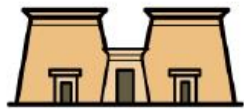




Judaism



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Hannukah



Syrian army



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8 days



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Y2 RE – What values does Hanukkah teach? : Y2 Topic Vocabulary Mat

Subject Specific Vocabulary		Relevant Pictures	Exciting Books/Websites
temple	A building or place where a god or gods are worshipped.	 	The Story of Hanukkah - YouTube https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LrRhccrktHc How to play the Dreidel game.
damaged	Harm or injury that makes something less useful or valuable.		Other Information
army	A large group of soldiers trained to use weapons to fight on land.		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zsXQfCeMHs8
faith	Any particular religion and its teachings.		
oil lamp	A liquid found beneath the earth's surface and used for fuel or to burn in a lamp.		
miracle	An event that cannot be explained by the known laws of nature and is thought to be caused by a power not of the earth.	What I've learnt already	Key Knowledge
Maccabees	The members of a ruling Jewish family who defeated the Syrians in 167 B.C. and rededicated the temple in Jerusalem, these events being commemorated in the festival of Hanukkah.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diwali is known as a 'Festival of Lights'. Celebrated by millions of Hindus, Sikhs and Jains across the world. • Shabbat is the Jewish day of rest. • Jewish people believe that God created the world in 6 days and then he rested. This is why they rest on Shabbat. • Shabbat is very important to Jewish people (customs include the lighting of special candles). • The synagogue is a building where Jews go to worship God. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To know the story of Hanukkah. • To know the values taught by the story. • To know that Hanukkah is regarded as a festival of light. • To know some Jewish practices around the Hanukkah period (such as lighting the menorah, playing the dreidel game, eating gelt, cooking and baking and enjoying gifts).
celebrate	To make special or honour with gifts, parties, or activities (to perform as part of public worship).		
Hannukah	A Jewish festival that runs for eight days in December in which a special candle is lit each night. Hanukkah celebrates the anniversary of the dedication of the temple at Jerusalem and the miracle of the lamp.		
dreidel	Small four-sided top with Hebrew letters marked on the sides.		