

## Religious Education

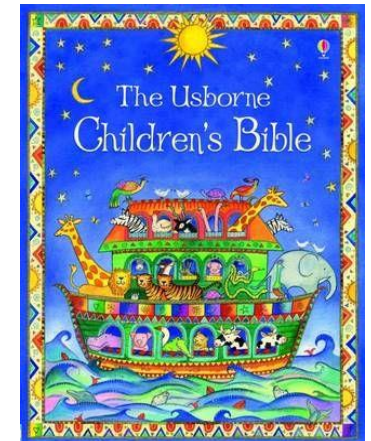
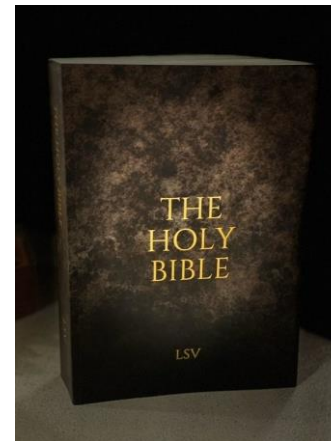
### Year 5 How and why do Christians read the Bible? (Autumn 1)

Vocabulary	Word definition
Bible	The Christian holy text.
Old Testament	The first part of the Christian Bible which is made up of 39 books.
New Testament	The second part of the Christian Bible. It records the life and teachings of Jesus and his early followers. It includes the four Gospels, the Acts of the Apostles, twenty-one Epistles by St Paul and others - and the book of Revelation.
Gospel	The 'good news' of Jesus' life and ministry.
Word of God	The Bible is seen to represent the 'word of God'.
Translation	Changing words from one language to another.

### Key Questions - To think about

1. How and why is the Bible used?
2. Do you need a Bible to be Christian?
3. Why is the Bible holy?
4. Why is the Bible a best seller?
5. Why are there so many versions of the Bible?

### Symbols/Images



### Linked films and Books

The Living Bible, The Good News, The Message, The Holy Bible, My Very First Bible, The Adventure Bible

### Bible Story/References

2 Timothy 3:16-17

Psalm 119:105

Proverbs 30:5

Hebrews 4:12

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### Year 5 Christmas. The Gospels of Matthew and Luke (Autumn 2)

Vocabulary	Word definition
Incarnation	God in human form.
Salvation	Through Jesus sin is dealt with and forgiveness offered.
Gospel	The 'good news' of Jesus' life and ministry.
Saviour	Jesus Christ is the one who saves people from their sins.
Messiah	Jesus and the 'anointed one' and saviour.
Matthew	One of the twelve apostles of Jesus.
Luke	Luke is a companion of St. Paul and author of the Gospel According to Luke.
Nativity	The occasion of a person's birth.
Herod	The king of Judea, who tried to kill Jesus by ordering the death of children under 2 in Bethlehem.

#### Linked films and Books

The Christmas Story

Film: The Star

#### Bible Story/References

Matthew 1:1- 2:23

Luke 1:5 - 2:40

#### Key Questions - To think about

1. Where in the Bible is the Christmas Story?
2. How are the stories of Matthew and Luke similar?
3. How are the stories of Mathew and Luke different?
4. How do our celebrations reflect the true meaning of Christmas?
5. Where do the ideas of including a donkey and a stable in the story come from?

#### Symbols/Images



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Year 5 Loss, Death and Christian Hope (Spring 1)

Vocabulary	Word definition
Death	The end of life of a person or organism.
Salvation	Through Jesus sin is dealt with and forgiveness offered.
Life	A physical being with the ability to get and use energy.
Heaven	The place Christians believe the good souls go to after death.
Eternal Life	The survival of the soul after the death of the body.
Funeral	A ceremony held for a person who has died.
Hope	A feeling of trust or desire for something to happen.
Reincarnation	When the soul returns in a new body.
Moksha	Release from the cycle of rebirth.

Key Questions - To think about

1. What is death?
2. What does it mean when someone or something dies?
3. Is death an ending or a beginning?
4. What happens when we die? Where do we go?
5. Where is heaven?
6. What is heaven like?

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Linked films and Books

The Heart and the Bottle by Oliver Jeffers

The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr Morris Lessmore - William Joyce

Film: The Lion King

Bible Story/References

John 14:2, John 6:40, Titus 1:2, Revelation 21

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### Year 5 - Why do Christians believe that Easter is a celebration of Victory? (Spring 2)

Vocabulary	Word definition
Victory	A success or triumph over an enemy.
Resurrection	The act of rising from the dead.
Sacrifice	Christ's offering of himself in the crucifixion.
Salvation	Being saved from sin and its consequences, believed by Christians to be brought about by faith in Christ.
Redeemer	A person who saves others.
Crucifixion	An ancient form of execution in which a person is nailed or bound to a cross.
Prophecy	A prediction of what will happen in the future.

### Key Questions - To think about

Why do Christians believe that Easter is a celebration of victory?

In what ways is Christ's death and resurrection a victory?

What is Jesus victorious over and why?

How does his victory affect us today?

What did Jesus do to save human beings?

### Linked films and Stories

The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe book/film

Bible Story/Reference - Mathew 26:26 - 28:20

### Artwork

The Crucifixion by John Reilly

### Easter Symbols



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### Year 5 Exploring the lives of significant women in the Old Testament (Summer 1)

Vocabulary	Word definition
People of God	The story of God's plan to save humanity through chosen people.
Ruth	The person which the book of Ruth is named after. She helps her mother-in-law find protection.
Deborah	Deborah led the Nation of Israel. She was a Prophetess, greatly respected and she resolved disputes.
Rahab	Rahab risks her life to help spies sent into Jericho by Joshua
Jochebed	The mother of Moses, who saves her son.
Abigail	She gives food to David and prevents war and the murder of her husband.

### Key Questions - To think about

1. What can we learn from these women's stories?
2. Why are these women important?
3. In which values or beliefs are the actions of these women rooted?
4. Did the women do the right thing?
5. Where do these stories fit into God's big story?

### Symbols/Images



### Linked films and Books

Film: The Prince of Egypt

The Bible - Old Testament

### Bible Story/References

The Book of Ruth Book of Judges chapters 4-5

1 Samuel 25

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Year 5 What are the Five Pillars of Islam? (Summer 2)

Vocabulary	Word definition
Islam	The religion followed by Muslims. Islam means peace.
Muslim	A follower of the religion of Islam.
Qur'an	This is the Islamic holy text.
The Shahadah	The belief that there is no God but Allah and Muhammed is his messenger.
Salah	Praying five times a day.
Zakat	Making a charitable donation to the poor each year.
Sawm	Fasting during the month of Ramadan
Hajj	Attending a pilgrimage to Makkah once in your lifetime.

Key Questions - To think about

1. What does it mean to believe?
2. What do Muslims believe and why?
3. What is prayer? Why is prayer important to Muslims?
4. What is fasting and why do people fast?
5. What is a duty?
6. Why is it important for Muslims to complete the Hajj at least once in their lifetime?

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Linked films and Books

The Qur'an

Going to Mecca by [Na'ima B. Robert](#)

Yan's Hajj: The Journey of a Lifetime

by [Fawzia Gilani](#)

