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Year Five RE Knowledge Organiser Autumn Term One – Creation and Covenant

Lesson One	Lesson Three	Lesson Five
To reflect on what makes us truly happy. The parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:25–37) is a scripture story that helps us consider how thinking about other people might help us to be happy. Some behaviours, actions and attitudes help bring happiness to others and rules may or may not make people be happy.  	Pharaoh oppresses Israel (Exodus 1:8–22) The birth of Moses (Exodus 2:1–15) 15) Retell the Moses story, focusing on the two key events of the call and the covenant (the Burning Bush (Ex 3:1–15). At the end of Joseph's story in the Book of Genesis, the Israelites had settled in Egypt because of the famine. They stayed in Egypt and, over time, Joseph was forgotten and the Israelites were perceived as a threat. God called Moses to lead the Israelites out of enslavement in Egypt. 	The Ten Commandments (Exodus 20:1–17) Retell the Moses story, focusing on the key event: the Sinai covenant and the Ten Commandments (Ex 19:3–8, 20:1–17)). Use developing specialist vocabulary to show how the Ten Commandments help human beings live good and happy lives. The Israelites were freed from being enslaved, and so were free to make choices about how to live their lives. The commandments sent by God help people live in freedom, safety and with compassion. 
Abraham Joseph covenant Jacob Isreal Isaac Egypt	Israelites encounter enslavement famine Hebrews Moses Mount Sinai	Commandments compassion freedom
Lesson Two	Lesson Four	Lesson Six
Covenant with Abraham (Genesis 12:1–3) Correctly use developing specialist vocabulary to describe what a covenant is, recognising that God made several covenants throughout history, e.g., with Noah, Abraham, and Moses. God fulfilled His promise to give Abraham as many descendants as stars in the sky. Abraham's son, Isaac, had a son called Jacob. Jacob is sometimes called Israel. Jacob had a large family. Without Joseph helping Egypt to store food, Jacob's family may have died. Joseph helps the family of Jacob (Israel) survive. 	Retell the Moses story, focusing on the key event – the Sinai covenant. Correctly use developing specialist vocabulary to describe what a covenant is, recognising that God made several covenants throughout history, e.g., with Noah, Abraham, and Moses. The Israelites crossed the Red Sea in the north of Egypt, then walked south, down the peninsula, towards Mount Sinai. When they were camped at the foot of Mount Sinai, Moses went up the mountain. God reminds Moses of what He has done for Jacob's descendants. God offers a covenant to the Israelites through Moses. 	The Ten Commandments help human beings live good and happy lives. What does 'you shall not steal' mean? Or what if there were eleven Commandments?  



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Lesson Seven	Lesson Nine	Lesson Eleven
Make links between the Ten Commandments and Jesus' summary of the law in Matthew's Gospel (22:36–40) - The Greatest Commandment For Jewish people, the Ten Commandments are not the only rules they follow; the other rules are found in the Books of Leviticus and Deuteronomy.  There are over 600 rules on how to lead a good life in these books, which many Jewish people choose to follow today and which cover many aspects of life, such as food and clothing. Matthew 22:36–40 describes how Jesus gave the people the Greatest Commandment (a summary of all the Law). The Greatest Commandment is also known as the Great Commandment.	To understand the Church's teaching on the common good and love of neighbour. We could 'grow in virtue' to be better neighbours. Loving our neighbour, for Christians today, means welcoming asylum seekers and refugees. Catholic Social Teaching (CST) is one way the Church teaches Catholics to love their neighbour and care for the common good. CST teaches how Catholic faith guides actions. It comes from scripture, letters written by popes and holy people, and the examples set by Christians through history. Jesus tells people to love God and to love your neighbour ... every neighbour! CST aims to build a world of justice, love and peace, where everyone has what they need. 	A virtue is a positive habit that helps people live a good life. People could 'grow in virtue' to be better neighbours. St Paul's letter to the Corinthians. Saint Paul suggested that the most important virtues are faith, hope and love. These are the supernatural or theological virtues because Christians believe they come from a loving God. Saint Paul describes the actions of love, not just emotions. We can make links between Saint Paul's Christian belief and the Greatest Commandment. Faith, hope and love link very closely with loving God, your neighbour and yourself in the Greatest Commandment. 
Ten Commandments Summary of the Law Greatest Commandment	Catholic Social Teaching neighbour justice love peace shepherd	Saint Paul Christians virtues Sin
Lesson Eight	Lesson Ten	Lesson Twelve
 The Ten Commandments help human beings live good and happy lives. Make links between the Ten Commandments and Jesus' summary of the law in Matthew's Gospel. As Christians, love neighbour means for Christians today, for example, welcoming asylum seekers and refugees. Express a point of view and give reasons relating to the Church's teaching on the common good and love of neighbour.	Sin Is deliberately spoiling our friendship with God and each other. Reflect on what makes them truly happy. Rules can help people be happy. Jesus meets Zacchaeus (Luke 19:1–10) The parable of the lost sheep (Matthew 18:12–14). The parable of the lost sheep, the lost son or the lost coin are stories that show us that even when people sin, God never gives up on them. One sheep (the sinner) wandered off (became separated from God) but the shepherd (God) searched until he found it, and then he was full of joy. 	Make links between the Ten Commandments and Jesus' summary of the law in Matthew's Gospel (22:36–40). God made several covenants throughout history. The Ten Commandments help human beings live good and happy lives. Sin is deliberately spoiling our friendship with God and each other. A virtue is a positive habit that helps people live a good life.

