

Knowledge Organiser - Hinduism

Big Question: How do Hindus worship?



Shrine



Aum (Om)



The Neasden Mandir (Hindu place of worship)



The Ganges River

Key Vocabulary:

Deities- The gods and goddesses.

Trimurti- Three forms of gods -Brahma, Vishnu, and Shiva.

Brahman- Is the Ultimate Reality, the supreme God.

Puja- Is a worship ritual performed by Hindus.



Shiva



Vishnu



Brahma

Facts

Hinduism is the oldest of the world's religions.

It is now practised all over the world but originated in South East Asia.

It is a mix of different beliefs, cultures and traditions dating back over 4000 years.

Hindus recognise one God, Brahman.

The gods of Hinduism are different aspects of Brahman.

The main three aspects (Trimurti) are: Vishnu, Brahma and Shiva The three great goddesses (Tridevi) are:

Saraswati, Lakshmi and Shakti Hindus can pray to different gods and goddesses for help with different needs.

