







Religious Education
Knowledge Organiser
Spring 2













































Vocabulary: Easter **Nursery** Why is Easter so important to Christians? New life Birth How is Easter celebrated? Easter Eggs Sing an Easter songVocabulary:
Easter
Cross
Palm Sunday
Hosanna

How is Easter celebrated?



#### **Year 1: Why does Easter matter to Christians?**



Religious texts we will look at:	Tick when studied
The entry into Jerusalem, e.g. John 12:12–15;	
Jesus dies on the cross, e.g. Luke 23:26–56	
The empty tomb, e.g. Luke 24:1–12;	
Jesus' appearance to Mary Magdalene and the disciples in John 20:11–23.	

This module will help you to: (You could tick when you feel confident)

tell stories of Holy Week and Easter from the Bible

Think about the emotions and characters in the story

connect the idea of eggs, new life and the belief in Jesus' resurrection

	I know what these words mean
Lent	
Palm Sunday	
Holy Week	
Resurrection	

# Year 2: Why does Easter matter to Christians? Digging Deeper



This module will help you to: (You could tick when you feel confident)

Recap the parts of the Easter story learned in Y1 and include the cleansing of the temple, the last supper

Think about the emotions and characters in the story

understand the link between these stories and the idea of salvation (Jesus rescuing people)

Think how Christians help others following Jesus's example.

Religious texts we will look at:	Tick when studied
The entry into Jerusalem, e.g. John 12:12–15;	
Jesus' betrayal and arrest at the Mount of Olives, e.g. Luke 22:47–53;	
Jesus dies on the cross, e.g. Luke 23:26–56	
The empty tomb, e.g. Luke 24:1–12;	
Jesus' appearance to Mary Magdalene and the disciples in John 20:11–23.	

	I know what these words mean
Holy Week	
Resurrection	
Salvation	

# Year 3: Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?



This module will help you to: (You could tick when you feel confident)

Explore the story from the viewpoint of Mary, the mother of Jesus

Understand how Christians are celebrating/
Remembering Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

Understand how the different parts of the story represent joy, sadness or despair, and hope for Christians.

Religious texts we will look at:	Tick when studied
Palm Sunday (entry to Jerusalem: Matthew 21:7–11),	
Good Friday (Jesus' death: Luke 23:13–25, 32–48)	
Easter Sunday (Jesus is raised to life: Luke 24:1–12).	

	I know what these words mean
Salvation	
Resurrection	

# Year 4: Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?



Religious texts we will look at:	Tick when studied
Matthew 26:17–75	
John 13: 4–17	

#### This module will help you to: (You could tick when you feel confident)

Explore the story of the Last Supper in detail – the symbolism of the meal

Explore Judas' betrayal

Explore what Peter's denial might mean to Jesus

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Consider why Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?

Explore the symbolism and rituals associated with Holy week

	I know what these words mean
Communion	
Eucharist	
Maundy Thursday	

# Year 5: What do Christians believe Jesus did to 'save' people?

Religious texts we will look at:	Tick when studied
Mark 14–15	

	I know what these words mean
Eucharist/Holy	
Communion	

This module will help you to: (You could tick when you feel confident)

Explain what Christians mean when they say that Jesus' death was a sacrifice, using theological terms.

Make clear connections between the Christian belief in Jesus' death as a sacrifice and how Christians celebrate Holy Communion/Lord's Supper.

Show how Christians put their beliefs into practice.- consider their sacrifice



#### Year 6: What difference does the resurrection make to Christians?

Religious texts we will look at:	Tick when studied
Explore the four Gospels	
Isaiah 53	
John 19	

	I know what these words mean
Eucharist/Holy Communion	
Sacrifice	

This module will help you to: (You could tick when you feel confident)

Explain connections between texts about key concepts of Messiah, Sacrifice and Salvation, using theological terms.

compare how Christians interpret Jesus sacrifice

Explain how Christians follow Jesus' example in giving themselves for others.

