 Knowledge Organiser

Year 2 – Autumn A

**RE – Judaism - Beliefs**

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| **Vocabulary** | |
| Ark | A special chamber in the synagogue that houses the Torah scrolls |
| Commandments | Devine rules believed to be from god which Jewish people follow. |
| Chanukah | A Jewish festival lasting 8 days, which celebrates the recapture of Jerusalem from King Antiochus III |
| Judaism | A religion that is over 4000 years old and believes in one god. |
| Star of David | A symbol of special meaning to people of the Jewish faith. |
| Synagogue | In Judaism a synagogue is a place of worship and a place for learning. |
| Shabbat | Shabbat is the Jewish Day of Rest. Shabbat happens each week from sunset on Friday to sunset on Saturday |
| Torah Scroll | The Torah Scroll is an important holy text in Judaism and contains The 5 Books of Moses. |

**Jewish Symbols and Ceremonial Clothing**

In different religions there are different symbols and items which are very important to the religion. In Judaism they include



