

# World Religion Unit Plan

H.S.3- Explain the historical development and impact of major world religions and philosophies.

H.S. 59- Demonstrate the skills and dispositions needed to be a critical consumer of information.

H.S. 63- Engaged in informed and respectful deliberation and discussion of issues, events, and ideas.

**ESSENTIAL QUESTION: What are the similarities and differences between the five major world religions and how have those similarities and differences effected history?**

## **KNOWLEDGE TARGETS** ***WHAT I NEED TO KNOW***

- I know the following terms: **CHRISTIANITY, CHRISTIAN, PROTESTANT, CATHOLIC, ISLAM, MUSLIM, JUDAISM, JEWISH, HINDUISM, BUDDHISM, BIBLE, TORAH, QU'RAN, VEDAS, POLYTHEISM, MONOTHEISM, SUNNI, SHI'A, BUDDHA, FOUR NOBLE TRUTHS, NIRVANA, REFORMATION, GURU, KARMA, REINCARNATION, FIVE PILLARS, HAJ**
- I know the following people: **GOD, ALLAH, YAHWEH, VISHNU, SHIVA, BRAHMA, BRAHMAN, MUHAMMAD, JESUS, ABRAHAM, SIDDHARTHA, GAUTAMA**

## **REASONING TARGETS** ***WHAT I CAN DO WITH*** ***WHAT I KNOW***

- I can explain the foundations of Christianity, it's prophet, sacred text, the different sects, and it's basic beliefs.
- I can explain the foundations of Islam, it's prophet, sacred text, the different sects, and it's basic beliefs.
- I can explain the foundations of Judaism, it's prophet, sacred text, the different sects, and it's basic beliefs.
- I can explain the foundations of Hinduism, it's prophet, sacred text, the different sects, and it's basic beliefs.
- I can explain the foundations of Buddhism, it's prophet, sacred text, the different sects, and it's basic beliefs.

## **SKILLS/PRODUCT TARGETS** ***WHAT I CAN DEMONSTRATE***

- I can chart the differences between the 5 major world religions.
- I can create a booklet for each major religion comparing the similarities and differences of each.