

Year 5 Sikhism.

Guru Nanak

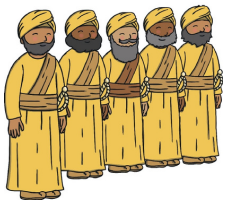
The first Guru (Teacher)

Spent much of his youth questioning the ideas he had been taught about God.

He went on to teach other people about his ideas.



Khalsa Sikhs.



Created by Guru Gobind Singh during a Vaisakhi celebration.

Khalsa Sikhs will take part in a special Amrit ceremony just as the Panj Pyare (5 Beloved Ones) did.

They will then wear the 5K's to show they are Khalsa Sikhs.



10 Gurus

In total there were 10 Human Gurus.

They would go on to teach others about Waheguru.

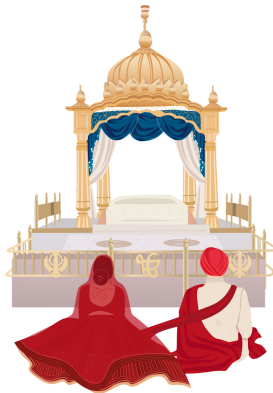
They taught people about the importance of equality and belief.



The final Guru, is the Guru Granth Sahib.

It contains the teachings of the 10 human Gurus and is treated like a human.

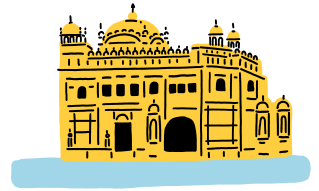
Rites of Passage.



Many Sikhs choose to celebrate a new baby or a wedding.

Services often take place in the Gurdwara in front of the Guru Granth Sahib.

Gurdwara



At the centre of the Sikh community as well as a place of worship.

It is also a place of learning.

Heads must be covered and shoes removed.

Everyone is treated equally.

Langar



'Free kitchen'

The langar is at the heart of the Gurdwara.

Meals are provided for free to anyone who wants or needs it.

It is run by volunteers.

'Sewa' is an act of service that can be performed to help others and bring someone closer to God.