

Having recently taught Judaism to Year 4 children, I became aware of the lack of resources for RE in general and so made these 2 sheets to help my class following an artefact handling session, where we looked at some of the items that Jewish males wear when they pray. I didn't include the 'tefillin' as it was quite conceptually difficult explaining all the different parts and why it was worn.

The sheets should be used in conjunction following a practical session or a video on prayer.

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WHAT DO JEWS WEAR WHEN THEY PRAY?

Using the information sheet to help you, draw a picture of a kippah (prayer cap) and a tallit (prayer shawl) and then say why Jews wear them when they pray.

Draw the *kippah* (prayer cap) here.

Draw the *tallit* (prayer shawl) here:

Write why Jews wear the *kippah* (prayer cap) when they pray.

Write why Jews wear the *tallit* (prayer shawl) when they pray.

What do Jews wear when they pray?

KIPPAH
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TALLIT
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the Torah.
Sometimes
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over their
heads when
praying to
show they
wish to be
alone with
God.