TOPIC: Hinduism

Key Question 3.7– How can people express the spiritual through Music and Art?

What are we learning about?

- What do Hindu people believe?
- How do Hindus express the Spiritual?
- What does it mean to worship many gods and goddesses?
- What is the Caste system and what can be done to change it?



Why are we learning about it?

- What does it mean to be 'spiritual'?
- What other ideas are there about God, aside from in Christianity, Islam and Judaism?
- What does it mean to be a Hindu living within the Caste System of India?



What new **KNOWLEDGE** will I gain?

- Hindu ideas about god.
- The way Hindus represent God in art forms.
- An understanding of Hindu festivals and pilgrimage.
- Key religious terminology related to Hinduism.



How does this build on the **SKILLS** I already have?

- Developing my use of religious texts to answer questions (Reference to Scripture)
- Being able to explain my own opinion with limited teacher's help (Judgement).
- Building skills in religious vocabulary (Knowledge)
- Explain how religious beliefs help to influence believers to do certain things (Explain/ Influence).



What new **SKILLS** will I develop?

- An understanding of how artistic representations of god can influence and impact religious believers.
- Personal reflection on how a person could live a spiritual life.
- Justify in a respectful way your own opinion on spirituality and how to feel spiritual.
- A deeper understanding and empathy for the wider culture of India.



How does this build on the **KNOWLEDGE** I already have?

- Ideas and ways to understand God
- How Hinduism relates to other religions (Christianity, Islam, Sikhism and Judaism).
- Religious scripture in other religions already studied, e.g. The Bible, Qur'an, Guru Granth Sahib, and the Torah.
- The presence of the six major religions in the world.