

Y3 Judaism



End Points:

Understand the importance of cultural and historical tradition to Jews and how this is reflected in a variety of festivals

Explore Jewish beliefs about worship, prayer, God and human life and compare to other religions.

Find out about the meanings of symbols, words and actions used in prayer and worship in Judaism and other religions.

Prior Learning

Future Learning



Y1 Celebrations and festivals: who celebrates what and why?

Y2 Symbols: in what way are churches, mosques, synagogues important to believers?

Y4 Faith—what makes a good faith leader?

Key Vocabulary

Word

Definition

Torah

The holy book of Judaism read from right to left in a scroll.

Rabbi

The religious leader in the synagogue

Synagogue

The Jewish building where they worship.

Tallit

A fringed prayer shawl.

Kippah

A head covering worn by men during prayer.

Menorah

A sacred candelabrum with 8 branches used at Hanukkah.

Passover

A significant Jewish festival.

Hanukkah

A significant Jewish festival.

Kosher

The name given to food prepared in a particular way.



How you can help at home:

Talk to your children about their own beliefs and compare and contrast them with the Jewish faith.