



Year 5 - Religious Education— Spring Term

Religion - Christianity



Review

- Child baptism—to welcome a new-born into the Christianity religion. What values do Christians have? Y1
- Mother Teresa's values are kindness—she helped the needy in India Y2
- Diwali marks the victory of Rama and Sita—Y4

Essential knowledge

Investigate the importance for believers of ceremonies in which special moments in the life cycle are marked. 2.4d

-Investigate the life of a person who has been inspired by their faith and make links between belief and actions. 2.2d

- Know becoming part of a faith community is an important commitment that a person should choose for themselves.
- Know Baptism is a sign of repentance – saying sorry and turning away from wrongdoing (sin).
- Christians should follow Jesus' example as closely as possible, as he was baptised as an adult by John the Baptist.
- Know a range of significant individuals including Christian Benteke and Justin Bieber or Mahatma Gandhi and consider how religion influenced their choices.



Thinking like a theologian

- I will explore the elements of baptism and why it is important for a Christian.
- I will engage in role play to understand John the Baptist story and how the believer would be fully immersed in water.
- I will reflect on the moments I strive to be a good person and work on changing myself to become a better human.

Key vocabulary

repentance	Sincere regret or remorse
immersion	When baptised a person going under water fully.
commitment	To be dedicated—a Christian is dedicated to their church and remember Jesus.
Baptist	An advocate who baptises people.
catholic	One of the largest group of Christianity
protestant	Western Christian church

Key vocabulary with etymology

repentance - comes from the Old French "repentir," which itself comes from the Latin "poenitere," meaning "to regret".

Immersion - comes from the Latin word "immersio," which means "a dipping into" or "a plunging in"

Why do adults choose to be baptised?

