



# Dublin West Education Centre

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**To Principals of Post Primary Schools**

Dear Principal

There are two CPD days coming up in the Dublin West Education Centre which we would like to bring to your attention. These days are being run for the new Junior Certificate Jewish Studies Syllabus. This is a national syllabus which can be viewed on the DES website. While your school may not offer the syllabus as an examination for the Junior Certificate, you may be interested to know that there are cross-curricular links between Jewish Studies and CSPE, RE, and History. These links are outlined on the adjoining sheets. The two CPD days, taking place next term, address areas common to these syllabi. We would be most grateful if you could bring them to the attention of your teaching staff in the relevant subject areas:

**18 January 2012**

**The Irish Jewish Communities and the Jewish Home**

and

**14 March 2012**

**Sacredness in the Jewish Faith  
Holy Places**

Enclosed please find some information leaflets and application forms which may be photocopied.

We hope some of these will be of interest to you and your staff. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely

Louise O'Sullivan IBVM  
National Coordinator Jewish Studies



Visit our Jewish Studies website at  
[www.dwec.ie/JewishStudies.html](http://www.dwec.ie/JewishStudies.html)

## POSSIBLE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE SYLLABUS CROSSOVERS

### JEWISH STUDIES AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

*Table 1*

SYLLABUS SECTIONS AND PARTS	JEWISH STUDIES	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
	Section 1: The Irish Jewish Communities and the Jewish Home	Section A: Communities of Faith, Part 1, Community; Part 2, Communities at Work; Part 3, Communities of Faith; Part 4, Relationships between Communities of Faith; Part 5, Organisation and Leadership in Communities of Faith
<b>COMMON THEMES</b>	Community in Judaism: Organisational structure in the Jewish community Development of Irish Jewish Community	Community Organisation and Leadership in Communities of Faith Communities at Work and Communities of Faith
	Community Institutions – charitable, educational, religious	Communities of Faith

*Table 2*

SYLLABUS SECTIONS AND PARTS	JEWISH STUDIES	RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
	Section 4: Holy Places The Jerusalem Temple	Section C: World Religions, Part 3, Rites of Passage and Other Rites Places of worship; Pilgrimage
<b>COMMON THEMES</b>	The Synagogue: Origins, development and physical structure; Symbols in the Synagogue; Synagogue service for Sabbath and Holy Days Prayer: The function of prayer, private and communal	Sign and Symbol; Ritual; Practice; Ceremony Prayer; Functions



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## Jewish Studies Workshop The Irish Jewish Communities and the Jewish Home

Venue: Dublin West Education Centre

Date: Wednesday, 18<sup>th</sup> January 2012

Time: 09.30 -16.00

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Mobile Phone No \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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PPS No \_\_\_\_\_

Roll No \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## Jewish Studies Workshop Sacredness in the Jewish Faith

Venue: Dublin West Education Centre

Date: Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> March 2012

Time: 09.30 -16.00

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