



Key Knowledge, Vocabulary and Questions

RE: Autumn - Why do Christians say that God is a father? / Why is Jesus special to Christians?

Year 1

Key Knowledge



- Know that Christians call God 'father'.
- Know that Christians talk to God in prayer.
- Know how people show love to others.
- Know who they can talk to if they are worried or upset.
- Know the main characters in the nativity story.
- Know that Jesus is special to Christians.
- Know why Christmas is a special time.



Key Vocabulary

Christians	People who believe that Jesus is the son of God and who sometimes refer to God as a father.
Prayer	A way of talking to God.
Forgiveness	Showing you understand when someone says sorry.
Jesus	The son of God.
Christmas	Christian festival to celebrate Jesus' birthday.
Nativity	The story of the birth of Jesus

Key Questions

- 1 Why do Christians sometimes call God, 'father'?
- 2 What might Christians talk to God(pray) about?
- 3 How do we care/show love to others?
- 4 Who can I talk to if I am worried or upset?
- 5 What do you know about the nativity story?
- 6 Why is Jesus special?
- 7 What do babies need?
- 8 Who helps me?

Christians



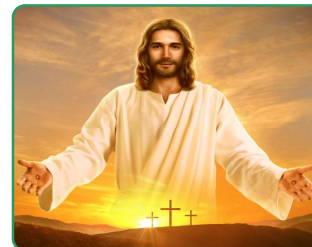
Prayer



Forgiveness



Jesus



Christmas



Nativity



Key Knowledge



- Know who and how people help us.
- Know who the Buddha was.
- Know that we can learn from stories.
- Know that Hindus believe there is one God but that God can be shown in different ways (deities)?

Key Questions

- 1 Who in school helps us, what do they do?
- 2 Who was the Buddha?
- 3 What can we learn from stories about the Buddha?
- 4 What do Buddhists do because of what they believe?
- 5 What are the different roles that people may have?
- 6 What can be learned from the story of the blind man and the elephant?
- 7 What do Hindus believe about God?
- 8 Can you name any of the Hindu deities?

Key Vocabulary

The Buddha	A man named Siddhartha who learned how to end suffering.
Buddhists	People who follow the teachings of The Buddha.
Hindu	A person who follows the religion of Hinduism.
Deity	Different representations of God e.g. Brahman, Lakshmi.

Buddha



Buddhists



Hindu



Deity



Brahman



Lakshmi





Key Knowledge, Vocabulary and Questions

RE: Summer - How might some people show that they belong to God?

Year 1

Key Knowledge



- Know that some Christians welcome babies into the God's family (the Church) with baptism ceremonies.
- Know that a church is not just a building but a group of people or family.

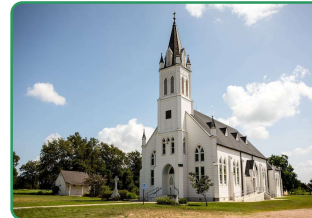
Key Questions

- 1 What is baptism?
- 2 How do people show that they belong?
- 3 What holds the water during baptism?
- 4 How is a church a family?
- 5 Why do Christians baptise people?

Key Vocabulary

The Church	God's family, which Christians belong to.
(Infant) Baptism	A Christian ceremony to welcome a baby.
Belonging	A way of showing that you are part of a group.
Font	Something which holds the water in a baptism service.
Cross	A Christian symbol which represents God's love.

The Church



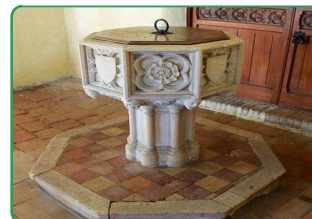
Baptism



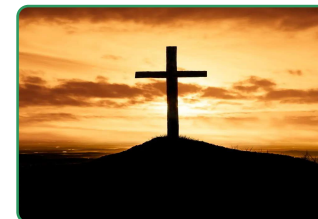
Belonging



Font



Cross



Family

