

KNOWLEDGE BUILDING BLOCKS

Pupils should know:

- ❖ Christians believe that Jesus is God and that he was born as a baby in Bethlehem.
- ❖ The Bible points out that his birth showed that he was extraordinary and that he came to bring good news.
- ❖ Christians celebrate Jesus' birth;
- ❖ Advent for Christians is a time of getting ready for Jesus' coming.

Christmas celebrates the birth of Jesus Christ.

Christians believe that the baby Jesus was a very special baby.

Christians believe Jesus is the son of God, in a human body. 'Incarnation'.





The **nativity** is a gospel story in the Bible.

It tells us the good news about Jesus's birth. It was written by Luke, one of Jesus' friends.

Christians use the story of the nativity to guide their beliefs and actions at Christmas.



Some Christmas decorations and traditions are religious and some are not.

 Advent	When Christians prepare for Jesus' arrival.	 Gospel	Good news.
 Incarnation	God in flesh.	 Nativity	The birth of Jesus Christ.