



Key Vocabulary

Word	Meaning
Important	Something special or precious to someone
Diwali	The festival of light celebrated by the Sanatana Dharma
Qur'an	The holy book for Muslims
Bible	The Christian holy book
Mosque	The Islamic place of worship
Hindu Shrine	A special place for a Sanatana Dharma
Church	The Christian place of worship
The Prophet Muhammad	A special messenger for Muslims
Jesus	Christians believe Jesus is the son of God
Lord Ganesh	A Sanatana Dharma god

What does important mean?

- If something is **important** to you then it is special. You might have a special teddy or toy that you love.
- Different people will have different things that are **important** to them. These could be **important** people, things or places.
- Each religion has different things that are **important** to them. This could be religious people or festivals.



What is important Hindus?

Hindus believe in the religion of Sanatana Dharma (the Hindu religion). They celebrate an important festival called **Diwali**. Within this festival of light Hindus will pray to different gods and have important religious traditions.

Lord Ganesh



Hindu shrine



Rangoli patterns



Diva lamp





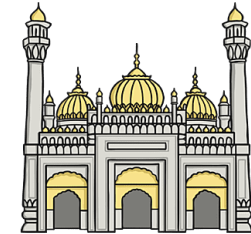
What is important to Muslims?

Muslims believe in the religion of Islam. **The Prophet Muhammad** is a very special person to Muslims. He was given the special book of the **Qur'an** by God. Muslims worship in a **mosque**. **The Prophet Muhammad**, the **Qur'an** and **mosque** are all important to Muslims.

The Qur'an



The Mosque



What is important to Christians?

Christians believe in the religion of Christianity. They read the **Bible**, which is their holy book, and believe that **Jesus** is the son of God. Christians worship in a church. The Bible, Jesus and church are all important to Christians.

Church



Jesus



Bible



Extending Your Learning

1. Visit a local place of worship. What special things can you see?
2. Make your own rangoli patterns at home.
3. Find out what is important to each member of your family. Why is it important to them?