

## Key Vocabulary

Sign of the Cross  
belong  
belonging  
friends  
sacrament  
invitation  
Welcome  
Baptism  
Godparents  
Font  
sign

## Belonging

### Baptism / Confirmation

Baptism enables people to belong to God's family in a special way. Christians believe that everyone is invited to share in the life and work of God through Baptism.

Know and understand:

- **Explore** — About belonging to different groups
- **Reveal**— That Baptism is an invitation to belong to God's family
- **Respond** - Wonder about our world; God gave us this wonderful world.

# Belonging



Our Big Question:  
What does it mean  
to belong?

## Questions for meaning and purpose:

How can I belong to  
God?

What does it feel like to  
belong?

How can we help others  
to feel they belong?

### What I will learn

**Talk** about their experience and feelings about belonging to different groups.

**Wonder** about belonging and what that means.

**Recognise** and use some religious words and phrases used in Baptism, such as 'I baptise you in the name of the Father...'

**Recognise** that Baptism is the beginning of life in the Church family.

**Ask** and **respond** to questions about their own and others experiences of belonging to different groups.

**Ask** questions about what they and others wonder about Baptism and becoming a Christian and realise some of these are difficult to answer.

**Use** religious words and phrases to begin to describe some actions and symbols used in a Baptism ritual such as pouring of water, anointing with oil, lighting the baptismal candle etc.

