

BRUNSHAW PRIMARY SCHOOL



OUR VISION:

Inspiring children to be resilient and aspirational learners,
within a positive and considerate community.

	Subject: RE Term Summer 2 – Christianity	Year group: Three	Title: What do Christians mean by the Holy Spirit?
Lesson	Key Knowledge /objectives	Skills/Key Questions	Vocabulary
1 Shared Human Experience	To know successful means that you behave in a way that leaves you happy with your mark on the world and those around you. Being the best possible version of yourself means you've become who you want to be, to the best of your abilities, in any given moment. To understand being proud is Feeling good about yourself doesn't mean boasting or bragging about how great you are or thinking you're better than others. Self-confidence and self-esteem are quiet inner strengths. They mean knowing you are a good person — someone who is likable, worthy, and capable. To know to be a successful human you celebrate the different skills and talents we have and be proud of these. We should try to show or be committed. Be motivated to do or be better at something. To Have fun learning and learn from life's lessons. We should try to think and be positive about our skills and lives and try to change our perspective. Humans should be honest with themselves to grow and count on the fact we all have the skills to do well in what we are good at.	What does it mean to be a successful human being?	Human Successful Proud Abilities Version Self-esteem Capable Worthy Strengths Committed Learn
2 Beliefs and Values	To know the Holy Spirit is the one who speaks to people's hearts and helps them know they should receive Jesus as their Saviour.	How does believing in the Holy Spirit make Christians feel?	Christian Holy Sprit Belief Saviour Fire

	To understand a saviour is someone who has saved another from danger. Jesus Christ is the saviour for Christians. To understand the trinity is that there is one God, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit. The Trinity, or Holy Trinity, is a way of describing God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. God the Father. God is described as God the Father because we believe that God is the creator of everything. and Lord over all the universe To understand that the Holy Spirit is shown as fire because fire represents the presence of God, as when Moses encountered God at the burning bush, and later when God appeared in a pillar of fire to lead his people in the wilderness To know that believing in The Holy Spirit for Christians provides wise counsel to Christ's followers. Jesus knew he would be going away and that his followers would need the Holy Spirit as a helper and an advocate to remind them of his teachings. The Holy Spirit enables Christian life by dwelling in the individual believers and enables them to live a righteous and faithful life. The Holy Spirit also acts as comforter, one who intervenes, or supports or acts as a supporter, particularly in times of trial. For some people, the Holy Ghost may cause them to feel overwhelmed with emotion and moved to tears. For others, tears rarely or never come. And that's okay. For them, the Holy Ghost may produce a subtle feeling of gratitude, peace, reverence, or love		God Jesus Trinity Creator
3 Beliefs and Values	To know that the Pentecost is fifty days after Easter (Pentecost means "50") Celebrates the day the Holy Spirit descended on the apostles, causing them to speak To know that an apostle is a "messenger" or "one who is sent" while a disciple is a "student" or "learner." Apostles were primarily people who had met and followed Jesus during his life and were called by him to spread the gospel. Disciples were simply any of Jesus' followers who devoted themselves to learning from him To know that after Jesus' resurrection from death, after the crucifixion, he remained among his friends and family for forty	Why do Christians celebrate Pentecost?	Christians Pentecost Apostle Holy Spirit Resurrection Ascension Disciples Fruit of the spirit Joy Peace

	days. While on the mountain, the clouds descended. Jesus left his disciples for the last time and ascended into heaven. Suddenly, the room was filled with the sound of a violent wind! Tongues of fire appeared, separated and came to rest above each person's head, but no one was burned! Each of the disciples were filled with the Holy Spirit. Suddenly, the disciples realised they could speak different languages! The Holy Spirit enabled them to speak different languages and they were amazed. The disciples were talking away and their voices carried out into the streets. Jerusalem was full of people from many different countries at that time and they were amazed to realise that they could understand what the disciples were saying in their own language. To understand that some Christians believe they receive the Holy Spirit when they accept Christ and are baptised as Christians. Some Christians believe that the Holy Spirit is always with them, and therefore, God is always with them. Some Christians believe that the Holy Spirit teaches them and takes care of them, helping them to make the right choices. To know that the fruit of the Spirit are qualities that Christian believes they can develop through the help of the Holy Spirit: love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Christians are encouraged to develop these 'good' fruits of the spirit and to turn away from 'bad fruits'. Ask pupils to suggest how these characteristics might inspire people to make a difference in the local community and/or globally.		
4 Living Religious Traditions	To know Christians today celebrate Pentecost as the birthday of the Christian Church and remember especially the gift of the Holy Spirit. the celebration takes place on the seventh Sunday after Easter, so the date changes from year to year. Many churches will be decorated in red and special banners will be hung up. Christians will often join together to celebrate perhaps with a march of witness, or fun events like a party in a local park with Christian bands and special speakers.	• How do Christians celebrate Pentecost?	Christian Pentecost Churches Orthodox Whitsuntide Holy Spirit Worship Communities Celebration Praise Processions

	That some Christian communities organise processions of witness at Pentecost (also known as Whitsuntide – and so the walks are referred to as whit walks) because they are proud to publicly show that they are a Christian. Hymns sung at Pentecost take the Holy Spirit as their theme. The symbols of Pentecost are those of the Holy Spirit and include flames, wind, the breath of God and a dove. In the Orthodox Church, Pentecost is one of the Orthodox Great Feasts and is considered to be the highest ranking Great Feast of the Lord, second in rank only to Pascha (Easter). The service is celebrated with an All-night Vigil on the eve of the feast day, and the Divine Liturgy on the day of the feast itself. Christians believe that The Holy Spirit creates the longing in them to worship God. It is It is The Holy Spirit who inspires their hearts to worship and praise God.		Feasts Hymns
5 Search for Personal Meaning	To know a quality is a distinctive attribute or characteristic possessed by someone or something To understand as humans we want to nurture Qualities that form the foundation of all other human qualities include honesty, integrity, courage, self-awareness, and wholeheartedness. To show humility, loyalty, accountability, resiliency, respectfulness, compassion for others and reliability To know that we cultivate - try to acquire or develop (a quality or skill) our own best skills in ourselves To understand the children will feel proud when they are - feeling or showing pride: such as - having or displaying excessive self-esteem, are very pleased - proud, having proper self-respect for themselves and others To know that to be inspired is when you are stimulated to do or feel something”. Above all, an inspired person often feels compelled to be different and do better than they currently are – family, friends, famous people, teachers and community all help to inspire us in some way. They show us all aspects on how I should live my life through their experiences like education, parenting, and work ethic. We admire those we want to be like.	• What are my special qualities?	Special Qualities Courage Honesty Integrity Compassion Respect Loyalty Resilient Cultivate Proud Inspires Compelled Committed Admire

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