Year 3 R.E Knowledge Organiser

L2.1 What do different people believe about God?

**Key knowledge**

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| * Ask questions and suggest some of their own responses to ideas about God (C1). * Identify how and say why it makes a difference in people’s lives to believe in God (B1). * Describe some of the ways in which Christians describe God. (A1) * Describe some of the ways in which Muslims describe God. (A1) |

**Other knowledge**

* Identify some similarities and differences between ideas about what God is like in different religions. (B3)
* Discuss their own ideas about why there are many ideas about God and express their own understanding of God through words, symbols and the arts. (C1)

**Key Vocabulary**

**God as Trinity** – Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**Trimurti** – the Hindu belief of trinity. The three forms of God. Brahma (creator), Vishnu (preserver), Shiva (destroyer).

**Quran –** the religious text of Islam.

**Bible –** the religious book used by Christians.

**Shahada (shahadah) -** the Muslim statement of faith in one God**.**

**Allah –** Islamic word for God.

**Moses –** a prophet who led the Egyptian slaves out of Egypt and received the Ten Commandments.

**St Paul –** a Christian apostle who spread the teachings of Jesus.

**Subha beads (sometimes called Tasbih)** - a string of 99 beads

**Atheists** – a person who does not believe in a God.

**Muhammad** – leader and founder of Islam.

**Artefacts and symbols**