

What does it mean to belong to a faith?

What you've learnt already

What it means to be special

That there are special places linked to religions

Some special stories linked to religions





Choices

How should you treat others?

What groups would you like to be a part of?

How do you show that you belong to your religious group?

Key Vocabulary

Community	A group of people living/working in the same place or having a particular characteristic/interest in common.	
Belonging	Gaining acceptance, attention, and support from members of the group as well as providing the same attention to other members.	
Identity	The fact of being who or what a person or thing is.	
Faith	Strong belief in the doctrines of a religion, based on spiritual conviction rather than proof.	

Artefacts and Symbols



Baptism candle



Cross



Menorah



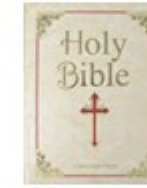
Prayer Mat



Dove



Mezuzah



Bible



Qur'an

Similarities to other religions

- How people express they're in a community.
- Key message to love one another.
- Welcome ceremonies.

Key Knowledge

- Make sense of beliefs: • Recognise that loving others is important in lots of communities. • Say simply what Jesus and one other religious leader taught about loving other people.
- Understand what a community is, and recognise why it is a good thing.
- What it is to belong to a community, and how people express this.
- The key message in communities (especially religious ones) to love one another.
- What happens at various welcome ceremonies.

Lesson Sequence

L1	WALA: belonging.
L2	WALA: how different religions show they belong.
L3	WALT: understand that everyone is valuable.
L4	WALT: compare how Christians and Muslims welcome a baby.
L5	WALT: understand how people belong to each other.
L6	WALT: understand the importance of belonging to a community.

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Name some symbols of the Christian faith.	What is a Christian welcome ceremony called?	What communities might children belong to?
What did Jesus teach us about loving one another?	How can we show that we are a good friend?	How do Christians/Muslims welcome a new baby?
What is a community?	How do people show that they belong to a faith community?	Name some of the things Muslims do when they pray.

One Point	Two Points	Three Points	Four Points
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