



RE- HOW DO FESTIVALS AND FAMILY LIFE SHOW WHAT MATTERS TO JEWS? [GOD, TORAH, THE PEOPLE]



RECAP

Christianity: Pentecost- beginning of Christianity, Creation story, Trinity.

Islam: How do festivals and worship show what matters to Muslims?

CRUCIAL KNOWLEDGE

The Jewish place of worship is called a Synagogue.

The Torah is the Jewish Holy Book, written in Ancient Hebrew.

Jews believe in one God. They also try to live by the Ten Commandments. Jews believe God gave the Ten Commandments to Moses. They include using God's name with respect, remembering the Sabbath, respecting your parents and not lying or stealing.

The Star of David is the symbol of the Jewish community. A kippah is a special cap worn by Jewish men and boys to show respect to God.

Rosh Hashanah means 'head of the year'. It's an important festival that celebrates Jewish New Year. Rosh Hashanah takes place on the 18th of September. The festival lasts for two days. It's a celebration of the creation of the world.

Passover is a celebration of the story of Exodus. During Passover, Jews remember how their ancestors left slavery behind them when they were led out of Egypt by Moses. Passover is celebrated with a series of rituals. Each ritual symbolises a different part of the story

EXTENDED KNOWLEDGE

Reflection during discussion and contribution. linking ideas across religions already studied.

KEY VOCABULARY

Ten Commandments	Ten important life rules for Jews given to Moses by God.
the Sabbath	The holy day for Jews.
pilgrimage	A special religious journey.
synagogue	Place of worship for Jewish people.
rabbi	Jewish religious leader and teacher.

Ark	The place where the Torah is kept in a synagogue .
Torah	The Jewish holy book.
Hebrew	A language used by Jewish people.