

# Year 4- Term 1

## RE – Core Learning

# PEOPLE OF GOD

## WHAT IS IT LIKE TO FOLLOW GOD?



**Curriculum Key Question: How do I express myself? How can I look after myself and others?**

**Topic: How rotten were the Romans?**

What should I already know?

- Christians believe in God, and that they find out about God in the Bible.
- Christians believe God is loving, kind, fair and forgivong, and also Lord and King.
- Some stories show these Christian beliefs.
- Christians worship God and try to live in ways to please him.

### KNOWLEDGE BUILDING BLOCKS

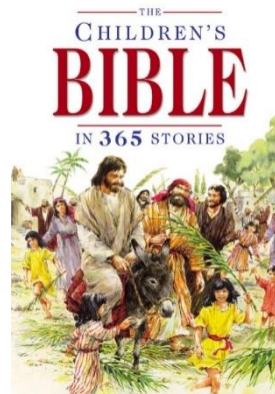
**PUPILS WILL KNOW THAT:**

- The Old Testament tells the story of a particular group of people, the children of Israel known as the People of God – and their relationship with God.
- The People of God try to live in the way God wants, following his commands and worshipping him.
- They believe he promises to stay with them and Bible stories show how God keeps his promises.

### OUTCOMES

**BY THE END OF THIS UNIT, PUPILS ARE EXPECTED TO BE ABLE TO:**

- 1. Make clear links between the story of Noah and the idea of covenant.
- 2. Make simple links between promises in the story of Noah and promises that Christians make at a wedding ceremony.
- 3. Make links between the story of Noah and how we live in school and the wider world.



### CHURCH OF ENGLAND MARRIAGE VOWS

\_\_\_\_\_, will you take \_\_\_\_\_ to be your wife? Will you love her, comfort her, honour and protect her and, forsaking all others, be faithful to her as long as you both shall live?

**I will.**

I give you this ring as a sign of our marriage. With my body I honour you, all that I am I give to you, and all that I have I share with you, within the love of God.

*The minister says:*

In the presence of God, and before this congregation, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ have given their consent and made their marriage vows to each other. They have declared their marriage by the joining of hands and by the giving and receiving of rings. I therefore proclaim that they are husband and wife.

What qualities did Noah have?

Did Noah trust God?



Things we could stop.

Why did God send the flood?

How did Noah obey God's commands?



Things we can't stop.

**Key Vocabulary**

**Old Testament-** stories in the old testament happened many years before Jesus was born

**New Testament-** introduces Jesus and his followers

**Obedience-** to follow an order/rule or request

**Commands-** an order  
**People of God-** trying to live by God's commands

**Covenant-** a pact, to agree to something  
**Baptism-** sprinkling water on to a persons head, or submerging a person in water ot enter them into the Christian Worldwide family. Making a promise to God.

**Incarnation-** a spirit who/that has been created in the flesh  
**Symbols-** a mark, sign or a word that represents something.