

Year 1 Spring 2 RE – Judaism

Key facts

- Bar mitzvah and Bat mitzvah are important celebrations for Jewish families they symbolize the young person's responsibility for themselves.
- Bar mitzvah is a ceremony to show a Jewish boy has become an adult.
- Bat mitzvah is a ceremony to show a Jewish girl has become an adult.
- The Bar or Bat mitzvah ceremony is usually held on the first Shabbat after a boy's 13 and a girl's 12 birthday.
- Bar mitzvah means 'Son of the commandments' and Bat mitzvah means 'Daughter of the commandments'.
- The young person must give a speech starting with 'Today I am a man/woman. They also read parts of the Torah.
- The Jewish special book is called the Torah.
- The Torah is read using a Yad



Bar mitzvah



Bat mitzvah



The Torah



Yad



Synagogue

Vocabulary

- Bar Mitzvah
- Bat Mitzvah
- commandments
- responsibility
- Torah
- celebration
- synagogue
- Yad
- Rabbi

