

RE Knowledge Organiser - What Beginnings are there in Religious Teaching?

Learning About Religion

What do Jews believe about the family of Abraham? Why is he so important?
 What is the promised land?
 What beliefs are central to Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur?
 How do Christians describe or portray God?
 Why is Paul important to the Christian story?
 Who is Mohammed and why is he important?
 How does Mohammed inspire Muslims?

Learning from Religion

Who is the most important person in your life?
 Why are some people chosen to do special tasks?
 Can you put something right when you have behaved badly?
 Is it possible to have a new start?
 Can God be human?

Learning Objectives

Can children

Various religious figures and their importance
 Why are Abraham, Isaac, Esau and Jacob important in the Jewish and Christian faith?
 What part do Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur play in the new beginnings?
 What part does Mohamed play in the Muslim faith?
 What is the trinity?
 How did Paul get a new start?

Key Vocabulary

Abraham	It is from Abraham that all Jews trace their descent. He was directed by God to leave his own country for another land
Isaac	The son of Abraham and Sarah. Abraham was ordered by God to sacrifice his son Isaac as a test of faith. God stops Abraham at the last minute.
Esau and Jacob	Sons of Isaac.
Rosh Hashanah	Jewish New Year

Yom Kippur

Also known as the Day of Atonement. A holy day in the Jewish year. A period of repentance lasts from Rosh Hashanah to Yom Yippur.