

**Overview**

In Year 9 we look at Judaism in more detail with a focus on religious practices in order to give a solid understanding to learn about the Holocaust and the effects on Jewish community.

**Term 1**

How do Jewish people practice their religion?  
Year 9 explore Jewish belief and teachings to give them a good grounding for learning about the Holocaust.

- Jewish belief
- Jewish practices
- Rites

# Religious Studies

## Year 9

**Term 3**

Religion and life

Year 9 will be building upon the key beliefs of religions gathered in Year 7/8 and apply them to the ethical issue about the importance of human life and the world we live in.

- Sanctity of life
- Abortion
- Euthanasia
- Religious opinions of the beginning of life

**Term 2**

Holocaust and Human Rights

Year 9 will be investigating different experiences of the Holocaust through the stories provided by the Holocaust trust. They will explore how Anti-Semitism was spread around Europe in WWII

- Dehumanisation of the Jews
- Consequences of Anti-Semitism
- Aftermath