

Year 2 Overview

Autumn Term

Unit 1.8 Belonging

1	Which groups do you belong to Do they have any symbols of belonging?	Look at groups and clubs children are involved in. Look at their badges and uniforms.
	What symbols are used by Jews and Christians?	Sorting symbols and identifying their meanings
	Symbols of belonging to the muslim faith	Look at dress and day to day lifestyle.
2	What does the bible teach about God's love?	Story of the Lost Sheep
	How should we treat other people?	With respect and kindness. Look at Christian and Muslim teaching
3	How are babies welcomed into the world in different ways? What promises are made?	Look at Christian, Muslim, and Humanist ceremonies.
4	Why are weddings such special times? What promises are made	Look at wedding vows and highlight the promises.
	What does it mean to be part of a community?	Look at examples of communities uniting together
	Which religious building does each person belong to ?	Match places of worship to their faiths

1.3 Incarnation: Why does Christmas matter to Christians? (minimum of 5 hours)

<p>KQ4: What does Incarnation mean? What clues are there that he was special? KA4: God becoming a man. King Jesus becoming a baby. He was given special gifts and had special visitors and angels announced his coming.</p>	<p>Explore the story of Christmas looking for clues of why he was different to other babies.</p>
<p>KQ:5 What is the most important part of the nativity? Is there anything that can't be removed? KA: Jesus is central and cannot be removed.</p>	<p>Look at a range of Christmas Carols.</p>
<p>KQ6: What 'birthday' present do Christians believe Jesus wants? KA6: Our love and for us to use our talents so his love is shared with others.</p>	<p>Explore what Christians believe we have to offer to Jesus and others.</p>

Spring Term

Unit 1.4 Gospel: What is the 'good news' Christians believe Jesus brings?

1	KQ1:How was Jesus good news? KQ1:He offered friendship, forgiveness and peace	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore stories of Jesus choosing the disciples.(Also the woman at the well and Mary Magdelene) • Look at Jesus' promise of forgiveness. • Look at Jesus' promise of peace.
2	KQ2: How do Christians love God and their neighbours? KA2: Offering friendship, compassion not judgement, forgiveness and peace	Loving your neighbour
	KQ3: How can I demonstrate friendship, forgiveness and peace to others? Children to make their own suggestions	Practical application Children write own prayers
3	KQ4:What does the bible teach about how we should respond to kindness? KA4: we should respond with thankfulness	Luke 11:9-13 – God loves to give to his children Luke 17: The story of the 10 Lepers
4	KQ5:How should we pray? KQ5:With thankfulness and humility, thinking of others as well as ourselves.	The Lord's prayer Types of prayer
	KQ6: Do Christians believe God always hears and answers prayers? KA6: Christians believe God always hears our prayers but sometime he says no or wait. The answer isn't always a Yes. They believe he knows best.	Discuss a range of types of prayers. Look at the world and our lives as part of a big tapestry which we can only see one little bit of. God might be doing something bigger!
	KQ7:What is most important to Christians? KA7:God is more important than anything else to Christians.	Pearl of Great price

Unit 1.5 Salvation: Why does Easter matter to Christians? Digging Deeper (minimum of 5 hours)

KQ7: What are the key parts of the Easter story? KA: Last Supper, The entry into Jerusalem , Cleansing of the Temple, Jesus' betrayal Jesus' trial, Jesus' crucifixion, The empty tomb, Jesus' appearance to his friends	The Easter story
KQ8: What do Christian's mean when they talk about Salvation? KA8: They believe Jesus saved them by taking the punishment for their sins on the cross so they can be 'clean' of their sins and go to heaven.	The 'bridge' illustration
KQ9: How was Jesus a good role model for Christians during Holy week? KA9: He was humble, forgiving, he stood up for what was right but did not encourage violence, he put others first.	Revisit the events of Holy Week looking for evidence of the character of Jesus
KQ10: How do Christians follow Jesus example. KA10: By caring for the needs of others, for being willing to do tasks humbly, by standing up for truth and spreading peace.	The impact of the life of Jesus on his followers then and now.
KQ11: How does forgiveness feel? KA11: Hard but worthwhile.	Let's Be Friends Again! by Hans Wilhelm
KQ12:Why do Christians believe forgiveness is important? KA12:Because we must follow Jesus's example and put ourselves in the shoes of others. He even forgave those who killed him!	Jesus' words on the Cross 'Father forgive them for they know not what they do' – putting yourself in someone elses shoes

Summer Term

Unit 1.9 What makes some places sacred to believers?

1	KQ: What does it mean for a place to be 'sacred' or 'holy'? KA: Set apart and treated as special	Explore how places of worship are 'special' for their followers.
	What is a church like and why is it special to Christians? KA: Church buildings can be very different in appearance. This is because Christians believe the church is actually the people themselves. It is special because it is where they can worship God together with other Christians and encourage each other in 'fellowship'	Exploration of churches, their appearance and what happens there Recap on church visit
2	What is a mosque like and why is it special to Muslims? KA: Different styles of buildings BUT with key identifying features that are the same. They are special because Muslims learn here and meet together to worship Allah.	Exploration of mosques, their appearance and what happens there Mosque visit
3	KQ: Where do Sikhs, Buddhists and Jews worship? Can you see any similarities and differences? KA: They are all places of respect for someone more important than themselves and they are places of meeting with other believers.	Look at features of other religious buildings
4	KQ: How is music used in places of worship? KA: In Churches music is used to sing and praise God. In Mosques music is not used but the call for prayer and recitations often have a musical tone to them.	Hear examples of different types of music used in worship
	KQ: How is a religious building similar and different to other key buildings in a community? KA: A religious building tends to be for people of one faith. The focus is on their god first and foremost. Their holy book provides guidance for what happens there.	Discuss the main purposes of places of worship.



Additional lessons : Explore some of the stories from the teaching of Muhammad. Check understanding of key vocabulary quiz

OR

- **Understanding Christianity theme day – hand to mouth?**