



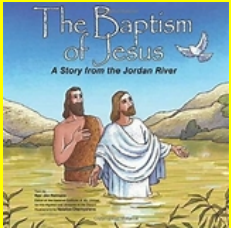

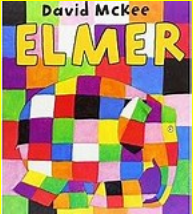
# What does it mean to belong?



**RE Skills to develop**  
I can talk about a practice from a religion.  
I can talk about my own experiences and can link these to the communities to which I belong.  
I can ask questions about me, and who I am, showing awe and wonder.

**Our Enquiry Steps:**  
How am I special?  
Why do Christians believe that people are special?  
What does it mean to belong?  
What different religions are there in the world?  
Which of the symbols are associated with Christianity?  
What symbols can I see in a baby's baptism?  
How was Jesus baptised?  
Why do some adults choose to be baptised?  
What is special about belonging?

**Key Stories**



**Key Artefacts and Symbols**



Key Vocabulary	Definition
5 Fingers	Christianity, Christian, Bible, Hebrew, Aramaic, Greek, Church
Christian Symbols	Things that Christians have or wear to show that they belong to the church.
Jesus	Christians believe Jesus is God's Son, part of the Trinity of Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The Messiah and The Saviour.
Baptism	Infant baptism when babies are welcomed into the family of God, the church, Jesus' family
John the Baptist	Jesus' cousin who was baptising people in the Jordan and who baptised Jesus.
Total immersion Baptism	People are fully submerged in the water and it symbolises a new start. This is the way that some people show they want to belong to Jesus

**Our End Points:**  
**Emerging:** I can talk about what groups I belong to and why they are important to me. I can tell you that most Christians go to a church and how they are part of a group.  
**Expected:** I can you what it means to belong, to my school and community and also to a faith group. I can recognise a sign for Christian belonging and talk about what happens in a Baptism.  
**Exceeding:** I explain the reasons why they belong to a group and how Christians view Baptism as becoming part of a Christian family group.