

	Subject Map Reception - RE								
Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2				
Unit Name: I am Special	Unit Name: Special People	Unit Name: Stories Jesus Heard	Unit Name: Easter	Unit Name: Special Places	Unit Name: Special Times				
NC links/coverage:	NC links/coverage:		NC links/coverage:	NC links/coverage:	NC links/coverage:				
Give pupils an understanding	Give pupils an opportunity to	NC links/coverage:	Explore the events of Easter	Begin to develop pupils	Develop pupils' understanding of				
that they are unique and special.	explore Christian values through	Introduce pupils to stories of the	through a variety of multi-	understanding of a place being	special/holy times. Increasing				
To know they are loved, valued	their own actions and the actions	Old Testament and understand	sensory experiences ensuring	considered as a special/holy	their knowledge of the ways				
and made by God.	of others.	that Jesus would have heard	that pupils know it is a	place where believers go to	special times are celebrated,				
	Highlight the role of	these stories as he was growing	celebration of Jesus' death and	worship.	remembered and the reasons				
Concept: GOD	significant/special people in	up.	resurrection		why.				
	pupil's lives.			Concept: God	Introduce pupils to the story of				
Precise knowledge to be	Emphasise the ways in which	Concept: People of God	Concept: Salvation		Pentecost and God as Holy				
learned:	Jesus was a special person.	Design la suda das to ba	Drasias lucaula das tales	Precise knowledge to be	Spirit.				
Know they are fearfully and		Precise knowledge to be	Precise knowledge to be	learned:	Concept: Cod				
wonderfully made by God.	Concept: GOSPEL	learned:	learned:	Christians worship in a church.	Concept: God				
Know they are unique, special and loved.	Drasias knowledge to be	Jesus listened to and learned Old Testament stories.	Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a	People consider places to be	Draciae knowledge to be				
Know Christians believe that	Precise knowledge to be learned:	Old Testament stories teach us	donkey on Palm Sunday. Jesus died on the cross on Good	special for different reasons. Muslims take off their shoes in a	Precise knowledge to be learned:				
God is their heavenly father,	Know Jesus was special and	about God.	Friday.		The arrival of the holy spirit is				
they are his children and they	performed miracles.	about God.	Christians believe that Jesus	mosque.	remembered at Pentecost.				
are members of a wider world	Know people choose to do a	Prior Learning: Children will	rose on Easter Day and is alive	Prior Learning: This is new	People of faith have special				
family.	variety of jobs that particularly	already have heard some stories	today.	learning unless children have	times of prayer.				
lanniy.	show Christian values in action.	from the Old Testament during	Easter is the most important time	links with a church or other	Special times create memories.				
Prior Learning: New learning	Eg health care workers,	worship	of the year for the Church.	religious building.	Celebrating special times is				
	emergency service workers,				important for everyone including				
Suitable Visits/Visitors/	parents etc.	Suitable visits/Visitors/	Prior Learning: Children were	Suitable visits/Visitors/	those of different faiths.				
Experiences: Use of the		Experiences: set up a special	introduced to the Easter story in	Experiences: walk on surfaces					
chatterbox, make muddy	Prior Learning: New learning	story place in the classroom,	EYFS as a celebration of Jesus'	with different sensory	Prior Learning: This is new				
footprints, make handprints in		Invite a parent, grandparent,	death and resurrection	experiences: carpet, sand,	learning				
wet sand or playdough, create	Suitable visits/Visitors/	member of the congregation or		pebbles, matting, water, grass;					
handprint pictures, make 'all	Experiences: Invite a doctor,	clergy to your special storytelling	Suitable visits/Visitors/	go on a Bear Hunt, make flames	Suitable visits/Visitors/				
about me' name plates, make	firefighter, vicar, sportsman or	place, to tell their favourite Old	Experiences: make a display of	for a burning bush, listen to	Experiences: share experiences				
passports, paint self-portraits,	woman etc into school to talk	Testament story. Ask them to	Easter storybooks, have an	special sounds, visit our church,	of birthdays, parties, Christmas,				
build homes	about their job; make cakes,	explain why it is their favourite	Easter parade, make flags and	visit a mosque or take a virtual	Easter, wedding etc, Find out				
	make a medal, make a	story, make mobiles for the	bunting, recreate the Last	tour, turn the role play area into	about other special times: bank				
Suitable texts: 'All About Me'	certificate, paint pictures of the	special a=story area – make	Supper, meet a real donkey if	a special place	holidays, national and				
and 'I am Special' books, You're	Bible stories	doves and sparkly rainbows, act	possible! Have an Easter egg		international events; watch New				
all my Favourites by Sam		out the stories with playmobil	hunt, write prayers on paper	Suitable texts: read about	Year fireworks on Youtube, learn				
McBratney	Suitable texts: a collection of	and lego	flowers to make a prayer garden	Abraham moving to a new land;	to say hello in different				
Suitable resourcess shatterbay	books about Jesus; the Lion	Suitable texter Massa is found in	Suitable texte: Easter story	read the story of Moses when he					
Suitable resources: chatterbox	Storyteller book stories: 'Down	Suitable texts: Moses is found in	Suitable texts: Easter story,	was told to take off his shoes	wind (like the Holy Spirit), make windmills				
items: pictures of children from	through the roof', the healing of	the tall grasses; Daniel in the lion's den, the story of Ruth and	Read 'A Dreadful Day' from the Lion Storyteller Bible, Guess	because he was standing in a	WINGTHINS				
around the world, mirror, passport, ultrasound picture of a	the 10 lepers, the blind man. The Bible passages: Matthew	the wedding of Ruth and Boaz,	How Much I Love You	special place	Suitable texts: Read				
baby, a book about feelings etc.	7:28, Matthew 8:1, Matthew	Noah, Joseph, Joshua, Jonah –		Suitable resources: chatterbox	Ecclesiastes 3:1-8, read the				
	12:15, Matthew 14:14, Mark 3:7,			items, photos of children's	arrival of the Holy Spirit				
	12.10, Matthew 14.14, Mark 3.7,		1						



