

Year 1 RE - Christianity and Christmas

Learning Threads: Key people Sacred Writings Places Festivals Approaches to Life

Wow Day!
Church visit.

Learning Questions from SACRE:

- What do Christians believe about God?

Many Christians believe God is responsible for the creation of the Earth. Many believe in one God, and call Him, Father.

- Who is Jesus? Why is it important for Christians to follow the example of Jesus?

Jesus is the son of God. Many Christians believe Jesus set the example for how they should lead their lives.

- What is the special book of the Christians?

The Bible is the Christian book of sacred writings.

- What do we learn from Jesus' stories? What do we learn from Jesus' miracles?

Many Christians believe Jesus' most important messages from God were to love God and look after one another.

- Where do Christians worship?

Some Christians go to Church to worship.

- How do Christians celebrate Christmas?

Some Christians go to Church to celebrate Christmas. Many people around the world give gifts to one another. Christmas is celebrated in a variety of ways.

- What are the key events in the Christmas story and why are they important?

The birth of Jesus is an important event.

- Birthdays - whose birthday are we celebrating, how do we celebrate birth?

Jesus' birthday.

Key people:

- God
- Jesus

Sacred writings:

- Bible

Places:

- church

Festivals:

- Harvest
- Christmas
- Easter

Challenge:

How do Christians follow Jesus' example?

Vocabulary	
God 	the creator and ruler of the universe
Jesus 	the son of God
Christian beliefs 	a list of things that Christians believe to be true
Bible	the Christian book of stories
church 	a place where Christians go to worship