



Buglawton Primary School – R.E.



Be the Best We Can

Topic: Why does Easter matter to Christians?

Strand: Christianity

Year: 2

Term: Spring

What should I already know?	What will I know by the end of the unit?	Spelling	Definition																				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know words and symbols that Christians associate with Easter. Know what happened when Jesus went to Jerusalem. Know Christians believe that Jesus is the Son of God. Know how the Easter story links to how Christians celebrate today. Know about some of the things Christians do at Easter. Know that bread and wine were symbols that Jesus wanted people to remember him by after he had died. Know about special objects and memories we have of people. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know why Easter is important to Christians. Know key events of Easter in detail. Know Christians believe that Jesus builds a bridge between God and humans. Know Christians believe Jesus taught and showed people how to live. Know Christians believe Jesus died to ‘save us’, to pay the price for sin and reunite people with God. Know Christians believe God has the power to forgive sins. Know that Jesus’ example of forgiveness reminds Christians that God will forgive them and they should forgive others. 	<table border="1"> <tr><td>Easter</td><td>The oldest and most important Christian festival.</td></tr> <tr><td>Holy Week</td><td>The week leading up to Easter.</td></tr> <tr><td>Jesus</td><td>The son of God.</td></tr> <tr><td>Easter</td><td>A Christian festival celebrating the resurrection of Jesus.</td></tr> <tr><td>Garden of Gethsemane</td><td>A garden outside of Jerusalem where Jesus went to pray before he was put on the cross.</td></tr> <tr><td>Hope</td><td>A feeling of expectation that you really want something to happen.</td></tr> <tr><td>Forgiveness</td><td>The voluntary choice that a person makes to pardon another person for an offense or something that is hurtful, wrong or immoral.</td></tr> <tr><td>Sin</td><td>Behaving in a negative way that breaks God’s rules or laws.</td></tr> <tr><td>Salvation</td><td>Being rescued from harm or loss.</td></tr> <tr><td>Bible</td><td>The Christian Holy book that tell us about Jesus and God.</td></tr> </table>	Easter	The oldest and most important Christian festival.	Holy Week	The week leading up to Easter.	Jesus	The son of God.	Easter	A Christian festival celebrating the resurrection of Jesus.	Garden of Gethsemane	A garden outside of Jerusalem where Jesus went to pray before he was put on the cross.	Hope	A feeling of expectation that you really want something to happen.	Forgiveness	The voluntary choice that a person makes to pardon another person for an offense or something that is hurtful, wrong or immoral.	Sin	Behaving in a negative way that breaks God’s rules or laws.	Salvation	Being rescued from harm or loss.	Bible	The Christian Holy book that tell us about Jesus and God.	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss the key events of Easter in depth and respond to a Christian story. Make links between key Easter events and how Christians celebrate Easter today. Retell religious stories and identify some religious beliefs and teachings. Discuss themes of forgiveness, hope and salvation and make links to own experiences. 	Agreed Real-life Outcome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Match up key events of Easter to the modern events that happen today. Write or perform short stories with themes of forgiveness or hope. 																						