Knowledge organiser for Mighty Oaks Term 4

Religious Education

Christianity: What do Christians believe Jesus did to save human beings?

Key vocabulary

Easter	The Christian festival that celebrates Jesus' resurrection .
Stations of the Cross	Images of the significant events in the death of Jesus.
Crucifixion	A way of being killed by being nailed onto a cross.
Symbolism	The use of symbols and actions to represent religious concepts
Resurrection	The act of dead things coming back to life.
Sacrifice	Giving something important up to help others.
Salvation	Rescue (if you are given salvation, you are saved).
Last Supper	The meal Jesus ate with his disciples prior to his arrest and
	execution
Gospels	The four books in the bible that tell stories of Jesus. Gospel
	means 'good news'.
Holy Communion	This is when Christians drink wine and eat bread as part of a
	church service. This is also called Eucharist

Key Objectives for this unit

- Interpret texts to understand Christian beliefs about sacrifice.
- Use extracts from the bible to support their ideas
- Make connections between the Christian concept of the sacrifice of Jesus and the idea of Salvation, and how Christians follow Jesus' example in giving themselves for others.
- Make links between the act of communion and the Last Supper
- Weigh up the value and impact of ideas of sacrifice in their own lives and the world today.

Key Knowledge

- Christians believe that Jesus died to save people from their sins.
- The Gospels tell the stories of Jesus' life and death
- At Communion, Christians take bread and wine, as Jesus did at the last supper. This reminds them of the body and blood of Jesus.



