

THE CHRISTMAS STAR



GET CREATIVE



20 MINUTES



PREPARATION
NEEDED



GETTING INTO THE ACTIVITY

Create an interactive piece of art, showing the Christmas star travelling across the sky to rest above the manger.

Print out the 'Christmas Star' template. If possible, do this on card to help make the craft as strong as possible. An adult should cut along the grey line above the manger, to create a slit in the card. If you don't have a printer, draw the nativity to re-create the template.

Colour in the nativity scene, making sure to colour all the characters, the stable and also the sky. You'll also need to cut out and colour one of the stars too. Use sellotape to stick the star to the end of the wooden skewer / lolly stick. Once finished, carefully push the star through the slit in the card/paper. You will now be able to re-enact the Christmas star making its way across the night sky until it rested above the manger, showing the world where the baby Jesus lay.

Take it Further: Watch 'The Christian Story of the First Christmas' on YouTube (<https://youtu.be/FrTFAZPQxpE>) to learn about the Nativity story and how the star guided the wise men to the baby Jesus.



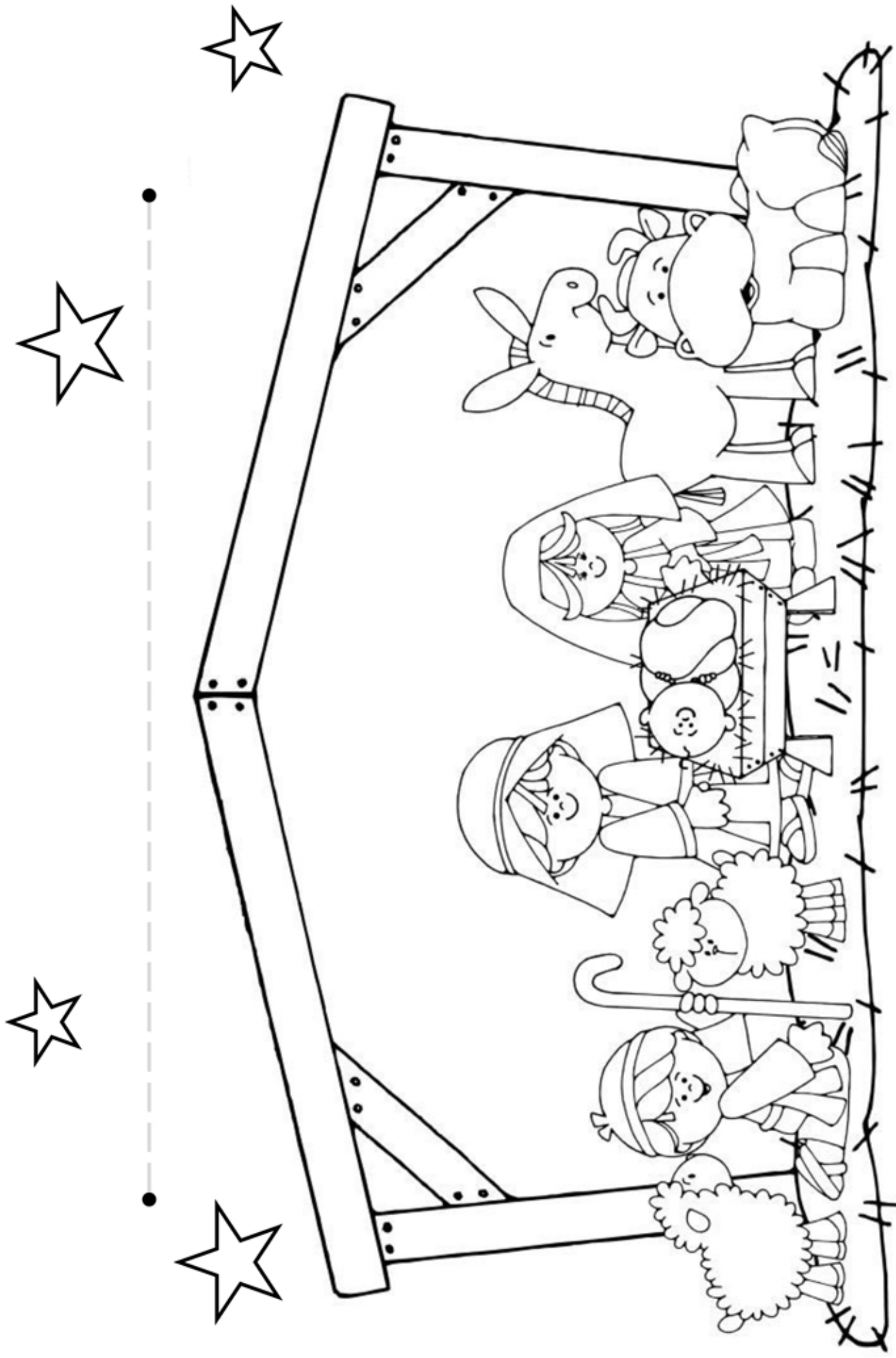
WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Card / Paper
- The Christmas Star Template
- Colouring Pens
- Scissors
- Sellotape
- Wooden Skewer / Lolly Stick



NOTES FOR PARENTS & CARERS

All activity should be supervised by an adult. Please take care when using scissors. Share a picture of the star art with your BB group or post on social media using #BBatHOME.



"This will be a sign to you: You will find a baby wrapped in cloths
and lying in a manger." Luke 2:12

