

## THE BIG QUESTION

What is the greatest gift?

### KEY VOCABULARY

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| <b>Festival</b>     | <b>A ceremony or celebration that repeats, often once a year, and involves special activities or amusements.</b>                                                       |
| <b>Gold</b>         | <b>A soft, heavy, yellow metal that is one of the chemical elements. It is often combined with other metals to make it harder and stronger. Gold is very valuable.</b> |
| <b>Frankincense</b> | <b>A sweet-smelling gum resin obtained from various Asian and African trees and used mainly in incense.</b>                                                            |
| <b>Myrrh</b>        | <b>A sweet-smelling gum exuded by several related trees and shrubs native to India, Arabia, and East Africa, and used in perfume and incense.</b>                      |
| <b>Devotion</b>     | <b>Strong affection or loyalty.</b>                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Faith</b>        | <b>Any particular religion and its teachings.</b>                                                                                                                      |
| <b>Worship</b>      | <b>Love and devotion shown to a being or an object considered sacred.</b>                                                                                              |

## CHRISTMAS – YEAR 5

### STICKY KNOWLEDGE– EPIPHANY

Epiphany - also known as Three Kings' Day - is a Christian festival, which starts on 6 January. Epiphany marks the wise men bringing gifts of gold, Frankincense and Myrrh to baby Jesus.

Twelfth Night is important to Christians. The Christmas decorations must come down by the time the clock strikes midnight at the end of the day.

The Sikh festival of Gurmurb Gurur Gobind Singh celebrates the birthday of Gurur Gobind Singh. He was born on January 5, 1666, and was the tenth and last Sikh Gurur.

### GOLD, FRANKINCENSE AND MYRRH



### EPIPHANY

