

Year 5
Spring

Knowledge Organiser: Religious Education



Big Question:

If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship?

Strand: Expressing

By the end of this unit you will:

Find out some of the key features of different places of worship

Recognise and know a Christian place of worship

Recognise and know a Hindu place of worship

Recognise and know a Jewish place of worship

Recognise the significance a place of worship has to believers

Key Vocabulary:

Mandir	a Hindu temple
Synagogue	the building where a Jewish assembly or congregation meets for religious worship and instruction
Pilgrimage	a journey, especially a long one, made to some sacred place as an act of religious devotion
Kumbh mela	a major pilgrimage and festival in Hinduism
Mezuzah	small folded or rolled parchment with scriptural verses to remind Jews of their obligations toward God.
Kiddush cup	A cup or goblet which has a blessing recited over grape juice or wine during Shabbath
Kosher	Food, or premises in which food is sold, cooked, or eaten satisfy the requirements of Jewish law

