



## R.E. LESSON PLAN - WATFORD SCHOOLS TRUST

<b>LESSON TITLE</b> Special Places-1-Different places of worship	<b>LEARNING STAGE</b> KS1	<b>WST TEACHER/DATE</b> Mrs Tricia Bastable
<b>AIM:</b> To show different places of worship for different religions.  <b>LEARNING OBJECTIVE:</b> To talk about Churches as special places for Christians.	<b>MAIN AREA/S OF LEARNING</b> (Herts R.E. Agreed Syllabus 2017-22)  Beliefs and practices Identity and belonging Prayer, worship and reflection Symbols and actions  <b>Other AOL covered:</b> Sources of wisdom	<b>LESSON RESOURCES:</b> WST 5 min video presentation- <a href="https://youtu.be/HgFNnJvbkCQ">https://youtu.be/HgFNnJvbkCQ</a>  <b>Suggested design activities.</b> <b>School to provide:</b> Plain paper pencils  <b>Vocab:</b> Worship,

Watford Schools Trust is a local Christian charity that seeks to support teachers delivering good R.E. lessons. Our aim is give children a clear understanding of the Christian faith.

This is the first in a series of short videos for KS1 children about special places. Today's video mainly looks at the places of worship for the six main faiths.

### Introduction:

Tricia starts by asking if the chn know what a place of place of worship is. A simple explanation is that a place of worship is a building where people can meet together to **'think about God.'** She shows actions for this phrase which is repeated throughout the video series.

### Main content:

A variety of places of worship are then shown. Tricia names them and asks the chn to repeat the names.

The chn are asked what differences and similarities they noticed. They are asked to re-call any of their experiences of a place of worship.

The children are asked to look at a selection of local places of worship including the Watford Mosque, St Matthew's Church in Bushey and the Watford Gurdwara. Tricia asks what they have in common and how they are similar.

### Activity:

Tricia reminds the chn that a place of worship is a building where people go to think about God.

The chn are encouraged to design a new place of worship. What would they include to help people to think about God?

### Class teacher's notes

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