



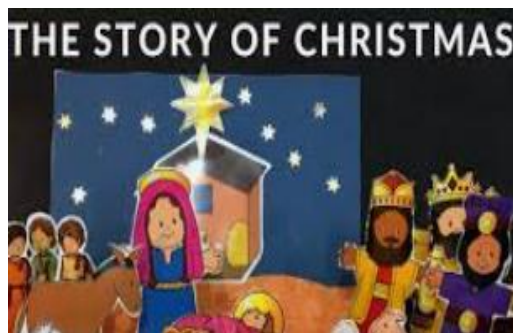
RE-Why is Christmas important to Christians? (Year 1)

Outcome-Retell the events of the Christmas Story through a puppet show.

Prior Knowledge and Skills

+	To understand celebrations are joyful times.
	To know that Christians celebrate special festivals e.g. Harvest, Christmas, Easter.

Ideas and inspiration:



Vocabulary:

- Celebration
- Birth
- Bethlehem
- Jesus
- Mary
- Joseph
- Census
- Inn
- Innkeeper
- Stable
- Wise men

Developing Knowledge

Christianity		Working Towards	Within	Expected	Above
+	To know that Christmas is linked to the account of the birth of Jesus.				
	To know the key people and events in the nativity. (Mary, Joseph, Baby Jesus, Wise Men, Kings, Shepherds and Inn Keeper).				
	To know that Christmas and the story of the nativity is a time of celebration for Christians.				

Developing Skills

Engage		Working Towards	Within	Expected	Above
	To think about times of celebration and why they are important to people.				
Enquire and explore		Working Towards	Within	Expected	Above
	To investigate what happens in the Nativity/ birth of Baby Jesus.				
	To investigate a range of artists representation of the Christmas story.				
Evaluate		Working Towards	Within	Expected	Above
	To reflect on why this time is important for Christians.				
Express		Working Towards	Within	Expected	Above
	To express the key parts of the Christmas story.				

Highlights: _____
