





Religious Education Year 1 Term by Term Coverage



Autumn 1: Thanking

The children will be learning about the festival of Harvest and the importance of this festival to Christians.

Can you say what we will be learning about in our topic 'All About Me?

By the end of this half term, children should know:

- what Harvest festival and how it is celebrated
- the importance of Harvest to Christians
- different ways people can be thankful

Vocabulary:

Christians: a person who is a

believer in Christianity

Crops: plants grown on a large

scale such as fruit and

vegetables

Festival: a day or period of celebration, typically for

religious reasons

Harvest: process of gathering

crops

Importance: the fact of being of

great significance or value

Thankful: expressing gratitude

and relief



Autumn 2: Journeys

The children will be learning how the journeys in the Christmas story. Can you say what we will be learning about in our topic 'Once Upon A Time'?

By the end of this half term, children should know:

- the important journeys in the Christmas story
- the importance of Christmas to Christians
- who the main characters of the story are
- the order of events in the Christmas story

Vocabulary:

Christmas: an annual event celebrating the birth of Jesus on 25th December
Compare: estimate,
measure or note the similarity or dissimilarity between things

Journey: an act of travelling from one place to another Magi: a King from Persia Nativity: the birth of Jesus

Christ





Spring 1: Belonging

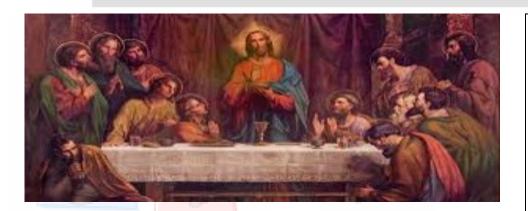
The children will be learning how Christians feel they belong.

Can you say what we will be learning about in our topic

'Superheroes to the rescue?

By the end of this half term, children should know:

- what it means to belong to something
- different groups people can belong too
- what the gospels are in The Bible
- why Jesus' followers follow him today
- the importance of belonging to Christians





Vocabulary:

Apostles: the first 12 followers of Jesus

Belonging: a sense of fitting in or feeling like you are an important member of a group

Followers: a person who admires and supports a particular person

Gospels: the books Matthew, Mark, Luke and John from the

Bible

Member: a person belonging

to a particular group



Spring 2: Welcoming

The children will be learning about Palm Sunday and the importance of this to Christians.

Can you say what we will be learning about in our topic 'Amazing Animals'?

By the end of this half term, children should know:

- what Palm Sunday is
- how to make people feel welcome
- the significance of the Easter story to Christians
- why the cross is an important symbol in Christianity

Vocabulary:

Cross: a post that is used for crucifixion **Easter:** the most important and oldest festival celebrating the resurrection of Christ

Hosanna: used to express adoration, praise or joy

Jesus: the man who Christians believe is the son of God an whose life, death and resurrection is reported in the New Testament of the Bible

Palm Sunday: the Sunday before Easter on which Jesus entered Jerusalem

Symbol: a mark, sign or wood that indicates, signifies or is understood as representing an idea or object

Welcoming: behaving in a polite or friendly way to a guest or new arrival









Summer 1: Special places

The children will be learning about a Gurdwara and a Church.

Can you say what we will be learning about in our topic 'What will we grow?

By the end of this half term, children should know:

- what a Gurdwara is and what is done there
- what a Church is and what is done there
- why special places are important

when people visit their special places

Vocabulary:

Church: a Christian place of

worship

Destroyed: ruin or defeat

something

Differences: something that

is dissimilar

Gurdwara: a Sikh place of

worship

Similarity: something that is the same as something

else





Summer 2: Special books

The children will be learning about the religious books in Sikhi faith and Christianity.

Can you say what we will be learning about in our topic 'Healthy fun'?

By the end of this half term, children should know:

- what a Bible is
- what a Guru Granth Sahib
- why religious books are important to faith groups

Vocabulary:

Bible: the Christian scriptures consisting

of the Old and New Testaments

Guru Granth Sahib: Sacred text of the

Sikh community

Religious: relating to or believing in a

religion

Special: better, greater, different from

what is usual





