

**Module Three: Created to Live in Community** explores the individual's relationship with the wider world. Here we explore how human beings are relational by nature and are called to love others in the wider community through service, through dialogue and through working for the Common Good.



**Key Stage One:**

- Children understand that God is love: Father, Son and Holy Spirit;
- That being made in His image means being called to be loved and to love others;
- Learn about the various communities they belong to: home, school, parish, the wider community, the nation and the global community;
- Children will know that God calls us to live in community with one another.



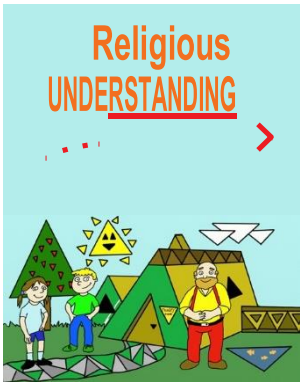
**Lower Key Stage Two:**

- Develop a deeper understanding that God is love as shown by the Trinity;
- Understand that the human family reflects the Holy Trinity in mutual charity and generosity;
- The Church family comprises of home, school and parish;
- Catholic Social Teaching on what it means to work for the Common Good.



**Upper Key Stage Two:**

- Children will:
- Know that God is Trinity – a communion of persons;
- Know that the Church is the body of Christ;
- Develop a deeper and richer understanding of Catholic social teaching;
- Learn how certain charities reach out to the wider community with love.



**Trinity House** is a story told throughout the programme from Years 1 to 6 at a growing level of complexity through each learning stage. It tells the story of the Trinity family who live in Trinity House – Abba, Adam and Amara – symbols of the creative circle of love between Father, Son and Spirit. Children will learn that just like the Trinity of God, we are made to love God and love others, and we are made to be loved by God and others. This extends not only to us, our families, our friends and our personal relationships, but also to the wider world.

# Information for PARENTS



**Online Parent Portal**  
[www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal](http://www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal)

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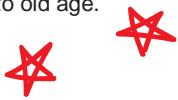
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**Module One: Created and Loved by God** explores the individual. Rooted in the teaching that we are made in the image and likeness of God, it helps children to develop an understanding of the importance of valuing themselves as the basis for personal relationships.



**Key Stage One:**

- We are uniquely made by a loving God;
- We have differences and similarities;
- Key information about staying physically healthy;
- Understanding feelings and emotions, including strong feelings such as anger;
- The cycle of life from birth to old age.



**Lower Key Stage Two:**

- Understanding differences;
- Respecting our bodies;
- Puberty and changing bodies
- Strategies to support emotional wellbeing including practicing thankfulness;
- The development of pupils' understanding of life before birth.



**Upper Key Stage Two:**

- Appreciation of physical and emotional differences;
- A more complex understanding of physical changes in girl and boys bodies;
- Body image;
- Strong emotional feelings;
- The impact of the internet and social media on emotional well-being;
- A more nuanced and scientific understanding of life in the womb and how babies are made;
- Menstruation.

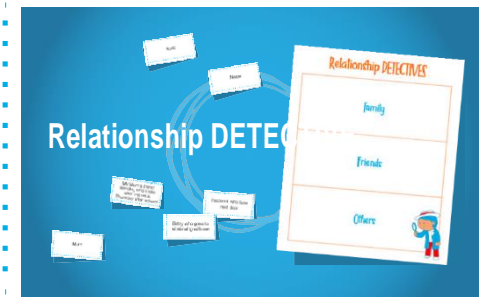
**Religious UNDERSTANDING**



**Kester's Adventures** follows the story of Kester who is in search of his Maker. When he finds his maker, Abraham, Kester develops a deep and personal relationship with him over many years. As the children grow through the learning stages, Kester's story grows in complexity as he tries to understand his place in the world when faced with more challenging life decisions. Ultimately, he is always reminded that he was created by Abraham, along with his parents, and was loved and cared for even before he was born.

Kester's Adventures is an original story by Ten Ten which is **an allegory for our relationship with God**; it communicates the key idea that we were created out of love and for love.

**Module Two: Created to Love Others** explores the individual's relationships with others. Building on the understanding that we have been created out of love and for love, this unit explores how we take this calling into our family, friendships and relationships, and teaches strategies for developing healthy relationships.



**Key Stage One: Unit 'Personal Relationships':**

- Special People in their lives who they love and can trust;
- Coping with various social situations and dilemmas;
- The importance and saying sorry and forgiveness within relationships.

**Unit 'Keeping Safe':**

- The risks of being online;
- The difference between good and bad secrets;
- Teaching on physical boundaries.

**Lower Key Stage Two: Unit 'Personal Relationships':**

- Children to develop a more complex appreciation of different family structures;
- Activities and strategies to help them develop healthy relationships with family and friends;
- Techniques for managing thoughts, feelings and actions.

**Unit 'Keeping Safe':**

- Online safety (incorporating NSPCC resources);
- Teaching on bullying and abuse through a series of animated stories.

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At the start of each learning stage, we begin with a series of story sessions based on a key Gospel story which provides the religious foundation for the teaching that will follow. For example, through an imaginative retelling of the Prodigal Son, children deepen their understanding of the concept of sin and the importance of forgiveness in relationships.