

Baubles



- Baubles are an echo of Roman times when people hung fruit on trees during festivals. In nineteenth century Germany, glassblowers started to make decorated baubles as Christmas ornaments.
- ‘Bauble’ also has the meaning of something that is superficially pretty, but has no real substance.
- Would you rather be a glittering bauble or the branch that supports it? (Or something else?!)
- Is your Christmas all about the baubles, or does it go deeper than that? How could you connect with something more meaningful this Christmas?

‘The happiest moments in our life aren’t ‘Oh, I got a new hat or a wonderful silvery object, some glistening bauble.’ But it’s when you connect with another human being.’ Russell Brand