



Knowledge Organiser

Year One

Advent/Christmas – Loving

Topic 3: Waiting

Key Words	
Word	Definition
preparing	To get ready.
waiting	Means delaying or preparing for something until you are ready.
wreath	An arrangement of flowers and leaves, especially in the shape of a circle.
celebrate	To show a day or an event is important you do something special.
Christmas	The day Christians celebrate the birth of Jesus.
Advent	The four weeks before Christmas.
Jesus	The son of God.
Mary	The mother of Jesus.
Joseph	The man who brought up Jesus as his son.
messenger	Someone who is sent to deliver a message.
manger	A box that cows and horses eat from.
visit	To see a person or place for a period of time.
shepherds	People who look after sheep.
angels	A spirit of God who is sent to deliver a message.
Elizabeth	Mary's friend and cousin.
Bethlehem	Bethlehem is a city located in the central West Bank, Palestine, about 10 km (6.2 miles) south of Jerusalem.
worship	The act of showing respect by saying prayers or signing songs.

Big Question
How can we share our love at Christmas?
My first thoughts:

Scripture
Luke 1: 26-31, 38 – <i>God's Story 2</i> page 55 Luke 1: 39-45 – <i>God's Story 2</i> page 56 Luke 2: 1-7 – <i>God's Story 2</i> page 58 Luke 2: 8-20 – <i>God's Story 2</i> page 59

What will I learn?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To respond to questions about others' feelings, and experiences (feels about waiting). • To recognise that people act in a particular way because of their beliefs (Advent calendars). • To recognise religious signs and symbols used in worship (Advent wreath) • To retell, in any form, a narrative that corresponds to the scripture source used (The Annunciation) • To recognise religious stories (The Visitation). • To recognise religious stories (The Christmas Story). • To recognise religious signs and symbols used in worship (Christingle). • To recognise that people act in a particular way because of their beliefs.