

Year 9 Unit 1 Overview- Why don't Hindus want to be reincarnated and what do they do about it?

You will learn about

The key beliefs of Hinduism

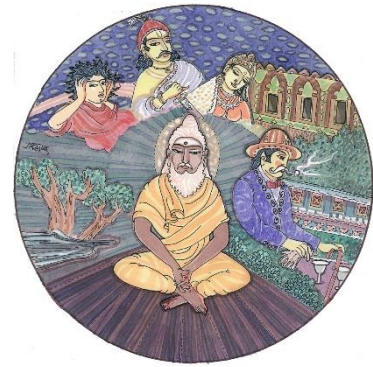
How these key beliefs affect the morals and actions of a Hindu.

You will be able to

Extended writing

Application of knowledge about Hinduism to exam questions.

Consider different sides to an argument using specific and different religious points of view.



<p>Lesson Overview</p> <p>Lesson 1: An introduction to Hinduism Lesson 2: The nature of Brahman and the atman Lesson 3: The Hindu world view Lesson 4: Exploring Hindu texts Lesson 5: Hindu Life Lesson 6: The 4 paths of yoga Lesson 7: Assessment Lesson 8: DIT</p>	<p>Key Words</p> <p>Samsara - The cycle of birth, life, death and rebirth Caste - Social status from birth Dharma - Right conduct/duty Karma - Law of cause and effect Moksha - Final goal when your soul is freed from samsara Brahman - The Hindu word for God, ultimate being Deity - Gods worshipped Ahimsa - Non-violence Ashrama - Stage in life Atman - The inner spirit dwelling in every living being, including animals; it is the eternal, indestructible and perfect spirit in everyone. Varnashramadharma- Dharma rules and customs for each stage of life and each Caste Yoga- A path to reaching the divine Punusharthas – 4 aims in a Hindu’s life Artha- earning money honestly Kama – pleasure from the beauty of life</p>
<p>Suggested reading or support available</p> <p>http://www.bbc.co.uk/religion/religions/hinduism/</p> <p>http://resources.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/homework/religion/hinduism.htm</p> <p>http://www.religionfacts.com/hinduism</p>	<p>Cross curricular</p> <p>SMSC: Cultural perspectives of Hinduism Morals within the religion of Hinduism Social surroundings in Hinduism, including places of worship. Spiritual aspect of Hinduism through Yoga ICT: Interactive whiteboard activities, films, computers and iPads when completing homework and for research. Literacy: Use of keywords in unit overview and key terms explored every lesson. Evaluation and analysis skills in assessment questions. Reading given throughout unit of work. SPaG assessed in books.</p>