

Citizens of the World:

Buddhism

During this unit, we will explore the faith of Buddhism including, core beliefs, its origins and how it is practised around the World today.



These are the key skills and knowledge you will develop through this unit:

Knowledge	<u>Geographical Knowledge</u> I know how Buddhism is practised around the world. <u>Historical Knowledge</u> I know the origins of the Buddhist faith. <u>Religious Knowledge</u> I know some of the symbols and actions of the Buddhist faith.
Skills	The skill focus of this unit is on developing our speaking, listening and presentation skills: I can interpret real and imagined experiences in a variety of ways using drama, roleplay and dramatic conventions. I can use punctuation when reading my own work out loud including pause for effect.

This unit provides an opportunity to apply the substantive and disciplinary vocabulary you have learnt so far.

Topic Vocabulary

Monk	Mandala	Gong
Incense	Buddha	Butter lamp
Thangka	Shrine	
Begging bowl	Alms	

Throughout the unit, you will learn the meaning of these words.

How can you use them throughout the unit? How can you use them in other work? What other new vocabulary have you discovered?

Reading Links

We will retrieve information about the Buddhist faith from given sources.

Reading and performing a script to re-tell the story of The Buddha.

Writing Links

We will create a poster about the Buddhist faith which we can read out loud.

Maths Links

We will explore time linked to the Buddhist faith.

Other Curriculum Links

Music - We will create music inspired by the Buddhist faith.

Dance - We will explore the traditional cham dance associated with Buddhism and Buddhist festivals.

Art - We will explore the work of a range of artists to see how The Buddha is portrayed.

Geography - We will use a map to identify the origin of Buddhism.