

What I Need to Know: RE Y3 Autumn

How does the worldwide Christian family celebrate key events?

We nurture the curiosity to learn, the courage to lead and the compassion to care.

Brief summary of topic: We will explore key events and some ceremonies: Christmas, Easter around the world, Baptism, Weddings and Eucharist.



Create, Communicate & Evaluate

- Create a poster for a younger child to learn about Christian life and festivals



Question, Reason, Discuss & Explain

- Understand how key events are affected by culture.
- Describe what Christmas means and looks like for people from different faiths
- Explain similarities and differences between the way key events are celebrated by different denominations.
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Know & Do

- Name key events in the life of different Christians.
- Identify key festivals that are important to some Christians.
- Know the main Christian denominations.
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Vocabulary I need to know...

denominations, orthodox, advent, Christmas, wreath, nativity, Christingle, Midnight Mass, lent, Ash Wednesday, Holy week, Easter, baptism, forgiveness, sins, weddings, eucharist, death, resurrection

Opportunities to support English and maths

- Skim and scan texts to retrieve information or quotes quickly and accurately
- Summarise main ideas from more than one paragraph
- Make and justify inferences with appropriate evidence from the text
- Provide reasoned justifications for their views, quoting evidence from across a text

Curriculum Links and Enrichment Activities