

Prior Knowledge

Pupils will Know that:

Easter and Christmas are important Christian festivals.

Christmas celebrates Jesus’ birth and Easter celebrates Jesus’ death and resurrection. Christians believe that Jesus died for their sins and that one day he will come again.

During Lent, Christians remember Jesus’ time fasting and praying in the desert. The Christian holy book is the Bible. It has two parts: The Old Testament and the New Testament.

There are over 66 books within the Bible, which include letters, laws, poems and stories.

Year 4 RE Spring 2 - Christianity



Key Question:
Is forgiveness always possible?



Easter *We are learning to understand how Jesus’ life, death and resurrection teaches Christians about forgiveness.*



Subject Vocabulary

Forgiveness	A decision to let go of resentment and thoughts of revenge
Trinity	Christian God has 3 parts.
Lent	The 40 days leading up to Easter. Christians often give something up for Lent.
Resurrection	When Jesus rose from the dead.

Key Skills:

To develop skills of listening and thinking about what people believe.

To express our own ideas about religious beliefs and spirituality.

To keep an open mind about how we feel.

To look at how people act because of religious beliefs. To show how religious beliefs affect people’s lives.

Key Knowledge:

BY THE END OF THIS UNIT, PUPILS ARE EXPECTED TO BE ABLE TO:

Making sense of belief

I can describe what a Christian might learn about forgiveness from a Biblical text.

I can ask important questions about how forgiveness is possible.

Understanding the impact

I can explain how Christians might try to put into practice Jesus’ teachings about forgiveness.

I can give my opinion about how people should live their lives and suggest what Jesus might say.

Make connections

I can explain how Jesus’ teachings about forgiveness might be difficult but beneficial to Christians.

I can give my opinion about forgiveness and discuss whether this is always possible, reaching my own conclusion.

General Vocabulary

Engagement	Discuss our own
Investigation	To explore
Evaluation response Task	To say or give a reaction of my
Expression	Discuss or create ideas of your opinions e.g. through poems/ art



“As each one does their part we grow in love.” Ephesians 4 vs

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Knowledge and Skills Assessment

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