## EYFS RE Learning Organiser Autumn 2: Why is Christmas special for Christians?

Key Vocabulary	
Nativity	The birth of Jesus
Christmas	Celebration of Jesus'
	birthday
Bible	The Christian's holy book
Bethlehem	Where Jesus was born
Christian	A follower of Christ
Presents	Symbolising Gods
	greatest gift of Jesus and
	the gifts from the 3 wise
	men
Three wise men	The men that gave gold,
	frankincense and myrrh
	to Jesus



What can you see in this picture?

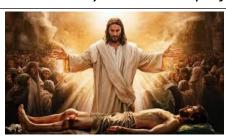
Where was Jesus born?

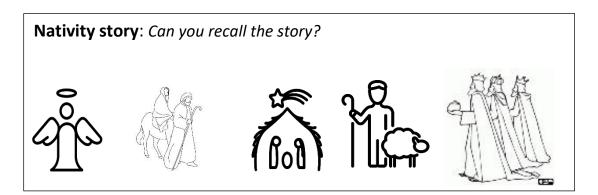
What gifts did Jesus get?

What do we call the day Jesus was born?

What special stories in the Bible teach us about Jesus?

Can you name any miracles he performed?





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Our Learning Sequence	
Lesson 1	What is the Nativity: children will learn and sequence the Nativity story
	Who is Jesus? Children will learn that Gad gave us Jesus to show teach everyone about God and how to be a
Lesson 2	kind person.
	Christmas; A very different birthday party: developing their understanding of incarnation. Children will
Lesson 3	explore how Jesus came to earth and how he is celebrated
	Why is Jesus important to Christians? Children will hear some stories where Jesus performed miracles;
Lesson 4	healing people, stopping a storm, feeding a crowd.
	Why do Christians perform Nativity plays? Children will reflect on why they are performing the Nativity and
Lesson 5	how it may make people feel?