

Remember  
in  
Reception,  
we  
learned:

Mary was  
chosen by  
God to have  
a baby called  
Jesus.

Year 1

## Prophecy and Promise

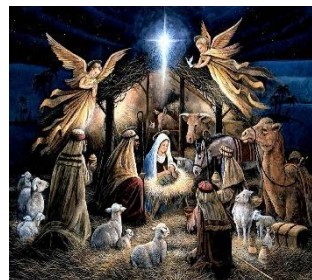
Later, in  
Year 2, you  
will learn:

That  
Prophets  
communicate  
God's  
message  
inspired by  
the Holy  
Spirit.

### Understand

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to:

	Recognise that, for Christians, the Christmas story reveals God's love by sending Jesus his Son.	
	Be introduced to the Bible as a special book and encounter the stories and accounts of how people came to know God and the Good News of Jesus in the gospels.	
	Sequence the accounts from the Annunciation through to the visit of the shepherds.	
	Know that in the Annunciation God called Mary and she said 'Yes' to his call and why this makes Mary important for Christians.	
	Match the first words of the Hail Mary with the words of the Angel Gabriel.	
	Recognise that angels bring God's message and are a sign that Jesus is the Son of God	



### Discern

By the end of this unit of study, pupils will be able to talk and think creatively and critically about what they have studied, for example, through:

	Talking about why the shepherds saw angels when Jesus was born.	
	Thinking about why the words of the angels are in the 'Hail Mary' and the beginning of the 'Gloria'.	
	Exploring artistic representations of the nativity story from around the world. (RVE)	

### Respond

During this unit of study, pupils will be invited to respond to their learning, for example by:

	Hearing and beginning to join in with the words of the Hail Mary.	
	Singing or saying the first words of the Gloria.	
	Talking about how Christians in their local community celebrate the birth of Jesus. (RVE)	

### Key Vocabulary

Jesus Bible

Annunciation angels Visitation

Hail Mary

Gloria

Our Father Creed