

Y3/4 Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday?

Key Vocabulary	
Palm Sunday	The start of Holy Week when Jesus entered Jerusalem.
Gethsemane	A garden on the Mount of Olives in Jerusalem where Jesus was arrested.
Temple	Centre of Jewish worship in Jerusalem.
Last Supper	The last meal of Jesus with his disciples on the Thursday of Holy Week.
Good Friday	The day Jesus was crucified and died.
crucified	Roman punishment for criminals.
Easter Sunday	The day Christians celebrate Jesus's resurrection.
Salvation	The saving of Christians from sin and its consequences.
resurrection	Christian belief that Jesus returned from death.

<p>Prior learning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils will have looked at the symbols associated with Easter. • Pupils will have looked at Easter as a festival of new life.
<p>Future Learning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils will explore Easter as a festival of victory. • Pupils will link the beliefs of Easter to the Eucharist service.

Big Ideas Key Concepts



Salvation

Key learning Self-Assessment		
I can:	✓	?
Recognise the word Salvation and that Christians believe Jesus came to 'save' or 'rescue' people.		
Offer informed suggestions about what the events of Holy Week mean to Christians and their importance.		
Make simple links between the Gospel accounts and how Christians mark the Easter events in their communities.		
Describe how Christians show their beliefs about Jesus in worship and different ways.		
Raise thoughtful questions and suggest some answers about why Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday.'		