

What is the 'good news' that Christians say Jesus brings? – Part 1



Christians



Jesus



Matthew



fishermen



disciples



tax collector



peace



forgiveness



apostles

Wonderful words

Christians: people who follow Christianity and believe Jesus is the Saviour who healed the rift between humanity and God.

Jesus: a very important person for Christians; God in the flesh

Matthew: a tax collector who Jesus called to follow him and who left his job as a tax collector.

Fishermen: people who earn a living through fishing

Disciples: a follower of Jesus

Tax Collector: a person who collects money on behalf of the Romans at the time of Jesus.

Peace: freedom from conflict

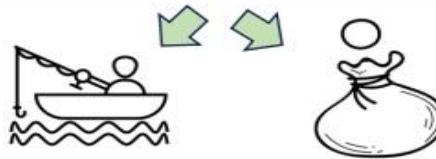
Forgiveness: when someone is stopped being blamed or punished for something they have done

Apostles: the twelve followers of Jesus who went with him during his earthly ministry

So how does it all work?



Called to be world changers.



Love, Peace and Forgiveness Today



Year 1

I can hear and talk about stories Jesus told or stories about Jesus.

I can say that Jesus was a special person who helped people.

I know that some people believe Jesus' message was good news.

I can say one thing Jesus taught people to do (e.g. forgive, be kind).

I can give one example of how Christians try to help others (e.g. giving to charity or being kind at church).

Year 2

I can tell stories from the Bible and say how they link to the idea of the Gospel or 'good news'.

I can give a simple explanation of what a story like Matthew the tax collector means to Christians.

I know that Jesus taught people how to behave (e.g. forgive others, make peace).

I can give at least two examples of how Christians try to live out Jesus' teachings (e.g. showing forgiveness, helping lonely people).

I can explain how Christians live out these beliefs in church and everyday life (e.g. through charity work, prayer, or helping in their community).