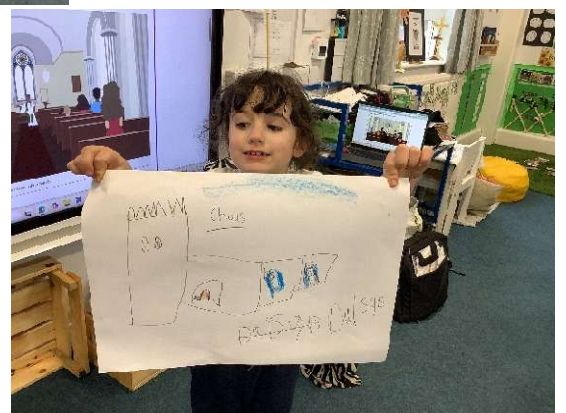


What makes some places sacred to religious believers?

On 13th February 2026, Class 1 had an RE Day based on the topic: What makes some places sacred to religious believers?

Class 1 thought about what places made them feel safe and are special to them at the beginning of the day and drew their own safe places. We discussed how places which are safe and special can be for all people and thought about where these might be for some in the community.

The class then turned their attention to what places might be safe and special to Christians and learnt how churches are sacred to them because it is a place where they feel safe and closer to God. We went to the local church to investigate what key features there are in a Church and what makes that place sacred. In coming back, the class worked on creating their own Church in a variety of methods.



Later, the Class learnt that there are other religions and faiths around the world and that they have their own special buildings to worship in. We learnt about Muslims and Jews and how they have their own buildings called Mosques and Synagogues. We learnt about what makes these places sacred to these believers and again tried to create our own versions.



The class ended the day comparing the different places of worship. We discovered that although there are lots of differences between the sacred buildings in terms of appearance, they are all similar as they are places where certain religious believers gather to worship their God / Gods.