

RE - Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas?

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What is the Christmas story?



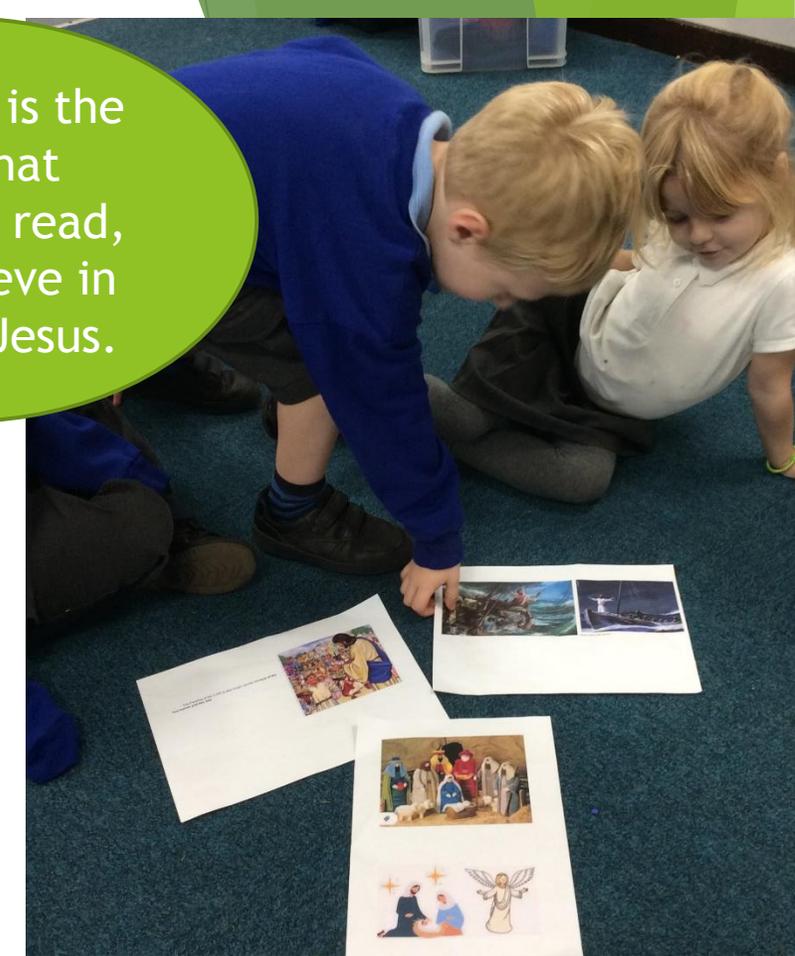
We listened to the Christmas story and found out that it is about the baby Jesus being born. Christians believe that this is God incarnated to be a human on earth.

What country does God live in and what language does he say hello and goodbye in?

The Bible is the book that Christians read, they believe in God and Jesus.



We get presents from Santa at Christmas.



How do Christians celebrate Christmas?



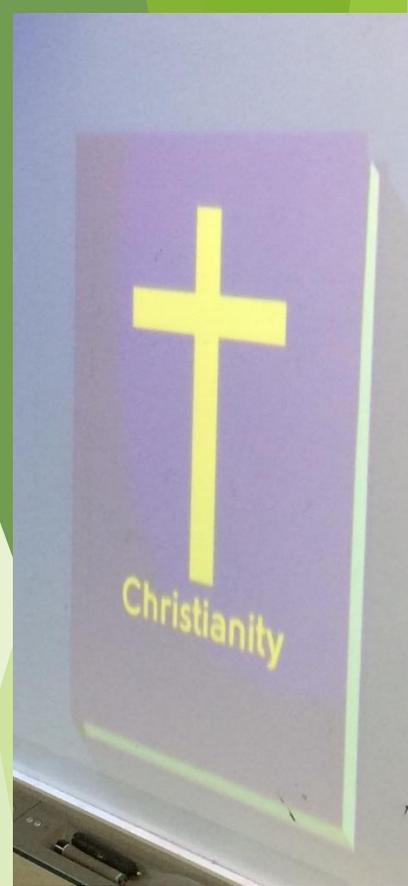
My granny is called Mary like Jesus' mum.

In my house we put presents under the Christmas tree and put up decorations.

Christmas is in December.

My grandad comes over at Christmas and we tidy up the house.

We talked about how Christians may go to Midnight Mass to sing carols and see Christmas day begin. We also had ago at acting out some of the Nativity story.



What makes every person unique and precious?



Jesus went to the church when he ran away so he could be near his real dad, God. His mum and dad came to find him because he is very special.



I lost my mummy in a shop once and she came to find me. I was very worried.



You are special because you are always kind and you always make everyone laugh.

Who came to visit the baby Jesus? The Three Wise Men.



The three wise men took gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.



We are the Three kings that followed the star.



That's the big star we had to follow in our play!

The Shepherds came to visit the baby Jesus too.



Did the shepherds take any gifts for the baby Jesus?

The angel told the shepherds to follow the star because someone special had been born

Is this why we sing twinkle twinkle little star?



Our Nativity!



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What I have learnt before:

- God/Jesus are special people to Christians.
- The Bible is a special book to Christian people.



Facts within religion

The Bible is a special book for Christians and contains many special stories.

The Nativity is performed to remind people of the birth of Jesus.

Christmas Day is the day for some Christians to celebrate the birth of Jesus.

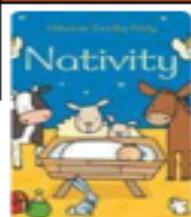
Christians believe that Jesus is God incarnated.

Skills

I can listen and take part in small group and class discussions.

I can ask and answer simple questions.

Exciting Books



Personal Development

-To be able to listen to our peers and take part in back and forth conversations.

Subject Specific Vocabulary

Precious	Something that is very valuable/special to you.
Christian	People who believe that Jesus is the son of God and follow the Bible.
God	Christian people believe that God created the world.
Unique	Being unlike anything else; one of a kind.
Bible	A special book that many Christian people read.
Incarnation	God coming to earth in the body of Jesus.

Endpoint:

To perform our Nativity play.