

## LKS2 R.E. Unit L2.10 How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jews?

### Vocabulary

<b>Rosh Hashanah</b>	Jewish New Year
<b>Yom Kippur</b>	The Day of Atonement
<b>Torah</b>	The Jewish Holy book
<b>Pesach/Passover</b>	The Day when God took the Jews out of Egypt
<b>Exodus</b>	The departure of a large number of people at the same time

### By the end of this Unit I .....

- Will know what Judaism is and what festivals they celebrate
- Will explore what Rosh Hashanah is and how Jews make a fresh start each year
- Explore the values of being sorry and how Jewish people make resolutions to improve
- Will explore the epic story of the Exodus
- Will reflect upon the ten commandments
- Will understand how Jewish family life encourages reflection upon our own

### Information that will help me

### What I have already learned about Judaism

- Understand that some people have festivals to celebrate their faith.
- Judaism is a religion followed by Jews.
- The Ten Commandments are rules written by God.
- That Jewish people believe in God.
- That Jewish people worship at a synagogue and read from the Torah.

### SMSC Links

**Spiritual** - discuss how we grow spiritually when we are able to ask for forgiveness and give it in return.

**Moral** – reflect on if we should follow rules to lead a good life.

**Social** – reflect on the importance of spending time celebrating and spending quality time with family.

**Cultural** - Discuss slavery and the importance of freedom.



### FESTIVALS

**Hanukkah** – The Festival of Lights which is a week-long celebration. It marks the date when the Maccabees recaptured the Holy Temple in Jerusalem and re-directed it to Jewish worship.

**Rosh Hashanah** – Jewish New Year. It is a 10 day festival which ends with Yom Kippur, the holiest day of the year.

**Passover** – when Jews remember how God rescued them from slavery.

### Artefacts and Symbols

