

# Newquay Primary Academy – R.E. Autumn 1 Sequence



## YEAR 3

**Prior knowledge...**  
This half term of RE will draw on the children's understanding of **Hinduism** from **KS1**.

## YEAR 4

**Prior knowledge...**  
This half term of RE will draw on the children's understanding of Hinduism from Year 3.

## YEAR 5

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## YEAR 6

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## INTENT

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**OUTCOME /  
COMPOSITE**

What does the story of Rama and Sita mean to Hindus?  
Explain what the story teaches Hindus about light and about dharma. Including lots of examples from the story.

Invite parents in to share work with parents.

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Film the retelling of one of the stories.

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Create a leaflet to take home to parents