

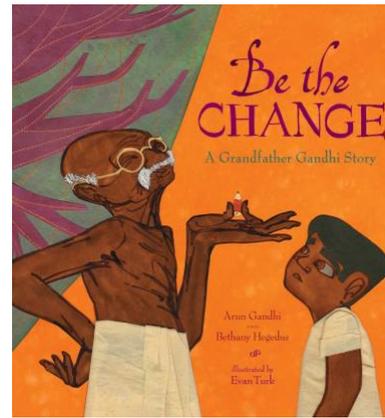
What Do We Already Know?

Hinduism: Rama and Sita, Diwali.

Stories about Jesus and symbols and features of Christianity.

In all RE lessons, pupils are given opportunities to express their beliefs and opinions respectfully.

In “California Dreaming” the current Year 6 used map skills and learnt about mountain ranges around the world.



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Be the Change

Mahatma Gandhi

Born October 2, 1869, India — died January 30, 1948, Gandhi was the leader of the nationalist movement against the British rule of India. ‘Mahatma’ means ‘great-souled one’

India is in the continent of Asia.

India

Its capital city – New Delhi – has about 30 million inhabitants (about 9 million live in London). The largest city is Mumbai.

India’s climate is mainly tropical with a monsoon season from June to September.

80.5% of people living in India are Hindus.

The longest river in India is the Ganges.

Oceans around India are the Bengal Bay, Indian Ocean and Arabian Sea.

The Himalayas – the tallest mountain range in the world - stretch along the North of India.

ahimsa	The principle of non-violence; living a life that causes as little harm as possible.
ummah	This is an Arabic word which means community. traditionally Muslims use ‘ummah’ to refer to the worldwide community of Muslims.
grace	The Christian belief that God gives us mercy and love because He wants to, not because we deserve it or have earned it.
ashram	A place of religious retreat where a community can live in a different way from the modern world.
passive violence	A small act that builds into larger harm, sometimes leading to physical violence.
Makkah	Mecca is Islam’s holiest city. Muslims try to take a pilgrimage to Mecca and this is called Hajj.
zakat	One of the 5 Pillars of Islam; it means charity and all Muslims give money as part of their religious duty.
karma	The belief that good deeds lead to a good future and bad deeds lead to a bad future. This usually involves the belief in rebirth in a future life.
reincarnation	Many religions based in India (Sikhism, Buddhism, Hinduism) believe that people are re-born after their deaths.

ENQUIRY QUESTION:

What would you do as a leader to create unity and harmony in our country?