

# Judaism Beliefs and teachings

## Revision Checklist

# The Nature of G\_D

Topic



The Nature of the Almighty

“God’s is One”


God as the creator

God the Law– Giver


613 commandments

God the Judge


# Shekhinah

<u>Topic</u>	
<u>Shekinah</u> The Presence of God,	
<u>The Torah says about Shekhinah</u>	
<u>Different understanding of Shekinah</u> link between god and the world Some think it is simply God gateway to higher consciousness and a way to get closer to god	
<u>Why is it important</u>	


# Messiah

<u>Topic</u>	
<u>The Purpose of the Messiah</u>	
<u>The Nature of the Messiah</u>	
<u>Messianic age</u>	
<u>Different understanding of the Messiah</u>	


# Covenant on Sinai

<u>Topic</u>	
<u>The Nature and History of the Covenant</u>	
<u>The covenant itself (Mosaic Covenant)</u>	
<u>The importance of the Mosaic Covenant to Jewish people</u>	
<u>The Ten Commandments (Decalouge)</u>	


# Covenant with Abraham

<u>Topic</u>	
<u>The Abrahamic Covenant</u>	
<u>Why is the Abrahamic Covenant important to Jewish People now</u>	
<u>Debate in Jewish Communities Outside of Israel</u>	

# Sanctity of Life


<u>Topic</u>	
<u>Judaism Teaches that Life is sacred</u>	
<u>Pickach nefesh</u> "Do not do anything that endangers a neighbours life"	
<u>Pickach nefesh is important to Jewish people today because</u>	

# Moral Principles and the Mitzvot

<u>Topic</u>	
<u>Understanding the Mitzvot</u>	
<u>It is Important for Jewish people to understand the Mitzvot because</u>	
<u>The Mitzvot is very Important to Orthodox Jews</u>	
<u>Not as Important to Liberal Jews</u>	
<u>Orthodox Jews believe it Mitzvot should be understood at a deeper level</u>	




# Jewish beliefs in Life after Death


<u>Topic</u>	
<u>Immortality of the Soul</u>	
<u>Different belief about the Nature of Judgement</u>	
<u>Heaven and Hell</u>	
<u>Belief in Life after death is important to Jewish people?</u>	

# Jewish Practices Revision Checklist


# Judaism Practices

<u>Topic</u>	
<u>Public acts of Worship</u>	
<u>Features of Jewish Public Worship</u>	
Worshipping at Synagogue	
Why Jewish people worship in different ways	


# Tanakh and Talmund

<u>Topic</u>	
<u>Tanakh (Jewish Bible)</u> Multiple books	
<u>Torah</u> History of the Jewish people (the old testament)	
<u>Nevi'im</u> books of Prophets spreading the message of god	
<u>Ketuvim</u> History Poetry and Philosophy the Big Questions	
<u>The Talmund (Jewish Laws 613 Mitzvot)</u>	
<u>Jewish Food Laws</u>	


# Prayer

<u>Topic</u>	
Purpose of Prayer	
Prayer at Home (mezuzah)	
Formal Prayer (Shacharit, Minchah, Arvit )	
Artifacts of Prayer (Tefillin, Tallit, Siddur)	


# Shema and Amidah

<u>Topic</u>	
<u>Shemah (Major Prayer)</u>	
<u>Shemah is important to Jewish people because?</u>	
<u>Amidah (standing Prayer)</u>	
<u>Amidah is Important to Jewish people because?</u>	

# Rituals and ceremonies


<u>Topic</u>	
Birth Ceremonies (Brit Milah, Brit bat)	
Coming of age ceremonies (Bar Mitzvah, Bat Mitzvah)	
Marriage Ceremonies	
Death and Mourning rituals (Shiva, Chevra Kaddisha)	
Reform and Orthodox views	

# Shabbat


<u>Topic</u>	
How is it celebrated	
Why is Shabbat important to Jewish people	
Why is Shabbat important to the Jewish community	



# Festivals


<u>Topic</u>	
Rosh Hashanah (Jewish new year)	
Why is Rosh Hashanah important	
Yom Kippur	
Why is Yom Kippur important	
Pesach (Passover)	
Why is Pesach important	

# Features of a Synagogue


<u>Topic</u>	
Appearance of a Synagogue (inside and out)	
How a Synagogue is used by different communities	
How else is it used	

# Ethics Revision Checklist


# Marriage

<u>Topic</u>	
The Importance of Marriage to Catholics	
Non Religious attitudes to Marriage	
Catholic response to non Religious attitudes	


# Sexual Relationships

<u>Topic</u>	
Catholic View on Sexual relationships	
Atheist and Humanist Views on sexual relationships	
Non Religious views on Same sex Relationships	
Christian response to the non religious attitudes	

# Families

<u>Topic</u>	
Importance of Family life to Catholics	
Different types of families	
Catholic response to different types of families	
Non religious ideas about the Family	

# Local Parish support for Families


<u>Topic</u>	
What is a Parish	
How the Parish tries to help Families	
Why The Parish tries to help Families	
Whu support from the Church is important to Catholic Families	

# Contraception


<u>Topic</u>	
Catholics and Family Planning	
Methods of Contraception	
Nonreligious attitudes to contraception	
Catholic Responses	




# Divorce and remarriage

<u>Topic</u>	
Catholic teaching on Divorce	
Non religious attitudes	
Catholic responses	
Situation Ethics and divorce	

# Equality of Men and women in the family

<u>Topic</u>	
Catholic Attitudes on Equality in the family	
Other Christian Attitudes on Gender Equality in the family	
Non religious attitudes on Gender Equality in the family	

# Gender Prejudice and Discrimination

<u>Topic</u>	
Catholic opposition to gender prejudice and gender discrimination	
Other Christians and gender prejudice	
Non religious attitudes to gender prejudice and discrimination	