

R.E. lesson 2 KS1 – CREATION

Learning question – If God made the world, how should people give thanks?



First, watch this fun clip about growing and picking fruit with a mouse called William Whiskerson!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/geography-ks1-growing-and-picking-orchard-fruit/z6xtscw>

Christians believe that God provides everything we need to survive.

- **What do you think humans need to survive?** Please list your ideas in your book.

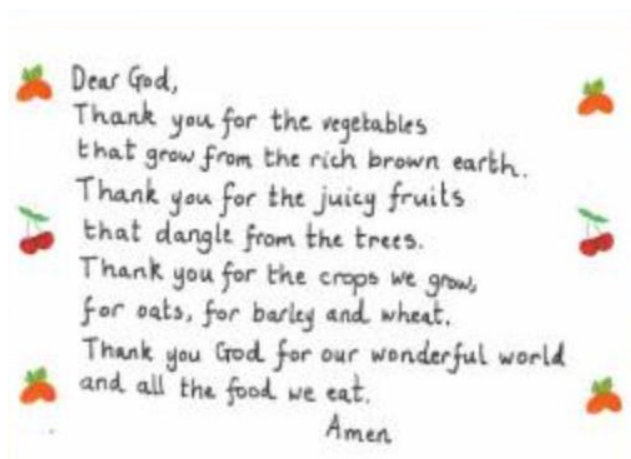
One of the things you probably wrote on your list was food!

Christians want to praise God as well as thank Him and tell Him how wonderful he is! They want to thank him for the food he helps produce by giving us sunshine, rain, seeds, plants and trees as well as humans to do the growing, picking, packaging and delivering. As well as our families who cook the food for us!

- **How do Christians remember to be thankful to God every day?**

One way some Christians do this is to say 'grace' before meals. This a short prayer said aloud to the rest of the table before eating or it could be said quietly to ourselves.

Here are some examples...



For food to eat, and those who prepare it,
For health to enjoy it, and friends to share it,
We thank you, Lord.

Activity

Please write your own grace prayer – when you have finished, send a photo of your prayer to your teacher - we would love to read them – you can decorate/colour them however you wish 😊