

The Flourish Federation—Knowledge Organiser

Brookfield Infant and Junior Schools



Focus: RE

What makes some places sacred?

Year 1

Term 5/6

What? (Key Knowledge)

There are special places where people go to worship.
Christians visit a church to worship
Jewish people visit a synagogue to worship
Muslims visit a mosque to worship
I can identify at least 3 objects used in worship in 2 religions.
I can talk about some features in different sacred places
Talk about ways in which stories, objects, symbols and actions are used in churches, mosques and synagogues.

Possible Writing Links

Labelling religious places/items
Writing thankyou letters to places visited
Writing hymns

Experiences/Wow Moments

Church visit
Experiencing real life objects
Family Trust Assembly
Role play religious worship

ICT Opportunities

Watch online videos



What? (Key Vocabulary)

Spelling	Definition
Sacred	Something that is devoted to a religion or is worthy of awe.
Holy	Something that is devoted to a religion or is worthy of awe.
Respect	Admiration of someone or something/ regarding the feelings, wishes or rights.
Christianity	A religion that Christians follow
Church	A Christian place of worship
Altar	A table or flat-topped block used as the focus for a religious ritual
Crucifix	A cross with a figure of Christ on it
Font	A receptacle in a church for the water used in baptism
Lectern	A stand with a sloping top to hold a book or notes, from which a preacher can read.
Hymn	A religious song or poem of praise.
Judaism	A religion that Jewish people follow
Synagogue	A Jewish place of worship.
Torah	The Jewish bible—the five books of Moses
Tzitzit	The tassels worn on traditional or ceremonial garments by Jewish people.
Kippah	A skullcap worn by Jewish people.
Islam	A religion that Muslims follow.
Mosque	A Muslim place of worship.
Wudu	A ritual washing to be performed in preparation for prayer and worship.
Prayer Mat	A small carpet used by Muslims for kneeling on when praying.
Prayer Beads	A string of beads used when praying.

Who? (Key People)

Christian	A person that follows the religion of Christianity
Jesus	Son of God
Vicar	A representative of the church
Jewish person	A person that follows the Jewish religion
Rabbi	An ordained religious teacher
Muslim	A person who follows the religion of Islam.
Allah	God in Islam

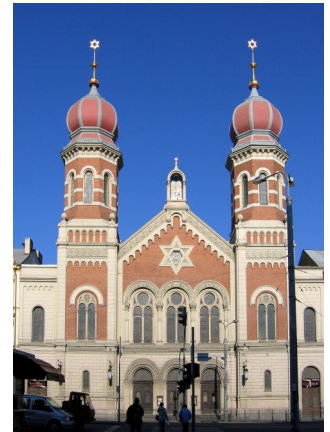
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Christian Church



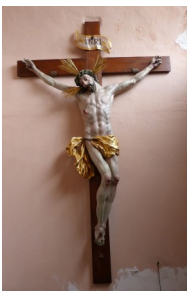
Mosque



Synagogue



Altar



Crucifix



Font



Prayer Mat



Torah



Prayer Beads



Kippah