

Religious Education – Autumn 2

LIVING SIKH TRADITIONS

Key Learning Objective

Know and Understand: Deepen knowledge of major religions and worldviews (such as Christianity, Islam, and non-religious worldviews like Humanism). Understand how these beliefs impact communities, morality, and identity.

Express and Evaluate: Reflect critically on ultimate questions of meaning, purpose, and value. Articulate insights thoughtfully and learn to agree or disagree respectfully.

Analyse and Apply: Develop skills to interpret sacred texts (like the Bible or Qur'an) and use specialist vocabulary. Make meaningful connections between different beliefs and customs.

Substantive – the subject knowledge Bigger Picture – supporting words

Key Vocabulary

relishes	remembrance	bring to mind	Waheguru	Sikhi
gurdwara	parshad	morsel	emptyhanded	Mughal Empire
Amritsar	sly	seizing his chance	Lahore	summons
fumed	affairs	waver	unwavering	last words
relay	Guru Hargobind	cursed/curse	superstitious	Simran Seva
implored	dilemma	unique	tassels	liberated
topknot	kesh	kara	exceptional	solace
kanga	sheath	kirpan	unsheaths	kachera
compiled	compilation	prescribed	likeness	Sikh



	Questions to develop knowledge and understanding	P	T
1	Where, when, who and how do Sikhs worship?		
2	Why do you think Sikhs today, honour and remember Guru Arjan?		
3	How did the behaviour of Guru Hargobind inspire others and why?		
4	What is Khalsa?		
5	Why is Khalsa significant in Sikhism?		
6	How do the actions of Sikhs reflect their beliefs and attitudes?		