



Early Years RE Long Term Plan



Autumn Term Theme - Me, Others and the World Around Me			
<i>I am special</i>	<i>Harvest</i>	<i>Special People (Values)</i>	<i>Christmas</i>
Incarnation F4 Being special: Where do we belong?	Creation F1 Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians?	Who are the special people around us?	Incarnation F2 Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas?
Key Vocabulary	Key Vocabulary	Key Vocabulary	Key Vocabulary
Unique, special, unconditionally, image of God, precious, talents, gifts, God, Father,	God, Father, almighty, eternal, Christians, Christianity, wonders, faith, creator, creative, Harvest, give thanks, hymns, produce, a service, Lord's Prayer, Earth, humans	Significant, values, koinonia, friendship, justice, hope, service, creation, wisdom, endurance, trust, love, family, relatives, siblings, professionals, Christian,	Nativity, Jesus Christ, Christmas, God, Mary, Shepherds, Three Wise Men, Frankincense, Angels, Stable, Myrrh, Gold, Royalty, Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Midnight Mass, Communion, Manger, Virgin, Son of God
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No one has ever seen God because God is spirit (see John 4:24), but Jesus makes him known (see John 1:18). Stories of the adult Jesus. For example, the feeding of the five thousand (John 6:1-13)	In the beginning, God created the universe (Genesis 1:1-2:4 ISV) • God says, 'You must not use the name of the Lord your God thoughtlessly.' (From the Ten Commandments - Exodus 20:7 ICB) No one has seen God because God is spirit (see John 4:24), but Jesus makes him known (see John 1:18) The earth and everything in it belong to the Lord. (Psalm 24:1 ICB) God is the giver of life and breath (see Acts 17:24-28) Jesus' parable of the precious pearl (see Matthew 13:45-46)	Love one another as I have loved you (see John 13:34-35) Golden Rule - Do as you would be done by (see Matthew 7:12) You are precious to me and I love you (see Isaiah 43:4)	Jesus' birth is announced (Luke 1:26-38/Matthew 1:18-25) Jesus is born in Bethlehem (Luke 2:1-7) Shepherds (Luke 2:8-20) and magi (wisemen) visit (Matthew 2:1-12)
Spring Term Theme - Jesus			
<i>Stories Jesus Heard</i>	<i>Stories Jesus Told</i>	<i>Easter</i>	
The Bible Key Old Testament Stories Inc: Daniel, Jonah, Joseph, Moses	Parables Inc: The Sower, The Lost Sheep, The Good Samaritan, The Great Feast, The Wise and Foolish Builders	Salvation F3 Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?	
F6 Which stories are special and why?			

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Bible, Old Testament, Moses, Daniel, disciples, Joseph, Jonah, Moses, lessons, teachings, Father, Son, Holy trinity, Samaritan, wise, foolish, Sower		Palm Sunday, resurrection, Jesus, Gospels, cross, palm leaves, Holy, worshippers, Good Friday, Easter, Hosanna, festival, symbols, tomb, crucifixion, crucified, hot cross buns, died, buried, sin, forgiveness, Shrove Tuesday, Ash Wednesday, saving	
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The Good Samaritan (Jesus' parable), Luke 10:25-37, offering a selfless example of helping others The Ten Commandments Daniel and the Lion The Swer, The Lost Sheep, The Great Fest The Wise and Foolish Builders,		The Three Billy Goats Gruff Palm Sunday: for example, Matthew 21:1-11 Jesus' arrest, death and burial: for example Matthew 26:47-56; 27:15-66 Jesus' resurrection: for example Matthew 28:1-15 Easter morning in the garden: John 20:1-18 (Jesus and Mary)	
Summer Term Theme - Special places, times and objects			
Friendship	Special places	Prayer	Special Times
What makes a good friend?	F5 Which places are special and why?	Why do people prayer?	What do Christians celebrate?
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Friendship, Friends, kindness, disciples,	Bible, Vicar, church, Stain glass window, altar, pews, font, priest, cross, crucifix, robe, rosary beads	The Lord's Prayer, Lord, Amen, Prayer, communication, thankful, relationship, temptation, spiritual	Baptism, Christening, Celebration, Wedding, Bride, Groom, Church, altar, font, gown, Bridesmaid, Flower girl, Paige boy, Best man, God parents, church
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