

### PRIOR KNOWLEDGE:

God the Creator cares for the creation, including human beings.

- As human beings are part of God's good creation, they do best when they listen to God.
- The Bible shows that God wants to help people to be close to him — he keeps his relationship with them, gives them guidelines on good ways to live (such as the Ten Commandments).

### KEY VOCABULARY:

Adam and Eve  
Ten commandments  
Bible  
Garden of Eden  
Creation  
Temptation  
God  
Wonderful  
World  
Forgiveness  
Obedience  
worship

## What do Christians Learn from the Creation Story (Y4) Autumn 1



### Enquiry Questions:

1. Talk about the key question: what do they think Christians learn from The creation story?
2. What instructions does God give to humans for treating the Earth as God's good creation?  
Read Genesis 1:28–30.
3. What can be learned from the creation story?
4. Ask pupils to work out where in the story Adam and Eve are tempted, are disobedient, pass the blame, and even try to hide from God.
5. Explore the Ten Commandments
6. Make connections with the parable of The Lost Son

### CONTEXT:

trip outside to the school playground, local park, forest, beach, and so on. Carry out an activity to help pupils identify 'wow factors' in nature. For example, give each pupil a piece of card shaped as a paint palette with double-sided sticky tape on and ask them to find examples from nature to stick on it. Can they fill it with all the colours of the rainbow or every shade of a particular colour, without destroying any living plants?

### STICKY KNOWLEDGE:

The Bible tells a story (in Genesis 3) about how humans spoiled their friendship with God (sometimes called 'the Fall').

- This means that humans cannot get close to God without God's help.
- The Bible shows that God wants to help people to be close to him — he keeps his relationship with them, gives them guidelines on good ways to live (such as the Ten Commandments), and offers forgiveness even when they keep on falling short.
- Christians show that they want to be close to God too, through obedience and worship, which includes saying sorry for falling short.

### SKILLS:

**Gather, select and organise ideas about religion and belief.**

**Answer questions based on the study of religion and beliefs.**

**Connect key beliefs to your life.**

**Identify the similarities and differences between beliefs and religions.**