



St. Anselm's Primary School

B2: From Ur to the Promise Land

Linking School, Parish and Home



Religious Education:

Key Ideas:

This topic is intended for Spring Term 1. It presents pupils with the story of Abraham's family, the Israelites, from Genesis through to Exodus. This resource teaches pupils about the concept of covenant, the rational bond that binds God to God's people. It focuses on the role of Miriam in Exodus— prophet and leader.

Attitudes and Spiritual Dispositions

Spiritual Outcomes: *It is hoped that pupils will develop:*

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A sense of the truths contained in Scripture.• An appreciation of/for our connection to the Jewish people. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Respect for the faith and practices of the Jewish people• An openness to learning from other faiths. |
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You are the first educator of your child in faith. Your child's learning in religious education will be much greater if you and the school are engaged in talking about the same ideas and beliefs. This topic takes pupils on a journey back in time to the Exodus. Pupils will be invited to consider the symbolism of the journey the Israelites took and the ritual of the Passover which continues to give thanks for the many blessings that people have received.

Talk to your children about what they have: foster a sense of appreciation and thankfulness for the many blessings and privileges they enjoy.

An idea for prayer at home—Prayer Activity:

Activities to try at home



Blessed are You, Lord our God, ruler of the universe, who has kept us alive, sustained us and enabled us to celebrate this joyous occasion. May we remember all those who live in fear or oppression; help us to work towards their release and freedom. Amen.