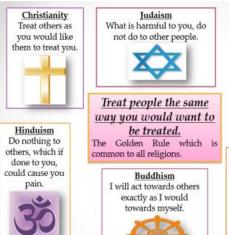
RE Term 6 Knowledge Organiser - How and why do people try to make the world a better place?

Key Vocabulary	
Deeds	Something that is done.
	These can be good or bad.
Creator	A person or thing that
	brings something into
	existence
Ten	The Ten Commandments are
Commandments	the fundamental laws of
	Jewish
	and Christian people which
	tell them how they should
	live.
Tikkun olam	A Jewish concept defined by
	acts of kindness performed
	to
	perfect or repair the world.
Tzedakah	A Hebrew word meaning
	"justice" or "righteousness,"
	but
	commonly used to signify
	charity
zakah	One of the 5 pillars of
	Islam. It is compulsory for
	Muslims to donate money to
	charity
	once a year.
Sin	An act that goes against
	God's will.



Islam
None of you
'truly' believe,
until you wish for
your brothers and
sisters what you
wish for yourself.



Sikhism
As you wish for
yourself, so wish for
others.



Make sense of belief:

- Identify some beliefs about why the world is not always a good place (e.g. Christian ideas of sin)
- Make links between religious beliefs and teachings and why
 people try to live and make the world a better place

Understand the impact:

- Make simple links between teachings about how to live and ways in which people try to make the world a better place (e.g. tikkun olam and the charity Tzedek)
- Describe some examples of how people try to live (e.g. individuals and organisations)
- Identify some differences in how people put their beliefs into action

Make connections:

- Raise questions and suggest answers about why the world is not always a good place, and what are the best ways of making it better
- Make links between some commands for living from religious traditions, non-religious worldviews and pupils' own ideas
- Express their own ideas about the best ways to make the world a better place, making links with religious ideas studied, giving good reasons for their views.

There are many charities that try to help make the world a better place. Here are a few examples.



What should I already know:

- Some people pray to their God to ask for forgiveness for their sins (they have disobeyed the creator)
- Christians believe God helps them through the Holy Spirit
- Muslims believe people do good and bad deeds and need God's mercy



