



Religious Education

The Birth of Jesus



National Curriculum Objectives

Pupils should learn about and learn from the different kinds of question human beings can ask about religious origins, beliefs and practices, namely questions that derive from philosophy, theology, social sciences and history.

Key Vocabulary

Nativity	New Testament	decree
census	Magi	frankincense
myrrh	dwell	Incarnation
Advent	Christmas	Bible
Jesus	shepherds	Wise Men

Substantive - Subject Knowledge Bigger Picture - Support words

Glossary

Magi	
decree	

Question driven outcomes for knowledge:	Pupil	Teacher
How does the New Testament introduce Jesus's birth?		
What happened at the first Christmas?		
Who were the shepherds who visited Jesus?		
What happened when the wise men visited Jesus?		
Why did Mary and Joseph escape to Egypt?		
Why are these stories important for Christians?		