



Knowledge Organiser: Why is the Bible important to Christians Today?

| Key Learning |
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| Make connections between stories in the Bible and what Christians believe about creation, the Fall and salvation. |
| Give examples of how and suggest reasons why Christians use the Bible today |
| How do Christians describe God and how does the Bible inform this? |
| Discuss their own and others' ideas about why humans do bad things and how people try to put things right. |

Year 3 and 4

Strand – Believing

Religious Tradition and Worldview – Christians

| Key Vocabulary | |
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| Bible | Christian scriptures/holy book |
| Old and New Testament | The two parts of the Bible. Each split into books, chapters and verses |
| Gospels | The story of Jesus's life written by the disciples |
| Parable | A story told by Jesus with a message or moral |

| Key Knowledge- The Big Story | |
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| Creation | God loves humans and created a wonderful world for people. |
| The Fall | Humans disobey God and go their own way. |
| Incarnation and Salvation | God sends his son, Jesus, to save people – to bring them back to God. |
| Parables | |
| The Lost Coin | Found in Luke 15:8–10. In it, a woman searches for a lost coin, finds it, and rejoices. |
| The Prodigal Son | Found in Luke 15:11–32. Jesus Christ shares it with his disciples, the Pharisees and others. In the story, a father has two sons, a younger and an older. |

