



Knowledge Organiser



Year 1 – Autumn Term

Christianity

Key Knowledge

What should we know by the end of this topic?

- Christianity is a religion which Christians follow
- Jesus was the founder of Christianity

Christmas

Christmas celebrates the birth of Jesus.

Most Christians believe that Jesus is the 'Son of God' and was God and human.

People celebrate Christmas by giving gifts, decorating their home, eating special foods, singing and attending Church.

Mary gave birth to Jesus in a stable after finding no room in the inns. The wise men visited, bringing gifts to the baby.



Nativity

'He came down to Earth from heaven, who is God and Lord of all...'

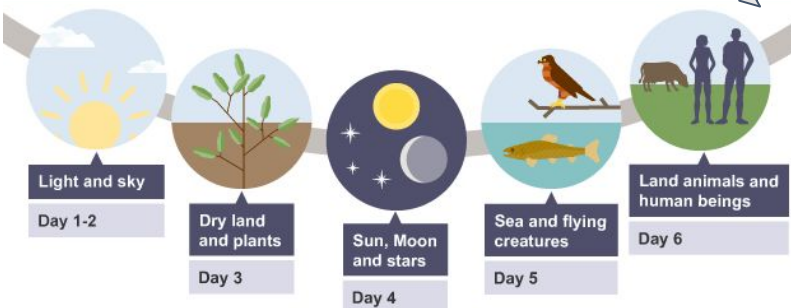


Christians believe...

God is the creator.

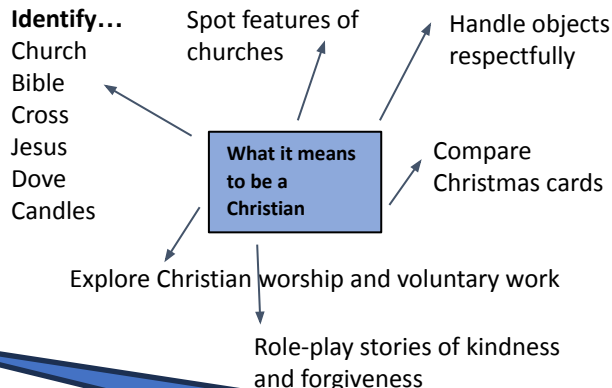
God is loving.

God is forgiving.



Key Skills

How can we develop our RE skills?



How do you celebrate Christmas? Why do people use lights? Why might people give gifts?

Important Christian Stories

The Parable of the Lost Coin



Use words to describe Jesus:

founder, leader, teacher, preacher, role model

Learn about things Jesus did.

People of Faith

Florence Nightingale

Ask questions about Christianity

Share own views, giving reasons linked to learning

Think about what you believe in

Explore what happens during a Christening.



Key Vocabulary

How can I use these words in my lessons?

Vocabulary	Definition
Christianity	A faith which began in Judea
Christian	A person who follows Christianity
Founder	The first person who started a religion and introduced it to the world
Jesus	Founder of Christianity
Church	Christian place of worship
Bible	Christian holy book
The Cross	An important symbol of Christianity
Christmas	Festival which celebrates Jesus' birth
Creation	The making of the world and everything in it
Parable	A story with a moral told by Jesus
Christening	A ceremony which welcomes a baby to the church