

Y1 RE Knowledge organiser – UNIT 1

My Key Learning

UNIT 1.10 What does it mean to belong to a faith community?



What do I already know?

Birthdays are special days.
 The way people treat each other can make them feel special.
 People in all faiths have ways of welcoming people into the faith.

Christianity is a faith.

Other faiths include:

Judaism,
 Islam
 Hinduism



CHRISTIANITY

JUDAISM
STAR OF DAVID

HINDUISM
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CRESCENT AND STAR

Ways that faiths show belonging:

Christians wear crosses to show that they have faith. Some wear badges and bracelets.



Some Jewish people wear the Star of David, the *kippah* (cap for men) and may have a prayer shawl.

Other symbols include the *Menorah* and the *Mezuzah*.



Symbols which are special to Muslims include a *taqiyah* cap, *ka'aba* and calligraphy (writing).



Loving each other is part of all communities:

People show love and care in different ways. Jewish and Christian teachings follow the same commandment.

וְאָהַבְתָּ לְרֵעֶךָ כָּמוֹךָ.
 Ve'ahav'ta lere'acha ka'mocha.
 Love thy neighbor as you love thy self.

Muslims are taught the same.

لَا يُؤْمِنُ أَحَدُكُمْ حَتَّى يُحِبَّ
 لِأَخِيهِ مَا يُحِبُّ لِنَفْسِهِ
**None of you truly believes
 until he loves for his brother
 what he loves for himself**
 [Sahih Bukhari, Volume 1, Book 2, Number 15]

Symbols in weddings:

People make promises in weddings whether they have a faith or not.



Key Vocabulary	Definition
Baptism	Christian ceremony for welcoming into the Christian church
belonging	being in a group with others who make us feel comfortable
community	a group of people with the same likes and dislikes
contract	an agreement that is made
prayers	a way of speaking to one's god
promises	saying that something will definitely happen
valuable	something that is worth a lot
welcoming	a way to show kind and friendly greetings

