



# Knowledge Organiser



Subject:	RE	Term:	Autumn 1	Classes and Year:	Yellow Class and Green Class (Y2)
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## Prior/Background Knowledge:

- Christians believe in God.
- Christians have a special book called the Bible which tells us stories about Jesus.
- Some knowledge about how we should treat others (e.g. showing kindness, caring, being friendly etc.)



## Key questions from the children:

## Key vocab and definitions:

- Christians: A group of people who believe in and follow God.
- Jesus: Son of God
- Bible: The Holy Book for Christians.
- Good News: Something positive
- Friendship: Thinking of others, showing kindness and care.
- Forgiveness: believing someone when they say sorry.
- Peace: Being calm
- Tax Collector: Someone who takes money from people.
- Roman Soldier
- Israel: A country in Asia.
- Prayer: Talking to God
- Church: A place where Christians can be close to God.

### What the children will learn about and background information and key texts they will use:

- In this work the children use the story of Matthew the tax collector from the Bible to help them to learn about the Good News (Gospel) that Jesus brought. They will use activities such as role play to learn about how Jesus taught others to show friendship and forgiveness and brought peace to the world.
- The children will learn about how Christians follow the teachings of Jesus and how they put their beliefs into practise in the church community and in their own lives. Children are encouraged to consider whether the Good News that Jesus taught should only apply to Christians, and they will compare this to their own beliefs, values or religion.
- The children will also learn about St George's Crypt in Leeds, a charity/church which supports homeless people. They will find out how homeless people are helped and consider how this is an example of Jesus' Good News.
- Throughout the unit the children are encouraged to share their thoughts and opinions in relation to "Big Questions" such as "Should we always forgive people who say sorry?", "Does friendship, forgiveness or peace matter the most?" and "How does forgiveness bring peace?" They will learn to listen to and respect the opinions of others and respond appropriately.

### Assessment:

% at Emerging	
% at Basic	
% at Advancing	
% at Deep	

### Evaluation:

Quotes from the children and any next steps for development: