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Celebration

festivals,
acknowledgement and
sharing



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Rites of Passage

mark moving from one
phase of life to another



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People

community,
living together



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Peace

care,
compassion



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Religious Rules

ethical and moral
rules to live by



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Prosperity

collective ideas,
generosity for shared
ownership and
longevity



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Planet

environment,
co-operation,
making choices



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Partnership

togetherness,
solidarity

5 symbols of faith

Kesh (uncut hair)
Kara (steel bracelet)
Kanga (wooden comb)
Kacca, Kachh or Kachera
(cotton underwear)
Kirpan (steel sword)

Live By The 3 Primary Principles

be always absorbed in meditation and prayer

make an honest income by honorable means

share earnings and selflessly serve others

Langar (community kitchen)

practical sustainability
meals prepared in large quantities using community resources, vegetarian and minimising waste

Take part in fellowship

community and co-operation with others are among the most important tenets -
Worship together and sing God's praise. Cook and eat together

Baisakhi

held in April makes the beginning of harvest season and associated with the creation of Khalsa
Celebrated with processions, music and sharing food

Voluntary ritual baptism

is a critical part of religious practice. It symbolises becoming spiritually reborn by taking part in the baptism ceremony which administers immortalising nectar to initiates

Treat Everyone Equally

belief it is immoral to show distinction or rank because of race, class or gender.
Universality and equality are among the most important pillars

Egotism is the biggest hindrance to connecting with the timeless truth of God
Practice daily prayer and meditation to reduce the effects of ego and prevent indulgence in the manifestations of ego. Pride, Lust, Greed, Anger, Attachment