What should I already know?

- Describe what Christians mean when they talk about one God in Trinity
- Identify the beliefs contained within the Apostle's Creed
- Explain why the Christian community (The Church) might want/need an agreed statement of belief
- Describe and explain the meaning of a range of symbols that might be used for the Trinity
- Explain how symbols might unite the worldwide Christian Church
- Describe the role of places like Taizé where Christians from different backgrounds might come together to worship
- Consider what we mean by sources of authority. Give examples of sources of authority that might guide individuals and communities – and the value of these as guidance for life
- Discuss different responses to sources of authority
- raise meaningful questions about things that puzzle them
- Differentiate between questions that can be answered factually and those that have a range of answers, including personal beliefs and values

Knowledge

- Explain how beliefs about the death and resurrection of Jesus might affect the life of a Christian
- Explain (simply) Christian beliefs about salvation
- Explain how Christian beliefs about life after death might affect a believer's sense of purpose and behaviour throughout the journey of life
- Explore Christian ideas about forgiveness of sin and the different ways that people might seek to be forgiven (using terms such as confession, repentance, atonement, reconciliation)
- Analyse Christian teachings about the importance of forgiveness and examples of people who have put these teachings into practice
- Discuss differing ideas and opinions about the purpose of human life – and how these beliefs might influence relationships with others
- Discuss the importance of saying sorry and forgiveness in maintaining relationships with others
- Raise questions about the meaning and purpose of life and explain their own ideas and opinions (including influences)
- Reflect on the benefits and difficulties of forgiveness

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'Reaching Up'

Year 6 Summer 1 (Religious Education)

Christianity (Church)- If life is like a journey, what's the destination?

Skills

- Explore what it is that Christians believe gives their lives purpose and meaning.
- Build on prior learning about how Christians are guided to live.
 - Discover how the act of confessing sins and seeking reconciliation and forgiveness restores relationships with others and with God in the eyes of the believer, leading to faith in life after death.
- Have opportunities to reflect on the importance of forgiveness to them.

Vocabulary



Death

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- Salvation
- Forgiveness
- Confession
- Repentance
- Atonement
- Reconciliation

