



Year 2: RE – How do Christians celebrate Easter?

Subject Specific Vocabulary		Memorable Image	Exciting Books
Christian	Of, concerning, or coming from the person, actions, or words of Jesus Christ, or the religion based on his teachings.		
Easter	A Christian holiday to celebrate that Jesus Christ returned to life after he died.		
Jesus	The teacher and prophet who founded the Christian faith considered by Christians to be the son of God.		
resurrection	The return to life of Jesus Christ after he died and was buried.	Sticky Assessment Knowledge	Useful Websites
Shrove Tuesday	The first day of Lent, when pancakes are traditionally eaten in the UK.	<input type="checkbox"/> I know the Easter story and understand its significance for Christians.	https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/religious-studies-ks1-the-christian-story-of-easter/zhgv47h https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Easter/Easter.aspx
Lent	The period of six weeks (40 days not including Sundays) leading up to Easter.	<input type="checkbox"/> I know the meaning of Shrove Tuesday, Lent and Palm Sunday.	
Palm Sunday	The Sunday before Easter Sunday.	<input type="checkbox"/> I know ways in which Christians celebrate Easter.	
Good Friday	The Friday before Easter Sunday. It commemorates the execution of Jesus.	<input type="checkbox"/> I know that Good Friday is the anniversary of the Crucifixion.	
crucifixion	A method of execution in which the condemned person is tied or nailed to a cross.	<input type="checkbox"/> I know what a paschal candle is and how it is used in the Easter vigil.	Misconceptions and Facts
vigil	The eve of a religious festival, a watch kept then, or a devotional service held during this period.	<input type="checkbox"/> I understand the significance of Easter Sunday.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Easter is the most important festival in the Christian calendar. It celebrates Jesus rising from the dead. For Christians, Easter eggs are used as a symbol for the resurrection of Jesus.
Paschal candle	A very large candle decorated with important Christian symbols which is used in Easter services.		