

Key Vocabulary

RE—Religious Education. Learning about different religions

Religion—The belief in and worship of a god or gods.

Christianity—Based on teachings of Jesus Christ, who Christians believe is the son of God.

God—Christians believe there is one God and he created the world.

Jesus Christ—Christians believe Jesus was God's son and messenger. He taught people how to live good lives.

Bible—Christian holy book with writings and teachings from God and stories of Jesus' life.

Belief—Thinking something is true or real.

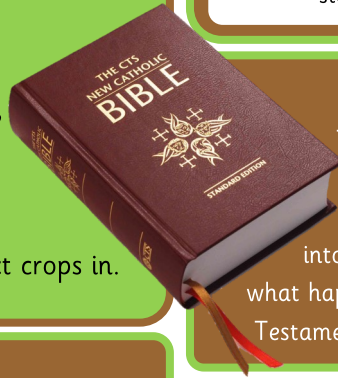
Faith—Strong belief or trust in someone or something.

Worship—Showing great respect or love to someone.

Prayer—To speak to God, often to praise God, say sorry, you or ask for something.

Creation—To make something that didn't exist before.

Harvest—When crops are fully grown and farmers collect crops in.



The Christian Creation Story



In the beginning, there was nothing at all. Just darkness.



On the first day, God separated light and dark.



On the 2nd day, God made the Earth and sky.



On day 3, He created the land and sea as well as plants and trees.



On the 4th Day, God made the sun, moon and stars.



On Day 5, God made birds and sea creatures.



On Day 6, He created animals to walk the earth and humans to care for it.



On the 7th day, God rested. He looked at his work and was happy.

The Bible

The Christian holy book is a collection of books to teach Christians about God, Jesus and how to live good lives. It is organised into two main parts. The Old Testament is about what happened before Jesus was born and the New Testament is all about Jesus' life and his teachings.

Key Questions

How do Christians believe the world was created?

What does the creation story tell Christians about God and the world?

Is it possible for all of us to learn from the creation story?

How do Christians show their appreciation to God for creating the world?

Christian Beliefs

God

There is only one God. He created the world and all things in it. He is often referred to as the father.

Jesus Christ

The son of God sent to teach people about God and how to live good lives. The religion is named after him.

Christianity

The religion began after Jesus died on the cross. His friends travelled to new places to continue his teachings.

Harvest Festival

Harvest is the time of year when crops are fully grown and farmers collect them in to use and sell. Christians celebrate Harvest festival to give thanks to God for the food that has grown on the land given to us by Him.

It is celebrated in churches by decorating, donating food, singing, praying and listening to stories.

