

## Brentside Knowledge Organiser - RE

Year 4

Topic: What do Jewish people believe about God?

National curriculum: Exploring and understanding the major religions of the world.

### What I should already know:

Children will have explored many of the festivals, holy days and celebrations that take place in Judaism. Children will have also discussed what it means to be a member of the Jewish community.

### What I should know at the end of the topic:

Synagogue	What does worship look like within the religion both at home and in the synagogue.
Rabbi	What is the role Rabbis play in the Jewish community?
G-d	Why do some Jews choose to write God as 'G-d' and do not speak directly about God?
	What can be learned about God from the lives of the Patriarchs (Abraham, Isaac and Jacob)?
	What is the source of Jewish beliefs about God?
Prayer	How do Jewish people pray and worship God? The key objects are kippot, tallitot, tefillin, a mezuzah and the Shema.

### Key understanding/ Learning opportunities-

We understand and respect the significance of worship  
Research how Jewish pray and the importance of the key objects  
Research the significance of Rabbis within the Jewish community.  
Explore why certain branches of Judaism write God as G-d.

### Maps/Diagrams



### Vocabulary

Synagogue	A Jewish place of worship
Tallit	A prayer shawl worn while reciting morning prayers (called Shacharit) as well as in the synagogue on Sabbath and holidays
El Shaddai	one of the names of the God of Israel—it translates in English to God Almighty.
Rabbi	Rabbi means 'my teacher'. The primary role of a <b>rabbi</b> is to teach Torah. In addition, <b>rabbis</b> often act as the religious leader of a Jewish community.
To'rah	In Hebrew the word <b>Torah</b> means "to teach" or "to show the way." It is a holy text of Judaism, the Torah is made up of the first five books of the Hebrew Bible
Kippah	Also known as a yarmulke or skullcap, a kippah is a headcov-