

Unit Overview

World Religions and Geography Thomson and Bunell August, 09

Unit Topical Overview

This short unit will focus on the fundamental beliefs of Judaism, Christianity, Islam, Buddhism and Hinduism. The unit will conclude with a brief portfolio that answers the topical EQ's.

Unit Evaluation Overview

The primary unit evaluation will be a brief portfolio that answers each of the topical and unit essential questions and demonstrates application of the Unit Enduring Understanding

Unit Enduring Understanding

Religion is a fundamental property of cultural identification, cultural understanding and conflict and basics ideas of geography are examples of the World's religious identity

Unit EQ

How are the general qualities of specific religions represented by the Five Themes of Geography?

Themes /Topics/Topical EQ's

Judaism

How has the history of Judaism influenced other Western religions and reflects the ideas of location and region in the 20th century?

Christianity

How has Christianity influenced world history and is defined by the theme of regions?

Islam

What are some of the fundamental ideas of Islam represented in the place, lives and governments of people who call themselves Islamic .

Buddhism

How as Buddhism influenced the region of China?

Hinduism

What is the location of most believers of Hinduism?