

# Year 5 - RE Judaism Collectable



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Key Vocabulary	
<b>Ten Commandments</b>	Ten important life rules for Jews given to Moses by God.
<b>the Sabbath</b>	The holy day for Jews.
<b>pilgrimage</b>	A special religious journey.
<b>synagogue</b>	Place of worship for Jewish people.
<b>rabbi</b>	Jewish religious leader and teacher.
<b>Ark</b>	The place where the <b>Torah</b> is kept in a <b>synagogue</b> .
<b>Torah</b>	The Jewish holy book.
<b>Hebrew</b>	A language used by Jewish people.

## Main Beliefs

Jews believe in one God. They also try to live by the **Ten Commandments**.

They include using God's name with respect, remembering **the Sabbath**, respecting your parents and not lying or stealing.



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## Judaism

Judaism began around 4000 years ago in the Middle East. Jerusalem is a place where many Jews go to on **pilgrimage**.



## Hebrew

**Hebrew** is a special language for Jews. Jews believe God gave the **Ten Commandments** to Moses in **Hebrew**. The **Torah** is written in **Hebrew** and Jews learn to read it.

## Special Places for Jews

Jewish people go to a **synagogue** to worship. Men and women sit separately in some **synagogues**. The most important part of the **synagogue** is the **Ark**. This is where the **Torah** is kept. The **Torah** is treated with great respect. Jews are not allowed to touch it.

## The Sabbath

**The Sabbath** lasts from sundown on Friday to sundown on Saturday. Jews celebrate as a family. They enjoy a special meal with prayers and songs.

