

Year 2 Spring	RE Knowledge Organiser
Unit of work:	Christianity How do Christians today put the teachings of Jesus into practice?
Links to other year groups: Rec & Y1: The Easter Story (New Life), Y3: Easter story (Resurrection) Y1: Build on knowledge of Christianity taught in Y1, Y3: Special people in Christianity (Abraham & Moses), Y4 Old and New Testament, Y6: Easter story (More detailed events).	



Key Vocabulary:

Christianity

Christianity is based on the teachings of Jesus Christ, who Christians believe to be the Son of God.

Charity

Charity is the act of giving help to those in need of it.

Christian

Christians are people who believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God, and who follow his teachings.

Disciple

A follower of Jesus.

Gospel

The word gospel means 'good news'. The gospel was originally spoken not written but now it refers to the messages set out in the bible.

Parable

A story that has a religious message or moral to the story.

Sin

An immoral act that Christians believe separates them from God.

Worship

An act that Christians believe shows love and adoration to God.

Who is God? Christians believe that God is the creator of the universe, including the heavens and the Earth. They believe that God is all-powerful and forgiving. He sent Jesus Christ, His son, to die for the forgiveness of human sin.



The Holy Trinity

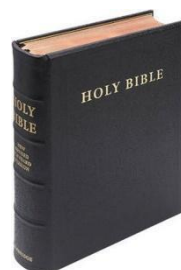
God the Father – God the Father refers to God being loving, kind and forgiving and watching over all living creatures. Many Christians will say the 'Our Father' prayer to thank God.

God the Son – God the Son refers to Jesus Christ, who came to Earth as a man. Although Jesus is the Son of God, he is also God in human form. Christians believe that Jesus died for the forgiveness of human sin.

God the Spirit – The Holy Spirit refers to God's power in action and the impact of His force. It is not a person, but a divine force that, Christians believe, created the universe and everything in it.

Special Book:

The Holy Bible



Place of Worship

Churches



Christians go to worship. There are lots of different types of churches and they all look different.

The Parables of Jesus:

Jesus told parables to explain his teachings.

The Parable of the Good Samaritan

teaches people to love their neighbour.



The Parable of the Lost Sheep

teaches that God loves everybody, no matter what they may have done.

Sequence of Lessons - brief summary of lesson content:	
Lesson 1	Why is God important to Christians?
Lesson 2	What do Christians believe God is like?
Lesson 3	Is God forgiving?
Lesson 4	What do we know about Jesus?
Lesson 5	Jesus the teacher
Lesson 6	Christians today
Assessment	Enquiry question: How do Christians today put the teachings of Jesus into practice?