R.E.(Rec) – Prophecy and Promise

Key Knowledge

- Purple is the colour of Advent.
- Advent is a time to get ready for Christmas-it lasts for 4 weeks.
- The Advent wreath is a symbol of Advent.
- The Angel Gabriel told Mary that she was to have a baby. The baby was Jesus.
- Mary said yes to the angel.
- Jesus was born in Bethlehem.
- The shepherds came to visit him.
- Mary was chosen by God to have His son Jesus.
- Jesus was born in a stable and laid in a manger.
- The Nativity tells the story of Jesus' birth.
- God sent Jesus to love us all, to help others and show love to God.

"Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favour with God."

Lk 1:30



Key Vocabulary	
Advent	Four weeks of preparation before Christmas.
Angels	Heavenly people who brought special messages from God.
Annunciation	The Angel Gabriel told Mary she was going to have a baby.
Bethlehem	The place where Jesus was born.
Messiah	Another name for Jesus.
Nativity	The birth of Jesus in Bethlehem.
Shepherds	People who look after sheep in a field.
Wreath	A circle of evergreen leaves and candles used to celebrate Advent.