Name

A Modern Christmas Story Planning Sheet

Date

How would the Christmas story change if it happened today? Write and draw your ideas here:

In the Bible	Purpose	Today
Settings		Settings
Bethlehem	A place they had to go to in order to pay their taxes	
	A nice place to sleep in	
Stable	A messy smelly place – not meant for people stay in	
Characters		Characters
Angel	Someone who gives an important message or news	
Shepherds	People who were ignored and thought to be unimportant	
Wise Men	Really clever people	



In the Bible	Purpose	Today
Props		Props
Star Star Star Star Star Star Star Star	A bright light that everyone can see	
Donkey	A popular way of travelling	
A Manger	A dirty place where you would not put a baby	
Gifts – gold, frankincense and myrrh	Really expensive gifts that you could give to a king	
Camels	A way of travelling from far away	

