Key Vocabulary and Definitions:

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| **Bar/Bat Mitzvah** | the coming of age ceremony |
| **Mitvoth** | good deeds |
| **Tu B’Shevat** | tree planting ceremony |
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What should I already know?

* Say how it feels to say sorry and what I have said sorry for.
* Tell you something that either Rosh Hashanah or Yom Kippur is about.
* Choose a picture and give my thinking on why this might be important to Jewish children at Rosh Hashanah or Yom Kippur

RE Skills:

* Talk about why I do as some people ask but not others.
* Talk about the Seder meal, or another Jewish practice, with some detail and some of the correct vocabulary, and start to explain why they choose to do this.
* Suggest what I think are the most and least important things Jews do that God asks them to do and add at least one reason.

Teaching Sequence

1. To discuss why I do as some people ask but not others.
2. To explain about the Seder meal and why they choose to do this.
3. To explain what I think are the most and least important things Jews do that God asks them to do and add at least one reason.

Blooms Taxonomy – Specific Verbs to Use in Lesson Aims

Knowledge: Describe, find, identify, list, locate, name, recognise, retrieve Comprehension: Classify, compare, explain, infer, interpret, paraphrase, summarise Application: Carry out, implement, use Analysis: Deconstruct, Organise, outline, structure Synthesis: Construct, design, devise, invent, make, plan, produce, Evaluation: Appraise, assess, choose,

Key Knowledge

**Core Knowledge:**

This enquiry focusses on the Bar/Bat Mitzvah initiation ceremonies performed at the Synagogue.

The Tu B’Shevat ceremony and Mitzvah day are also considered.

The Synagogue

The main place for community worship is the synagogue. A synagogue is the centre of the community as well as a place to meet, worship and pray

Bar/Bat Mitzvah

The Jewish initiation ceremony is called Bar Mitzvah for a boy or Bat Mitzvah for a girl.

Tu B’Shevat

Jews believe that God created the world and everything in it, the environment is therefore something Jews should look after.

One festival which commemorates this is Tu B’Shevat, the New Year for Trees.

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