

Learning about Easter

While you are off school, you can explore these different events using your NEW bible. Remember to record these events in detail. The Easter story is in your bibles form page 317 to 367! You can also research using the links below and the google search terms.

<p><u>1. Jesus travels to Jerusalem to celebrate Passover</u></p> <p>Create an eyewitness account of the arrival of Jesus in Jerusalem. Use the pictures in your bible as well as the songs you know and your own research to make the account as accurate as possible.</p>	<p><u>2. Judas meets with the elders and betrays Jesus</u></p> <p>Write an interview with Judas, asking him what he felt and why he betrayed Jesus. Perhaps you might ask him if he meant to have Jesus killed or if he was hoping for something else.</p>	<p><u>3. The Last Supper</u></p> <p>Research Leonardo DeVinci's painting, The Last Supper. Can you identify any of the people in the painting? Create your own piece of artwork in your Art Book based on this image.</p>	
<p><u>4. Jesus prays in the Garden of Gethsemane</u></p> <p>What was Jesus saying to God in the Garden of Gethsemane? How did he feel when his friends fell asleep when they were supposed to be keeping him company?</p> <p>Write a prayer to remember to help our friends in the times that they need us.</p>	<p><u>5. Peter Denies Jesus</u></p> <p>Retell the story of Peter's denial either as...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A first person account from the point of view of Peter, or... • As a comic strip in your Art Book, or... • As a third person retelling. 		<p><u>6. The Trial of Jesus</u></p> <p>Retell the story of Jesus' trail using speech marks!</p>
<p><u>7. Pilate washes his hands</u></p> <p>Can you create your own piece of artwork based on the story of Jesus' trail and Pilate washing his hands?</p>	<p><u>8. Crown of Thorns</u></p> <p>Research shape poems on google, using safe-search. Make a poem in the shape of a crown of thorns. Try and keep the poem about Easter. Both words and the way that they are laid out matter.</p>	<p><u>9. Jesus Carries the Cross</u></p> <p>What are the stations of the Cross? What happened as Jesus carried the cross to Calvary? Recount the events in as much detail as you can.</p>	
<p><u>10. Jesus is taken down from the Cross</u></p> <p>Write a recount of this event and think about how different people might have reacted. Can you use speech marks and a fronted adverbial?</p>	<p><u>11. Risen from the Dead</u></p> <p>Create a poster about the events that happened when the tomb was found open. Try and include as much information in as few words as possible.</p>	<p><u>12. A time to reflect</u></p> <p>Easter is the most important event in the Christian Calendar. What does Easter mean to you? What have you learned that will help you be a better person, a better friend and a better neighbour?</p>	
<p>Resource to help you: Topmarks Easter Story - www.topmarks.co.uk/easter/easterstory.aspx</p>			