

**What we already know:**

In KS1 and KS2 students have looked at the meaning of belonging to different religious communities. They have also studied symbols relating to different world religions and beliefs.

## UKS2 Cycle A- Religions in the Community

**What's next (KS3)?**

- To explore specific religions that can be found in the community in more depth, recognizing how all religious values can be reflected onto our own lives.

### RE Golden Concepts

Recognising symbols and their relation to religion

Understanding the fundamental features of religion

Knowledge of religious figures and stories

Interpreting how religion affects the lives of believers

Recognising similarities and differences between religions

### Key Vocabulary

Religion	What you believe about human beings' relationship to a higher power.
Artefact	Anything made, used, or modified by humans.
Church	A public place of worship, usually for people of the Christian religion.
Mandir	A place where Hindus go to worship.
Hindu	A collection of the religion, culture, and philosophy of ancient India.
Christianity	A large group of religions who believe that the son of god was born a man - Jesus of Nazareth - over 2000 years ago.
Worship	Love and devotion shown to a being or an object considered sacred.
Respect	Behaving in a way that shows you care - about others, yourself, property, or the earth.

### What I will know by the end of the unit:

**To identify the religions in the local area of Northants and the wider region.**

**To compare the religions of the local area to the rest of the country and to other countries in the world.**

**To identify how religious communities are changing.**

**To identify key features and artefacts in a Mandir and how they are used.**

**To explore the key features of a Christian church and how they are used.**

**To identify the similarities and differences between Hindu's and Christians.**

**To explain what we can learn from visiting the places of worship of others.**

**To understand the importance of respecting others opinions and beliefs.**

**To explain how we can live in harmony with others even though we are all different.**

