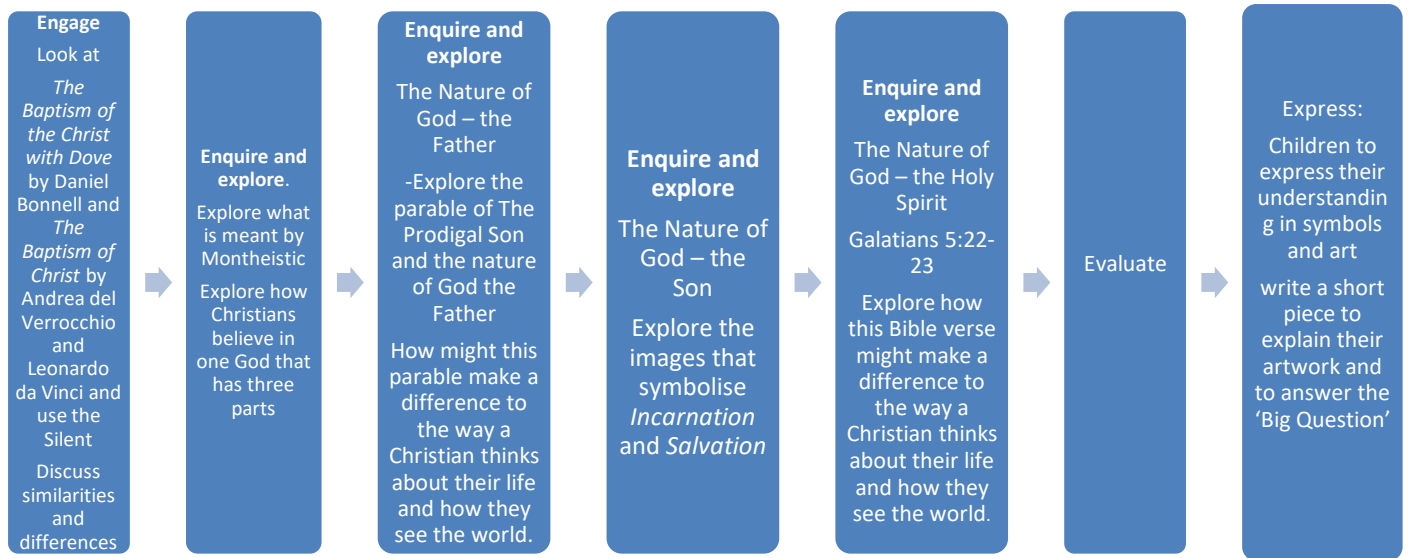


Year 3 RE – Enquiry 2 – Theology

What is the Trinity?

This unit focuses on what Christians understand as The Trinity. Children will explore God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit.



Core learning – what we need to know	
Knowledge – Children understand that....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ God: Christian belief in one God, who is described as Trinity (Father, Son, Holy Spirit). ✓ Jesus: As God incarnate, also known as the Son of God. ✓ Incarnation: Jesus as one of the three persons of the Trinity. ✓ Holy Spirit: God as spiritually active in the world.
Outcomes – children will be able to ...	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Show awareness of the Biblical origins of Christian teachings of the Trinity. ✓ Identify different types/genres of writing within the Bible. ✓ Give examples of how Christians might express their beliefs about the Trinity (e.g. in art or literature). ✓ Identify how Christian baptism uses and expresses the doctrine of Trinity. ✓ Recognise ways in which belief in the Trinity might make a difference to the way a Christian thinks about their life and how they see the world. ✓
Key vocabulary	Baptism Father Son Holy Spirit Gospel Incarnation Salvation Trinity Monotheistic God Symbol
Previous Knowledge - New learning. In Year 2, as part of philosophy, children learnt: The Christian belief that God became human in Jesus. The Nativity narratives are in the books of Luke and Matthew in the Bible. How incarnation and salvation relate to one another for Christians. Jesus is an important and historical figure to Christians. Christians use the nativity story to influence their actions at Christmas, e.g., thankfulness and giving.	