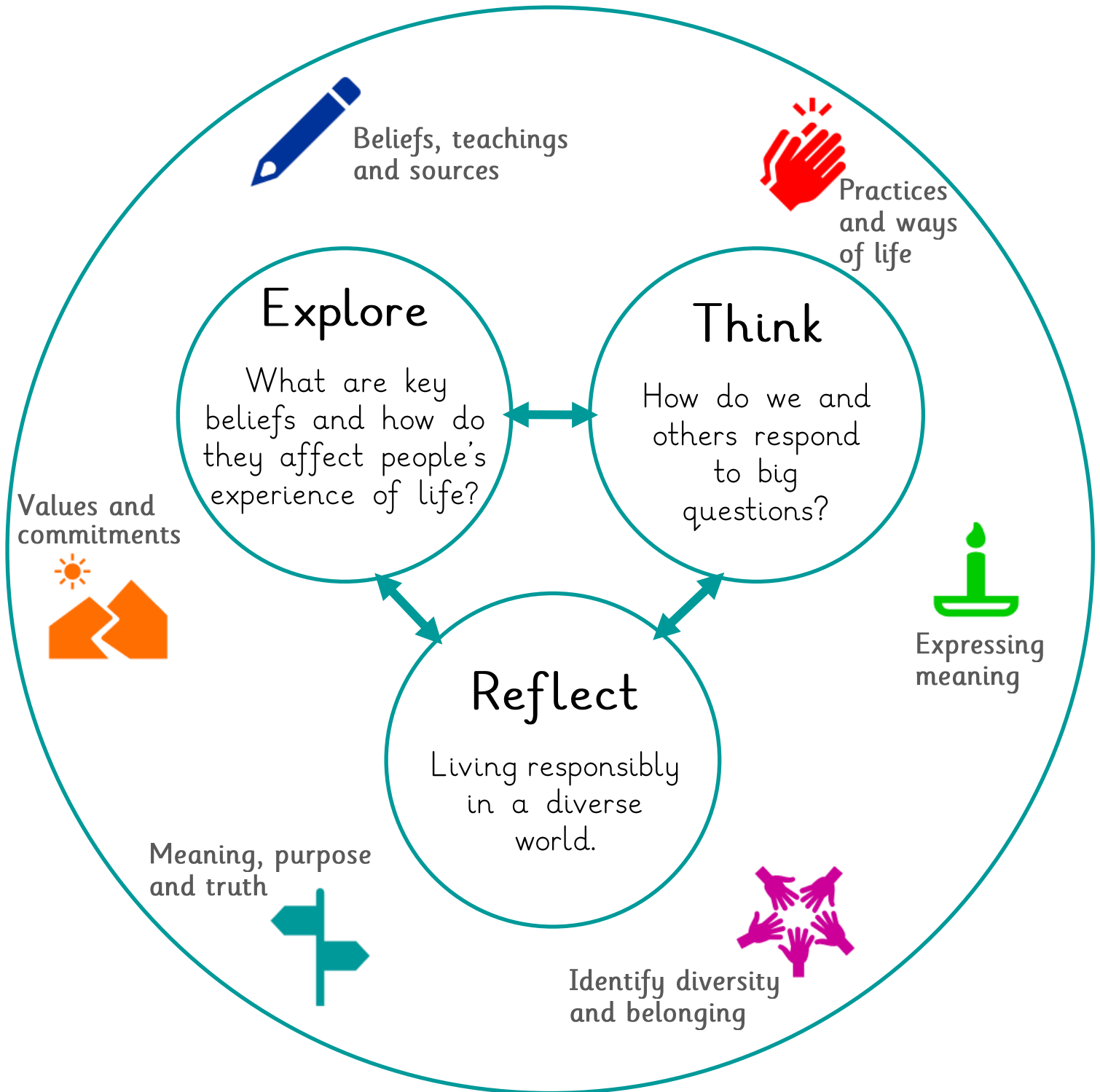




Berkswich CE Religious Education Curriculum



In every unit in RE, we investigate the main ideas and explore, think and reflect.

Explore, Think and Reflect

We will explore, think and reflect throughout our RE units and lessons. The areas of learning below will be visited again and again to help us to grow our knowledge and understanding of ourselves and others. We will mainly learn about Christianity and Islam, but we will also find out about other world beliefs and ideas.

Beliefs and special books



- ➞ Learn about stories and think about what they mean to others.
- ➞ Learn about special people and their teachings.
- ➞ Find out about special books and how they are read and treated by believers.

Important times and ways of life



- ➞ Find out about how and when people worship. Why is this important to believers?
- ➞ Find out how people prepare for festivals. Find out about these celebrations.
- ➞ Learn about the importance for some people of belonging to a religion. What difference does it make to their lives?

What does it mean?



- ➞ What special things do people use in worship?
- ➞ Find out about what happens in worship. Think about what actions mean.
- ➞ Think carefully about what people believe. Start to understand what stories and symbols mean.

Celebrating differences and belonging



- ➞ Think about stories to do with belonging to different sorts of communities. Think about what these stories mean to you.
- ➞ Find out about ways that people live their lives. Ask questions in a respectful way.
- ➞ Find out about special moments in different people's lives and how these are celebrated.

Looking for meaning



- ➞ Ask questions and think about things that are puzzling or interesting in the world.
- ➞ Listen to people talk about their relationship with God. Talk to people about what is important to them. Ask them questions.
- ➞ Think about different stories from special books. What do they mean to believers?

What is important?



- ➞ Listen to stories about morals and values and think about them carefully. What do you think?
- ➞ Learn about how people care for others. Why do people act in these ways?
- ➞ Think about stories from special books and find out what they tell us about people's feelings about the world we live in.