Newport Infant School— Religious Education

Key Stage 1 Year: 2

Unit: Religious story (Christmas) - Understanding signs, symbols and songs.

What should I already know?

I know about similarities and differences between myself and others.
I know people have different cultures, traditions and beliefs.

What I will know by the end of the unit

I can understand the importance of different religions and beliefs at Christmas

I know what a symbol is.

I will know the different meanings of the signs of Christmas and be able to talk about them.

I will know what different Christmas Symbols mean.

I will be able to learn and recite Christmas songs

I will be able to talk about the meaning of the songs I have learnt.

Symbols / Images











The Nativity/The Story of Christmas.

Each class to learn 3-4 Christmas songs to perform at Christmas Concert

Vocabulary

symbol	A picture or object that make you think of something else
stable	Wooden building where animals live and Jesus was born
Cross	The principal symbol of the Christian religion
manger	A small bed that Jesus was laid in when he was born
star	The brightest star in the sky for the three wise men to follow
Angel	God's messengers
Fir tree	Evergreen tree to symbolise God's ever lasting love
bells	A symbol that god cares for everyone
Christmas decoration	Symbol of celebration that Jesus was born
wreaths	A circle of God's everlasting love