

Unit CL2.6 How do Jews use stories to remember God's covenant?



Prior learning – Key Stage One

What it means to belong to a community of belief.
Making good choices – the ten commandments.
How Jews pray at home and in the synagogue.
The Festival of Sukkot.
The Torah and some of its messages and morals.
The story of Moses.

Key Questions

What is a promise and why are they important?
What is a covenant?
Who was Abraham and why is he important to Jewish people today?
Why is Moses important to Jewish people today and what do they learn from him?
Why is Pesach important and how and why is it celebrated today?
What is Shabbat and why is it a special time for Jewish people?

Transferable Question

How have practices changed or stayed the same over time?

Key Learning

What it is like to be Jewish and Jewish beliefs about God.
Abraham is the founding father of the Jewish people.
God made special promises to His people.
Moses is a key leader in the Jewish tradition.
The Torah is the Jewish sacred text.
Jewish people celebrate the festival of Pesach and the weekly Shabbat, illustrating how Jewish people try to live.

Key vocabulary

Moses, Abraham, Exodus, Hebrew, Covenant, Torah, Ark, Sabbath/Shabbat, Passover/Pesach, Mezuzah, kosher, Seder, matzah, prayer, belief, worship.

