


Religious Education			Year 1 and 2	Autumn 2	History		
Why Christmas important to Christians?			Topic Mat		How have toys changed in the last 100 years?		
KIRFs	Why is Christmas important to Christians? Christmas is important to Christians because it is the day that Jesus was born.		Toys and Games			What were toys made of 100 years ago? In the past, toys were mostly metal and wood.	
	How do Christians celebrate Christmas? Christians go to church, sing carols and share gifts.					What are most toys made of today? Most toys in the present day are made of plastic.	
Vocab	Christian Someone who believes in and follows the teachings of Jesus.		Help your child with their topic learning by asking them the Key Instant Recall Facts (KIRFs) regularly. By the end of this half term all children should be able to remember and say these key facts. Tick off each question when they can answer it confidently.	Timeline - an order of time showing when things happened. Compare - to look at the similarities and differences between objects. Memory - events that we can remember.			
	Nativity The birth of Jesus.						
	Advent A time where Christians prepare for the arrival of Jesus.						
DT					Geography		
How can objects be made to move?					What is it like at the North and South Poles?		
KIRFs	What is a mechanism? A mechanism is something that creates movement in an object.		Thank you for your continued support.		KIRFs	What are the names of the North and South Poles? The North Pole is the Arctic and the South Pole is the Antarctic.	
	What is a lever mechanism? A lever is a bar that helps lift or move things by turning on a point.					Why do people visit Antarctic? People visit Antarctic for research, exploring and tourism.	
Vocab	Mechanism- something that creates movement in an object Lever- a bar that helps lift or move things by turning on a point.				Vocab	Hemisphere- A hemisphere is half of Earth, usually divided into the Northern or Southern Hemispheres by the Equator. Temperature- Temperature is the degree of hotness or coldness of a place.	