

INCARNATION

EYFS	KS1	Lower KS2	Upper KS2
Christians believe God came to Earth in human form as Jesus.	Christians believe that Jesus is God and that he was born as a baby in Bethlehem.	Christians believe Jesus is one of the three persons of the Trinity: God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit.	Jesus was Jewish.
Christians believe Jesus came to show that all people are precious and special to God.	The Bible points out that his birth showed that he was extraordinary (for example, he is worshipped as a king, in Matthew) and that he came to bring good news (for example, to the poor, in Luke).	Christians believe the Father creates; he sends the Son who saves his people; the Son sends the Holy Spirit to his followers.	Christians believe Jesus is God in the flesh
	Christians celebrate Jesus' birth, and Advent for Christians is a time for getting ready for Jesus' coming.	Christians worship God as Trinity. It is a huge idea to grasp, and Christians have created art to help to express this belief.	They believe that his birth, life, death and resurrection were part of a longer plan by God to restore the relationship between humans and God.
		Christians believe the Holy Spirit is God's power at work in the world and in their lives today, enabling them to follow Jesus.	The Old Testament talks about a 'rescuer' or 'anointed one' — a messiah. Some texts talk about what this 'messiah' would be like
			Christians believe that Jesus fulfilled these expectations, and that he is the Messiah. (Jewish people do not think Jesus is the Messiah.)
			Christians see Jesus as their Saviour (see Salvation).

