

RE Knowledge organiser:

Year 5: What do different religions and worldviews believe about God?

Vocabulary

Allah: Allah is the Arabic word for God, the one God. Christian, Muslims and other people who believe in one God and speak Arabic all use this term. Allah is not a Muslim word for God, but the Arabic word

99 names of Allah: Tells Muslim people the character of the one God (e.g. provider, healer, sustainer of life)

Ka'aba: The Kaaba or Ka'aba, is a cuboid building at the centre of Islam's most sacred mosque, place Muslims remember the first altar/place of worship to God on earth

Brahman: Brahman being the ultimate Supreme Being, out of which comes other main gods for Dharmic people (Hindu's) - Vishnu, Shiva and Brahma

Deities: a god or goddess

Mool Mantra: The Mool Mantar means 'basic teaching' and is found at the beginning of every section of the Guru Granth Sahib, and is recited by Sikh people daily

Trinity: Is the Christian belief that there is one God, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit – impossibly three in one

Symbols/Images/artefacts

Trinity Sign Humanist Logo

YEAR GROUP BIG QUESTION: What impacts do beliefs have on actions?

Key learning

Explain the impact of people's beliefs about the existence of God on their lives and practices

Appraise different answers to the question about what God is like by a Sunni and Shia Muslims/ Christians/ Hindu and Sikh people thoughtfully

Important people/places/artefacts

Humanists

A non-religious worldview
An approach to life
Asks 'How should I live?'
An ongoing conversation

Not all atheists are Humanists, but all Humanists are atheists. Humanism is a thought-out way of understanding and making sense of the world which does not involve reference to a holy book or God. Humanists meet together to think together about social and moral issues and how they should decide what to do and how to live.

Links to further learning

Write a letter to a Humanist from the perspective of God to convince them God does exist

Investigate different denominations within any religion to find out the difference between them in their ideas about God