

Learning Outcomes

Make sense of belief:

- Identify some Hindu deities and say how they help Hindus describe God.
- Make clear links between some stories (e.g. Svetaketu, Ganesh, Diwali) and what Hindus believe about God
- Offer informed suggestions about what Hindu murtis express about God.

Understand the impact:

- Make simple links between beliefs about God and how Hindus live (e.g. choosing a deity and worshipping at a Home Shrine; celebrating Diwali)
- Identify some different ways in which Hindus worship.

Make connections:

- Raise questions and suggest answers about whether it is good to think about the cycle of create/preserve/destroy in the world today
- Make links between the Hindu idea of everyone having a 'spark' of God in them and ideas about the value of people in the world today, giving good reasons for their idea.

What do Hindus believe that God is like?



Useful Vocabulary

Brahman, atman, deity, murtis, create, preserve, destroy Hinduism, trimurti, life cycle etc.

Term 3

Lower Key Stage 2

Unit: L2:7

Key Questions

- What do Hindus believe God is like?
- what might a Hindu understand about Brahman from the story of Svetaketu?
- What are Hindu deities?
- How do deities help them to describe God?
- What does *Trimurti* represent?
- Is the cycle of **create, preserve & destroy**