

## RE Task 2

Why do the Sikhs treat their holy book like a living guru?



Today, the 'Living Guru' for Sikhs is the *Guru Granth Sahib*, not just a book, but the collected spiritual writings, treated as a living Guru. After the life of Guru Gobind Singh, the 10th Guru, the collected scriptures were finalised and became the '*Guru Granth Sahib*'.

Watch this clip below

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/religious-studies-ks2-the-guru-granth-sahib/zms2t39>

Reflection questions:

What is the *Guru Granth Sahib*?

How is the *Guru Granth Sahib* treated?

What do you think it means to Sikhs?

How do Sikhs worship in the *Gurdwara*?

What books and words are special to you and why?

Have you learned anything from your special books?

What is similar and what is different between the books that are special to you and those that are special to Sikhs?

What is the difference between "inspiring" and "enjoyable", and "holy"?