



Year 2 Religious Education



What makes some places sacred?

Prior Learning

- Who is a Christian/Muslim/Sikh and what do they believe? (Year 1 and 2).



Sticky Knowledge

- Understand that we all have special places where we like to visit.
- Identify special objects and symbols found in places of worship and say what they mean and how they are used. For example, a cross is seen in a church and it symbolises when Jesus died on the cross. The Khanda is a symbol that is important to Sikhs and it represents the belief in one God and that people should stand up for what is right.
- Talk about ways in which stories, objects and symbols are used in Churches, Gurdwaras and Mosques.



Vocabulary

Church	Christians place of worship.
Gurdwara	Sikhs place of worship.
Mosque	Muslims place of worship.
Bible	Christians holy book.
Guru Granth Sahib	Sikhs holy book.
Qur'an	Muslims holy book.
Cross	Symbolises when Jesus died.
Lectern	Where the Bible is placed in a Church.
Altar	A table in a Church.
Font	Where baptisms are performed.
Khanda	A Sikh symbol that represents the belief in one God and standing up for what is right.
Nishan Sahib	A Sikh flag with the symbol of the Khanda.
Minaret	A place in the Mosque where the call to prayer is made.
Minbar	A platform in a Mosque where the priest speaks from.
Wudu	The act of washing before Muslims worship.