

C1.6 Which books and stories are important?



Prior learning - Reception

- Books can be special to people.
- Describing their immediate environment using knowledge from stories and non-fiction texts.
- Similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.

Key Questions

- Why are some books special and how are they treated?
- What are some of life's big questions?
- How do we know that the Bible is a special book for Christians; the Qur'an is a special book for Muslims; the Torah is a special book for Jewish people and the Guru Granth Sahib is a special book for Sikhs?
- What are the morals or messages from the stories in these special books?
- Can we answer any of life's big questions using messages from special books?

Transferable Question

Why do people tell stories?

Key Learning

- Recognise special books and notice how they are treated.
- Explain how the Bible is a special book for Christians; the Qur'an is a special book for Muslims; the Torah is a special book for Jewish people and the Guru Granth Sahib is a special book for Sikhs.
- Suggest meanings for stories with a moral / message from each special book.
- Talk about how people might follow moral examples from stories in order to live a good life.

Key vocabulary

Holy, moral, believer, sacred, Bible, Qur'an, Torah, Guru Granth Sahib, Christian, Muslim, Jewish, Sikh

