

<b><i>Threshold Concepts</i></b>	<b><i>Milestone 2</i></b>
<p><b><i>Understand beliefs and teachings</i></b>  <i>This concept involves understanding the key teachings of various religions.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Present the key teachings and beliefs of a religion.</i></li> <li>• <i>Refer to religious figures and holy books to explain answers.</i></li> </ul>
<p><b><i>Understand practices and lifestyles</i></b>  <i>This concept involves understanding the day to day lives and practices of various religions.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Identify religious artefacts and explain how and why they are used.</i></li> <li>• <i>Describe religious buildings and explain how they are used.</i></li> <li>• <i>Explain some of the religious practices of both clerics and individuals.</i></li> </ul>
<p><b><i>Understand how beliefs are conveyed</i></b>  <i>This concept involves understanding how books, scriptures, readings and other important means of communication are used to convey beliefs.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Identify religious symbolism in literature and the arts.</i></li> </ul>
<p><b><i>Reflect</i></b>  <i>This concept involves an appreciation of how religion plays an important role in the lives of some people.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Show an understanding that personal experiences and feelings influence attitudes and actions.</i></li> <li>• <i>Give some reasons why religious figures may have acted as they did.</i></li> <li>• <i>Ask questions that have no universally agreed answers.</i></li> </ul>
<p><b><i>Understand values</i></b>  <i>This concept involves an appreciation of how many people place values as an important aspect of their lives.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Explain how beliefs about right and wrong affect people's behaviour.</i></li> <li>• <i>Describe how some of the values held by communities or individuals affect behaviour and actions.</i></li> <li>• <i>Discuss and give opinions on stories involving moral dilemmas.</i></li> </ul>