Knowledge Organiser

Year: 2 Subject: RE Unit: Why do people have different views about the idea of 'God'?

Overview:

During this sequence of learning, pupils will explore why people have different views about God. They will be introduced to the worldview of Humanism.

What should I already know?	Vocabulary:	
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 Philosophy A 'big idea' helps us to make sense of experiences or information. A puzzling question is one that is difficult to understand or solve. 	Christianity	The religion based on the teachings of Jesus Christ. Followed by Christians.
 Questions we ask about religious stories often start with how or why to help us understand some of the information. Christianity Christians believe that God created the universe and 	Hinduism	All Hindus worship one supreme being who created other gods.
 everything in it. Christians believe that the answer to questions about the creation stories can be found in their holy books (the Bible) Hinduism 	Islam	Followers of Islam are called Muslims. Muslims believe there is one true God Allah (the Arabic word for God).
 Hindus believe that Brahma created the world and everything in it and Vishnu looks after the world and the people in it. Hindus believe that the answer to questions about the creation stories can be found in their holy books (Vedas) What will I know by the end of the unit? 	Humanism	Humanists do not believe in a god. They believe it is possible to live a good life without following a religion.
 Philosophy Religion is a collection of beliefs that people have that help them to answer some really big and hard questions, like who made the world, who should we look up to or worship, how should people behave. People have different ideas about religion and God 	<i>G</i> od	A being that is worshipped and believed to have special powers over nature or life. Brahma is one of the
 because: - They live in different places. They live in different families They think in different ways. They have different friendships and communities. It is OK for people to believe in different things. No one religion is right or wrong. The world of religion is puzzling because: - we cannot see or meet God in the same way that we can with people we know. 	Brahma	three major gods of Hindus. Brahma is said to be the creator of the whole world.

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	o It is difficult to understand how a person or being				
	created the world and we only have stories and sacred				
	books to tell us - we can't see it for ourselves.				
•	Different people think different things about God and				
	religion.				
Humanism					
•	Humanists don't believe in a god or gods, or believe we				
	can't know if there is a god.				
•	Humanists believe we can be good and happy without the				
	need for gods or religion.				
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