National/Global Links:	Mark 4:1, Mark 5:21. – to	other stories from the Old Testament	Suitable resources: chatterbox,	special places, books a
Christian Value/SMSC link:.	illustrate crowds of people		paintings of the Easter story from around the world	special places and place
	wanting to hear Jesus'	Suitable resources: Reflection		worship, pictures of pe
This unit does not clearly enrich	messages.		National/Clabal Linka, Look at	Mosques
any one particular Christian	Quitable recourses, abotterboy	and Response CD	National/Global Links: Look at	Netional/Olahal Linka
value. It stresses instead how	Suitable resources: chatterbox		Easter celebrations in churches	National/Global Links:
much God loves and values us	including: playmobil figures:	National/Global Links:	from around the world	special places around t
and the value of self-worth.	firefighter, police officer, nurse,			including Mosques
****	doctor, vicar, grandma, grandad,	Christian Value/SMSC link:	Christian Value/SMSC link:	
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *	teacher, vet, postman or woman;	Faith	Love	Christian Value/SMSC
	a police car, an ambulance, gold	Courage	Forgiveness	Creativity
Unit Name: Why do we say	stickers, a crown, story books	Trust		Friendship
thank you to God at Harvest	about Jesus, a running shoe			Respect
time?		***************************************		Reverence
	National/Global Links:			
NC links/coverage:		Unit Name: Why did Jesus tell		
Give pupils an understanding of	Christian Value/SMSC link:	stories?		
why we say thank you to God at	Love			
harvest time and talk about him	Trust	NC links/coverage:		
being creator.	Compassion	Explore the stories that Jesus		
	Generosity	told and know that he told them		
Concepts: CREATION	Courage	to teach us about God		
Precise knowledge to be learned	*****	Concept: Gospel		
(include locality links here):				
Know that Christians believe	Unit Name: How do we	Precise knowledge to be		
God created the world.	celebrate Jesus' birthday?	learned:		
Know that Christians believe that	2	Jesus told stories and that they		
they should say thank you to	NC links/coverage:	are found in the Bible.		
God at Harvest time.	Explore the nativity story in a	Jesus told the stories to teach		
Know that Christians celebrate	variety of ways and ensure	people about God.		
the Harvest Festival with a	pupils know that Christmas is the			
special service in church.	celebration of Jesus' birth.	Prior Learning: Children will		
		already have heard stories about		
Prior Learning: This is new	Concepts: INCARNATION	Jesus during worship		
learning				
loanning	Precise knowledge to be learned	Suitable visits/Visitors/		
Suitable Visits/Visitors/	(include locality links here):	Experiences: act out the stories		
	Know Christmas is the			
Experiences: visit a farm or		told, make lift the flap books		
local allotment, make a table	celebration of Jesus' birthday.	2Can you find the lost sheep?",		
display of amazing food, make	Know Jesus was a very special	use play dough to create		
fruit and veg with play dough,	baby, the Son of God.	different faces expressing the		
make a greengrocer's shop in	Know the church celebrates	emotions of Biblical characters		
the role-play area	Christmas in special ways.	Outtable testes The Lost Out		
	Know that there are other	Suitable texts: The Lost Coin,		
Suitable texts: The Creation	religions which celebrate light	The Lost Sheep, The Sower,		
Story, Old Testament - Exodus	near to the time of year when	The Great Feast, The story of		
23:16, books about harvest and	Christians celebrate Christmas.	the wise and foolish builders		
food				

s about aces of beople in s: look at d the world, C link:	Suitable resources: role play area with dressing up clothes, prayer mat, compass, puja tray, incense National/Global Links: Look at New Year celebrations from around the world Christian Value/SMSC link: Thankfulness Love Faith



Suitable resources: a range of	Prior Learning: This is possibly	Suitable resources: Reflection	
foods – fruit and veg plus	the first time children will have	and Response CD	
seeds/berries/nuts, types of	formally heard about the real		
bread, compost	reason for Christmas unless they	National/Global Links:	
	have heard it at home, in church		
National/Global Links: Harvests	or in nursery.	Christian Value/SMSC link:	
around the world – find places	They probably won't be aware	Faith	
where different fruit and veg are	that there are other religions.	Compassion	
grown		Love	
	Suitable Visits/Visitors/		
Christian Value/SMSC link:	Experiences: dress up a baby in		
Thankfulness	modern clothes and in Biblical		
Responsibility	clothes, make a giant 'lift the		
	flap' display – Who is in the		
	stable?' have a birthday party,		
	turn the role-play area into a		
	stable, use salt dough to create		
	nativity figures, paint rangoli		
	patterns, make diva lamps from		
	clay, create star of David shapes		
	and eat Sufganiyot (sweet jam- filled doughnuts)		
	med dougrinuts)		
	Suitable texts: story of Anna		
	and Simeon, nativity stories, the		
	legend of Rama and Sita		
	Suitable resources: Christmas		
	cards, chatterbox including:		
	straw, birthday cake banner,		
	birthday cake candle, a wrapped		
	gift, a Christmas card, a dummy		
	or rattle, a photo of an old		
	person with a baby, Diva lamps,		
	Reflection and Response CD,		
	BDBE Judaism resources CD,		
	Hindu artefacts, Judaism		
	artefacts		
	National/Global Links:		
	Christian Value/SMSC link:		
	Love		
	Joy		
	Норе		

