

Why do some people believe in God and some do not?

Our Learning

This term, we focus on religious and non-religious people's beliefs about God. We will be investigating reasons why some people have faith, why some do not and why some are undecided. We will make connections between what people believe and how this impacts on their lives.

Specific learning:

- Know and understand the terms 'atheist', 'agnostic' and 'theist'
- Use 2011 Census data to establish how belief has changed
- Reasons why people do or do not believe in God
- Ask questions about who God is and what kind of God He might be
- Discuss how God is described in the Bible and why this might be

Is God real? What's the evidence? We need to investigate....



KEY VOCABULARY	MEANING
Atheist	Someone who does not believe in God
Agnostic	Someone who is unsure of their belief
Theist	Someone who believes in God
Opinion	An idea a person has, based on evidence
Evidence	Facts that help us understand
Faith	A person's belief
Hindu	A person who follows Hinduism
Muslim	A person who follows Islam
Sikh	A person who follows Sikhism
Buddhist	A person who follows Buddhism
Jewish	A person who follows Judaism

