

St Elizabeth's Catholic Voluntary Academy

BE LIKE JESUS. BE YOUR BEST. BE SAFE. BE CARING.

People

Our Big Question
Where do I come from?



Key Knowledge

- The Church is the family of God.
- Jesus had a family with real people with names in history.
- In his Gospel, Matthew wanted his Jewish listeners to know that Jesus was a descendant of Abraham and David.
- God keeps His promises to His people.
- Abraham put his trust in God and we should do the same.
- 'Abram' means 'great father'.
- Abraham is the father of God's **chosen people**.



Key Skills



- I can **make links** between religious stories about Abraham and beliefs about trust in God, faith and promises, and Joseph and beliefs about care in the family. AT1 (i)
- I can **give some reasons** for some actions by believers, such as Ruth, who live as people chosen by God. AT1 (iii)



- I can **make some links** to show how feelings and beliefs about Jesus and his family affect my own and other's behaviour. AT2 (i)
- I can **compare** ideas about questions that are difficult to answer linked to family trees. AT2 (ii)



- I can **express a point of view** and **give a reason** for it, supporting it by **making links** to a different source. AT3

Prior Knowledge and Skills

- I have accurately retold religious stories and about religious events and people, including what life was like for Jesus growing up. In Year 1, I learnt about God's promise to Abraham.
- I have described and given many examples of how Christians live their life because of what they believe and given some reasons for these actions.
- I have shared with and questioned others about the things that have happened to me and how I have felt. I have explained how behaviour is influenced by beliefs.
- I have been able to ask somebody why they are wondering about something and say what I wonder about God and Jesus.
- I have been able to express a point of view and give reasons for it, make a link to a source that supports a point of view and begin to express a preference.

Key Vocabulary and Definitions

chosen people	The Jewish people are considered as having been selected by God for a special relationship with Him.
siblings	Sisters and/or brothers
relations	The people in our family
ancestors	A person in our family from several generations ago.
generations	People born and living at about the same time.
Old Testament	The first part of the Bible about the time before Jesus.
family tree	A diagram showing the relationship between people in different generations.
genealogy	A line of family members traced continuously from an ancestor.
nomad	A member of a people that travel from place to place with no permanent home.

Scripture

Matthew 1: 1-17 – *Jesus' Family Tree*
 Matthew 2: 13-15, 19-23 – *Joseph's Dream*
 Genesis 12: 1-8 – *Abraham*
 Genesis 21: 1-7 – *The Promise Son: Isaac*
 Genesis 25: 20-27 – *Esau and Jacob*
 Genesis 35: 9-15, 23-26 – *The Children of Israel*
 Genesis 37: 3, 4, 12, 13, 18-28, 31-33 – *Joseph*
 Ruth 1: 2-7, 16, 17 – *The Story of Ruth*
 1 Kings 1, 2, 4 – *David and Solomon*



Other Sources

Hymns

- Family of God
- Trust in the Lord
- Abba Father, You are the Potter

Paintings

Images of St Joseph with a lily to represent his holiness.

We are in Ordinary Time

The colour for Ordinary Time is green. It is a time when we continue to grow in God's love. Through the Gospels, we are journeying with Jesus on his mission.

