

Building Christianity Knowledge UKS2			
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<b>Beliefs (Religion, Faith and Teachings)</b>  Incarnation Salvation Agape	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Consolidate that many <b>Christians believe the Bible talks about what God is like and his relationship with people who believe in Him.</b></li> <li>✓ Consolidate that many <b>Christians will describe one God as Father (parent), Son and Holy Spirit. The Trinity.</b></li> <li>✓ Many Christians pray because they believe that Jesus is with them to listen and to help them.</li> <li>✓ <b>Children know that the Nativity is found in two gospels – Matthew and Luke.</b></li> <li>✓ <b>The two accounts are told from two different perspectives – Mary and Joseph's.</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Incarnation is that Jesus is fully human and fully God.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>Atonement originally meant 'at-one-ment' which means being at one or harmony with someone else.</b></li> <li>✓ Many Christians emphasise that <b>Jesus is the Saviour of the world and through his death the sins of humanity have been forgiven forever.</b></li> <li>✓ Many Christians believe that Jesus rose again and that faith in him will give eternal life to the believer.</li> <li>✓ Many Christians <b>pray because they believe that Jesus is with them to listen and to help them and they are at one with God.</b></li> <li>✓ The characters in the <b>parables are God (the father), the Lost Son is anyone who does wrong things, the unforgiving older brother is the person who holds a grudge and won't forgive.</b></li> <li>✓ We should always show forgiveness to others.</li> <li>✓ The <b>parable of talents</b> refers to money and helps Christians define what is good about helping others.</li> <li>✓ <b>Feeding of the 5,000</b> is about Jesus being a miracle working.</li> <li>✓ Know that many <b>Christians believe that Jesus rose again and that faith in him will give eternal life to the believer.</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Many Christians refer to Jesus as 'the Saviour' or as 'my Saviour'.</b></li> <li>✓ God created a perfect the world and needed a saviour to redeem it.</li> <li>✓ <b>Zacchaeus</b> is an outcast because he is seen as a greedy, corrupt traitor. Now he is sorry. He wants to make up for his bad deeds and live a better life.</li> <li>✓ Many Christians believe Jesus came to forgive and rescue everyone. No one is too bad – or too good.</li> <li>✓ Jesus's death bought Christians out of sin's slavery, setting Christians free from sin's bondage.</li> <li>✓ Humans disobeyed God and it was necessary to have a saviour.</li> <li>✓ Because Jesus is without sin, he 'pays the price' which should have been paid by humanity.</li> </ul>	<b>Belief – God</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Christians believe that people are created by a loving holy God to live in relationship with Him.</li> <li>✓ For them fulfilment, peace and purpose are found through this loving relationship. Describe and reflect on the ways that they believe this relationship is deepened through worship, prayer, reading the Bible, reflection and service.</li> <li>✓ In connection with this, describe some ways that Christian beliefs in the Trinity – God the Father (parent), Son and Holy Spirit expressed in expressed in Christian life and practice today.</li> <li>✓ Explain and reflect on some of the reasons Christians give for believing in God.</li> <li>✓ Understand one argument Christians might use to support their belief in God.</li> <li>✓ Understand the different ways Christian understand that God created humans in His image.</li> </ul> <b>Key belief – Salvation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Know and understand three ways in which Christians have responded to the question, 'What was Christ's main mission in the world?' – Christus Victor theory – Satisfaction theory – Moral exemplar theory</li> <li>✓ Know and be able to explain the thinking or ideas in four New Testament passages: – 1 Corinthians 15.54-57 – 2 Corinthians 5.19 – Mark 10.45 (see also Matt 20.27-28) – John 3.16</li> <li>✓ Know and understand questions and ideas which challenge the Christus Victor, the Satisfaction and the Moral exemplar theory.</li> <li>✓ Know the essential features of the story of Adam and Eve: Adam lived blissfully in Eden (paradise); only one commandment given, not to eat from tree of knowledge of good and evil; God creates Eve; serpent seduced Eve into eating fruit; Eve gave some to Adam also; both felt shame at</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Jesus is the Saviour of the world and through his death the sins of humanity have been forgiven.