

## What should I already know?

- Suggest beliefs and values that might unite the Christian community
- Talk about why some Christians might think it is important to come together to worship God
- Identify symbols (images and actions) used in Christian worship
- Talk about how and why symbols might be used in Christianity
- Identify and describe features of a church
- Identify signs and symbols in the world around them
- Talk about the school logo – what values it might represent and how it might unite the school community.
- Ask thoughtful questions about signs and symbols.
- Talk about communities that they belong to – and how they show their commitment to these communities

## Knowledge

- know what Christians mean by the Holy Spirit
- suggest how belief in the Holy Spirit as God's presence in the world might have an impact on individuals and communities
- identify Christian values exemplified in the gifts/fruits of the Spirit
- identify how beliefs about the Holy Spirit might influence forms of worship in a range of Christian denominations
- describe how and why Pentecost is celebrated
- describe why some Christians might take part in a procession of witness
- describe aspects of being human that we should be proud of
- discuss what it means to be a successful human – and the different measures of success that might be applied
- discuss their own sense of value and what is good/unique about being them
- reflect on the people that they value in their lives – and how they show their appreciation

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'Reaching Up'

### Year 3- Summer Term 1- (Religious Education)

*Christianity- Church- What do Christians mean by the Holy Spirit?*

#### Skills

- Explore the Church as a community of people inspired by the Holy Spirit.
- Build on their prior learning about the beliefs, values and symbols that unite the worldwide Christian community and the importance of worship.
- What Christians mean by the Holy Spirit and how this might inspire Christians to express their beliefs and values in different ways.
- Explore how and why creative abilities such as music and art might be used to express ideas and talents.
- Reflect on their own unique skills/talents/qualities and how they use these.
- Recognise that these 'gifts' are often inspired by someone or something.

#### Vocabulary

- Holy Spirit
- Christians
- Pentecost
- Value
- Appreciation

