# Children's Newsletter



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Happy New Year everyone. I hope that you had a lovely Christmas break and had a very special time spent with family, if you were able to and are ready to return to school. Wednesday 6th starts the season of Epiphany, and this day is also sometimes known also as Three Kings Day. It is a special date in the Christmas story, as it's when people celebrate how a star led the Magi also known as the Three kings or the Wise Men - to visit the baby Jesus after he had been born. So our theme for this week's newsletter is all about these very special people. Have a great first week back.

God Bless.

Lisa.

### Joke Book

Where would you find an elephant?

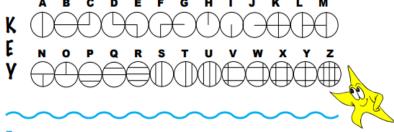
The same place you lost her! How do you make an octopus laugh?

With ten-tickles!

# The Wise Men

The wise men's journey Matthew 3:7-11 (ASV)

Use the key to complete the verses below about the three wise men.



7. Then Herod privily called the Wise-men, and learned of them exactly what time the

appeared. 8. And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search out

exactly concerning the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word, that I also may

stood over where the young child was. 10. And when they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceed-

. 11. And they came into the house and saw the young child with  $\Theta\Phi\Phi$ 

Mary his mother; and they fell down and worshipped him; and opening their treasures they offered

a dream that they should not return to Herod, they departed into their own

country another way.

# Question of the week!

If you could put 3 items in a box that would be found 200 years from now, what would you put in it?

# **Prayer Corner**

Dear God

Thank you for all the exciting things this New Year will bring,

Thank you that you give me a fresh start everyday,

I know you are beside me to encourage me.

Help me to encourage others.

Amen

## Window Star

### You will need

8 x 3" square sheets of coloured tissue paper Glue



- Fold each square in half to make a triangle. then fold in the sides to the centre line to form a diamond shape.
- 2. Overlap half of the top of the kite shapes together, up to the central fold and glue in place (see picture).
- 3. Continue until all 8 triangles have been glued to form a star shape.
- Attach the star to your window or hang up using string, allowing light to shine through them.



# Biblewise Wise Men – Find the Difference

Compare the two pictures of the wise men visiting Jesus and circle the differences.

