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Epiphany - Foundation Phase

You may have learnt about the Three Kings during our Taith Adfent project? Epiphany is a Christian festival, which starts on 6th January. It is a special date in the Christmas story as it's when people celebrate how a star led the Three Kings to baby Jesus after he had been born.

**The Kings made a difficult journey of their own.
Can you remember how they made their journey?**

What gifts did they give to the baby?

I wonder why they choose these gifts?

How do you think they felt when they reached the stable?

Do you think they found what they had expected to find?

Which of the three gifts do you like the best and why?





Star Gazers

The Wise men used the star of Bethlehem as their guide. It must have been very bright!

Can you try some star gazing? Wait until it gets dark, wrap up warm and take a look at the sky. How many beautiful stars can you see? Can you spot the brightest one?

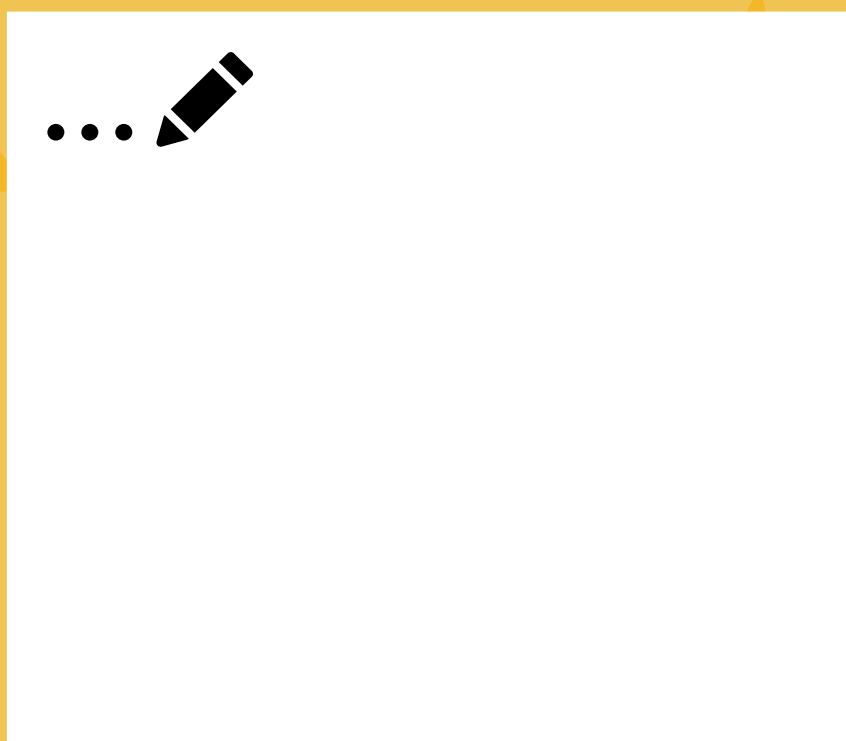
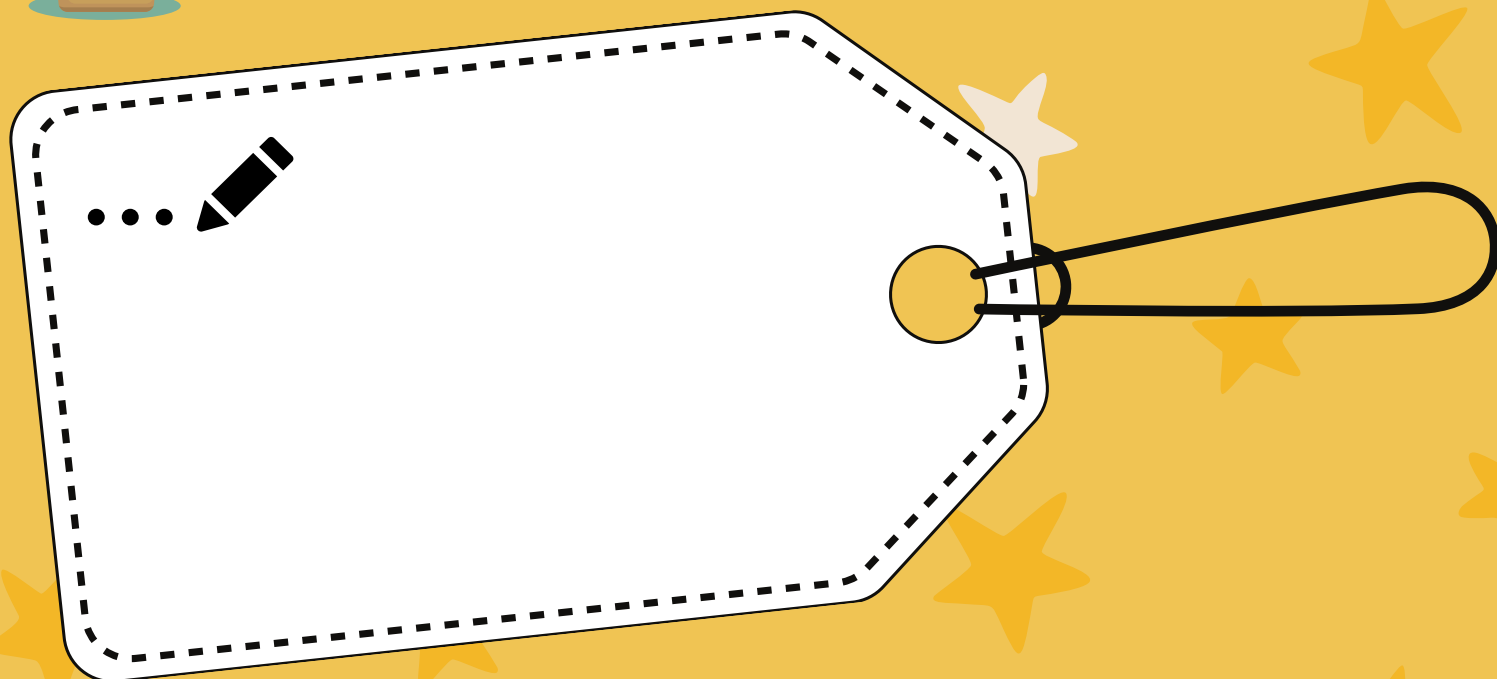
Have a look on a different night. Do the stars look the same or different?

Design your own star

Use whatever materials you can find to make a star to guide the wise men. You could use pens, lego, tissue paper, scrap paper, playdough, sticks, straws or anything else you can find that would make a good star shape! You might like to take a photographs of your star to show your teacher.



Something to record.....
The Kings brought gifts for the baby Jesus. What message do you think they would have written for him?



Imagine you were able to give Jesus a gift. What would you give him and why?



Make your own Three Kings picture



1. Make three upside down handprints. You could use paint or draw around your hand and colour it in.

2. Cut out the Kings below (or design your own) and stick them to the top of your hands.

3. Use a felt pen or pencil to draw a head on your camel.

4. Find something sparkly to use to make a star to guide the Kings.

