

# Year 1 RE Knowledge Organiser: Why do Christians give gifts at Christmas?

## What? - Key Vocabulary

gift	Something given from one person to another.
Giver	The person who is giving the gift to someone.
receiver	The person who is accepting the gift from someone.
Jesus	Christians believe he is the son of God.
love	A deep caring for someone. For example between a parent and a child. Christians believe God is love and Jesus preached about this love.
joy	Absolute delight and happiness.
Christmas	The Christian festival celebrating the birth of Jesus Christ. Also a time for families to spend time together and celebrate.



## Gifts from The Nativity

Gold, frankincense and myrrh were the gifts given by the three kings to Jesus Christ when he was born.

## What? - Core Knowledge

People give gifts on special occasions include on a birthday or Christmas.

The Christmas story is from the Christian holy book called the Bible and it describes the birth of Jesus Christ.

There are different types of gifts. Some are visible and some are not. Invisible gifts include: love, friendship, trust and compassion.

Christians believe that Jesus was sent to the world so all of us may be forgiven for our sins.

Through the Bible, Christians learn how to behave from the teachings of Jesus.