</li> <li>✓ <b>The Beautitudes</b> are part of the Sermon on the Mount where Jesus spoke to his people on the mountain about the way to live: to be selfless and love unconditionally.</li> <li>✓ Christians try to be like Jesus and obey his teachings in the things that they think and do.</li> <li>✓ Recall the story of the <b>Good Samaritan</b> - Man attacked on dangerous road; left without anything – even clothes; he is seen by a Priest and Levite (respected members of community); Samaritan stops and helps Jew; uses expensive oils; places man on donkey while he walks; taken to inn and pays for stay.</li> <li>✓ <b>Many Christians believe that they should love God and your neighbour as yourself and treat strangers well while being selfless and generous.</b></li> </ul>	<p>nakedness; God realised they had disobeyed Him and banishes them to harsh world outside; banned from eating from tree of life and so death enters world.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Understand at least two Christian ideas about how origin of evil.</li> <li>✓ Know and understand what Jesus said about life after death (Luke 20.27-40); that there is an after-life but is very different to our existence on earth.</li> <li>✓ Understand what different Christians believe about 'heaven', 'hell' and 'purgatory'.</li> </ul> <p><b>Belief: Incarnation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Understand that for some Christians the nativity stories were not intended as historical documents. These Christians see theology in the narratives:</li> <li>✓ – In Luke's Gospel, shepherds (the outcasts) are first to worship Jesus in a stable (humble beginnings) – representing Jesus has come for everyone, not just the rich.</li> <li>✓ – For Matthew it is important that Jesus' birth is linked with the fulfilment of prophecies concerning the Messiah in Isaiah (e.g. the visit of 3 magi; use of phrase Emmanuel)</li> <li>✓ Some Christians maintain that the two accounts are historically accurate and do not contradict each other.</li> <li>✓ Traditionally Christians celebrate the incarnation at Christmas, through the Nativity stories, in which the second person in the Trinity, the Son of God, "became flesh".</li> </ul> <p><b>Belief – Agape (selfless, sacrificial, unconditional love) (*Gospel)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ For Christians this is the love which God showed for Mankind (John 3:16)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Practices (Worship, Commitment, Rites of Passage and Pilgrimage)</b></p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Know that <b>baptism</b> is a Christian ritual that shows a believer joining the Christian church.</li> <li>✓ Understand the <b>symbolism of baptism</b>- water cleansing from sin, buried to old life, rising to new life.</li> <li>✓ Godparents are among the most important people at a christening, who make big promises to encourage their godchild to grow in faith and commit to helping them understand how to live their life in a Christian way.</li> <li>✓ <b>Communion</b> involves sharing bread and wine (or grape juice) to symbolise the body and blood of Jesus Christ – this may be done differently in different denominational churches.</li> <li>✓ Give examples of Christians are doing to live their lives correctly.</li> <li>✓ Christians <b>give to charity</b> by helping the homeless, street pastors and food banks.</li> </ul>	

<p><b>Festivals (Belonging and Celebration).</b></p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>Easter</b> celebrates Jesus dying to take the punishment</li> <li>✓ (atonement)/pay the debt of sin (redemption) so that people can be forgiven by God and live in a relationship with him.</li> <li>✓ <b>Christians believe that Jesus rose again and that faith in him will give eternal life to the believer.</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ The command to love is contained in the two most important commandments: to love God and one's neighbour; (Matthew 22.37-40).</li> <li>✓ Understand how many Christians apply the command to love situationally; which involves assessing how love can be best served and applying the principle of the lesser of two evils, in difficult ethical dilemmas.</li> <li>✓ Identify and describe the work of Christian charities, churches and individuals to relieve suffering, rehabilitate, support and do good both in the UK and wider world today.</li> <li>✓ Why do Christians do charitable work? Relate this work to their Christian beliefs and the teachings of Jesus in the Bible.</li> <li>✓ Reflect on their own responses to these actions and beliefs.</li> <li>✓ Describe and reflect on the ways that Christians decide on and respond to ethical and environmental issues. What is the role played by the Bible, Christian Church, Holy Spirit and personal conscience?</li> </ul>
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