Year I RE Knowledge Organiser Autumn 2 Why does Christmas matter so much to Christians?



1. What does incarnation mean? Christian people believe that God took the human form by becoming Jesus.

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2. How might a family prepare for a special baby? God come to earth.

Jesus was important and had many important visitors.



3. What is the nativity story? Jesus was born in a stable with Mary and Joseph close by.

Visitors brought gifts and believed he was very special.



4. Why was Jesus' birth good news? The visitors were picked for a reason to represent all of society.



5. What will be happening around Christmas time in churches? Candles, Christmas trees and decorations are put up within a church.



6. What is advent and what are the advent traditions? Advent is the start of the Christian year. Christians prepare for the birth of Jesus.



Key Vocabulary	
Christian	Those that follow the belief of Jesus.
Nativity	The birth of Jesus.
Incarnation	Jesus came in the flesh.
Bible	The holy book of Christianity.
Jesus	The son of God.





