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Learning about Religion

Buddhism

Crucial Knowledge

The Buddhist religion was started by Siddharta Gautama
Buddhism is one of the six major world religions
The Eight-Fold Path is a key belief for Buddhists
Buddhists worship in a temple

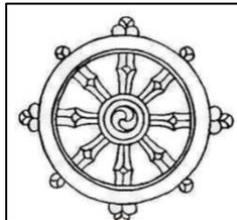
Extended Knowledge

Buddha means enlightened or awakened
In Buddhism there are no gods or god

Vocabulary:

Worship: the feeling or act of showing loyalty or love

Symbol: a thing that represents or stands for something else, especially a material object representing something abstract



The main Buddhist symbol is
the Dharma Wheel

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Learning from Religion

Equality

Crucial Knowledge

Equality is about ensuring that every individual has an equal opportunity to make the most of their lives and talents. It is also the belief that no one should have poorer life chances because of the way they were born, where they come from, what they believe, or whether they have a disability
Rosa Parks started the bus boycotts
Martin Luther King fought for equal rights for Black people in America
Christians believe everyone is equal in the eyes of God

Extended Knowledge

Parables = stories Jesus told that had an important message for followers

Bus boycott = refusing to catch the bus

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Hinduism

Crucial Knowledge

Hindus believe in one god or many gods
Reincarnation is the belief that you are born again
Hindus worship in a mandir
Hindus worship at home using a puja tray
Hindus follow the festival of Diwali and remember the story of Rama and Sita

Extended Knowledge

Hinduism is one of the major world religions
Monotheism = belief in one god polytheism = belief in many gods

Vocabulary:

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The main Hindu symbol is the
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Baghdad – the early Islamic Civilisation

Crucial Knowledge

Baghdad was founded in 762BC as the centre of the Islamic world
House of wisdom - where all the world's knowledge was recorded
For early Muslims, discovery, knowledge and learning (inventions and innovations) are important

Extended Knowledge

Many of the inventions and innovations (eg forceps) are still used today

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Creation and Environment

Crucial Knowledge

There are many theories and stories about how the world was created
Stewardship for Christians, Jews and Muslims

Extended Knowledge

Jews and Christians share their creation story

Hindus have a creation story

There are Humanists and people with no faith or religion

Christian love = for everyone including the environment