

The Guru Granth Sahib

Think about the following questions then answer them by writing in paragraphs full answers to 3 questions per paragraph.

- (1) What will you be asked to do before you enter the prayer room?
- (2) Who will you be in the presence of when entering the prayer room?
- (3) What is the Guru Granth Sahib?
- (4) What is the meaning of 'Guru'?
- (5) What must you do before you go before the Guru?
- (6) What is the first rule you must obey when you approach the Guru?
- (7) How many years ago did the Sikh religion begin?
- (8) Who was the first Sikh teacher?
- (9) As he travelled around India, what did the first teacher do?
- (10) What happens when a Sikh Guru nears the end of his life?
- (11) What happened in 1603 (with the fifth Guru)?
- (12) What went into the holy book called the Guru Granth Sahib? Name examples.
- (13) Where was the holy book placed when complete?
- (14) What do the Sikh's mean by the word 'Sahib'?

Extension: Write a paragraph explaining the importance of a Guru to the Sikh community.