

Unit CU2.6 What do Christians believe about the old and new covenants?



Prior learning – Lower Key Stage Two

How Jews use stories to remember God's covenant.

What is a promise and how is this connected to covenant?

Who were Abraham and Moses and why they are important today?

Why Pesach (Passover) is important and what happened at the first Pesach.

How and why Jews celebrate Pesach today.

Key Questions

What do we understand about the word 'covenant'?

Why is Abraham important to Christians?

What do Jews and Muslims believe about Abraham?

What do we know about Moses and why is he important to Christians and Jews?

Why is King David important to Jews and Christians?

What do the stories of Jesus' birth tell us about Christian beliefs?

What titles was Jesus given and what did He use about himself?

Transferable Question

How do humans relate to God?

Key Learning

- Define the word 'covenant' and give an example.
- Summarise narratives about Abraham, Moses, the Ten Commandments, the Kingdom (including David) and Jesus, making connections between stories and the idea of a covenant between God and the people.
- Compare and contrast aspects of Christianity, Judaism and Islam, especially in relation to Abraham and Jesus.
- Identify and compare the different titles used by and of Jesus.

Key vocabulary

Old Testament, New Testament, Incarnation, Salvation, Gospels, Messiah, Trinity, Son of Man, Son of God Eternal, Covenant, The Ten Commandments.

