



Autumn 1 – Creation and Covenant – Year 4



Faith



01 Background information

Abraham is an important person in Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. To understand his story, we look at why the stories were written, how they were told, and what they mean today. Abraham made special promises with God, leading to Jesus in Christianity. Before learning about Moses, we will study Joseph, who was sold as a slave but became powerful in Egypt.

02 What should I already know?

Before starting this topic, you should know the basic story of Creation from Genesis, including God's role as Creator.

You should understand that humans are made in God's image and know about the importance of treating others with kindness and respect, as taught in previous RE lessons.

03 Prayer

Doxology

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be world without end.
Amen.

04 Key Vocabulary



Covenant: A special promise or agreement with God.

Abraham: A man who made special promises with God.

Sarah: Abraham's wife, who had a son named Isaac.

Isaac: The son of Abraham and Sarah

Joseph: A man who was sold as a slave, became powerful in Egypt, and saved his family.

Forgiveness: Letting go of anger and being kind to someone who hurt you.

Virtue: A good habit that helps you do the right thing.

Faith: Believing in God and trusting Him.

Hope: Looking forward to good things with trust in God.

Love: Caring deeply for others and showing kindness.

05 Scripture



GENESIS 12:1-3



GENESIS 12:4-9



GENESIS 21:1-7



GENESIS 22:1-19

GENESIS 15:1-6

The BIG Question



HOW DOES ABRAHAM INSPIRE MY FAITH?

06 By the end of the topic:

You will know the story of Abraham, Sarah, and Isaac and why they are important in the Bible. You'll understand what a covenant is and why Abraham's promises to God matter. You'll also learn about Joseph, who went from being a slave to becoming powerful and helping his family. You'll discover how to think about Bible stories by asking why they were written, how they were told, and what they mean today. Finally, you'll learn about forgiveness, virtue, faith, hope, and love, and how these ideas can help you in your own life.