RE – People of God – Year 6 – Autumn 1

Vocabulary Top Ten:

Commandments	rules, often from a higher authority like God, that tell people how to behave
Exodus	a departure or emigration, usually of a large number of people
Israelites	a nation of people who lived in the land known as Canaan, which included the area of the modern-day state of Israel
Justice	A fair behaviour or treatment of someone or a group of people
Mount Sinai	The sacred mountain where Moses is said to have received the ten commandments from God
Pharaoh	The leaders of the land of Egypt. A pharaoh was often thought of as one of the gods.
Plagues	The ten terrible acts that were sent by God to convince the pharaoh to Egypt to let his slaves go free.
Promised land	the land which God promised to the Israelites where Moses leads the slaves too when they were freed from Egypt.
Prophet	someone who speaks on behalf of God, delivering divine messages to the people
Task master	Egyptian officials appointed by Pharaoh to oversee and oppress the Israelite slaves

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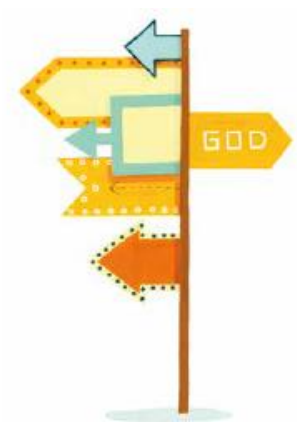



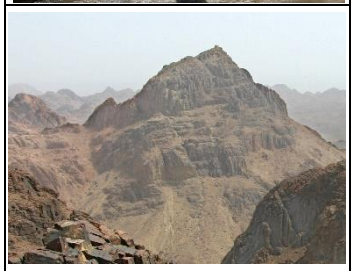



Moses and the Exodus



1. Moses is saved as a baby, placed in a basket on the River Nile.
2. The Pharoah's daughter discovers the basket and decides to adopt him.
3. Moses is raised as a prince in the Pharaoh's household
4. After killing an Egyptian task master, Moses escapes Egypt and lives in Midian for 40 years tending sheep.
5. Moses encounters a burning bush. From the bush, God speaks to Moses, commanding him to lead the Israelites out of Egypt.
6. Moses returns to Egypt and tells the Pharoah to let his people go free.
7. Moses leads the Israelites out of Egypt after a series of plagues.
8. The Israelites find themselves trapped with the Red Sea in front of them and the pursuing Egyptian army behind. Moses parts the sea creating a path for them.
9. The Israelites then wander in the desert.
10. At Mount Sinai, Moses receives the Ten Commandments from God.
11. Israelites eventually enter and settle in the Promised Land

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