## Autumn 2 - Judaism

## How special is the relationship Jews have with God?

## What are we learning?

- To be able to explain how the Jewish faith began and the covenant between Abraham and God.
- To discuss the similarities and differences between the Christian and the Jewish faith.
- > To be able to identify the key features of a Jewish synagogue.
- > To explain the importance of a Mezuzah in the Jewish faith.
- > To be able to discuss how Jewish people have a relationship with God and how important this is to them.

## **Key Vocabulary**

Covenant

An agreement between two people.

Synagogue

A Jewish place of worship.

Torah

The Jewish religious text, it is a compilation of the first five books of the Hebrew bible.

#### Mezuzah

A parchment inscribed with religious texts and attached in a case to the door post of a Jewish home.

Shema

A Jewish prayer that serves as the centrepiece of the morning and evening Jewish prayer services.

Affirmation

A statement or sign that something is true



# **Sticky Knowledge**

- The role of trust and promises in the Jewish faith.
- The key features of a Jewish synagogue.
- The importance of the Mezuzah