

Sticky Knowledge – What I already know

Who is Jewish and how do they live - unit 9

I know how and why Jewish people celebrate Shabbat

I know you will find a star of David in a synagogue

I know a synagogue is a Jewish place of worship

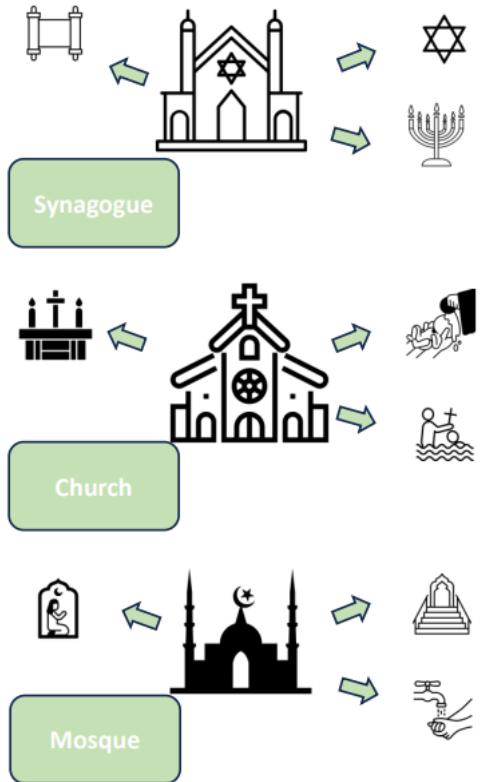


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Key Knowledge – What I will know at the end of the unit

- Places of worship are important to many religious people. The main purpose of a place of worship is to allow the community to come together and to worship together. A place of worship a sacred space for religious people as it is dedicated to worshipping God.
- A church is a holy building for Christians where they come together to worship God and also to celebrate key events in the lives of the people who worship there.
- Jewish people will come together to worship God in a synagogue which means meeting place. Many Jewish people will gather together at the synagogue on Shabbat as this is the seventh day of the Jewish week and a day of rest.
- The mosque is an important place of worship for the Muslim community, it allows them to come together for salah every day and for Friday Prayers so that Muslims can worship Allah as one. Many places of worship also hold community events that also help people become part of their religious community. Many events related to special times in the life of a religious person are often held in a place of worship, these can include joining a religion, getting married or when a person dies.

So how does it all work?



Key Vocabulary	Definition
Worship	Showing love and respect to God through prayer, songs, or actions.
Jewish	People who follow Judaism and believe in one God.
Holy.	Something very special because it is close to God.
Christian	A person who follows Jesus and believes in God.
Muslim	A person who follows Islam and believes in one God, Allah.
Community	A group of people who live, work, or help each other.
Mosque	A place where Muslims go to pray
Sacred	Something very special and treated with great respect because it is connected to God.
Church	A place where Christians go to pray and worship God.
Synagogue	A place where Jewish people go to pray and learn about God
Place of Worship	A special place where people go to pray and connect with God.
Shabbat	The Jewish day of rest, usually starting Friday evening and ending Saturday evening.

