



## **Candy Canes**

**They were first introduced in 1567.**

**They can be used as eating sweets.**

**They can be used for decorating the Christmas Tree.**

**They appear on the Christmas Tree with other foods such as chocolate and caramel.**

**The shape of a candy cane is like a shepherd's crook and if you turn it upside down, it will look like a 'J'.**

**The red is for the blood shed by Jesus on the cross and the white is for Jesus' purity.**