

Introduction

Welcome to the Introduction to World Religions assessment. This 30-minute activity is designed to evaluate your understanding of the basic principles of major world religions, your ability to identify key religious symbols and practices, and your demonstration of respect and appreciation for diverse religious beliefs and traditions.

Multiple Choice Questions

Choose the correct answer for each question:

1. What is the main belief of Christianity?

- A) Belief in one God
- B) Belief in multiple gods
- C) Belief in the afterlife
- D) Belief in reincarnation

2. Which of the following is a key symbol of Islam?

- A) Cross
- B) Star of David
- C) Crescent moon
- D) Om

3. What is the main practice of Buddhism?

- A) Meditation
- B) Prayer
- C) Fasting
- D) Pilgrimage

4. What is the significance of the Torah in Judaism?

- A) It is the holy book of Christianity
- B) It is the holy book of Islam
- C) It is the holy book of Judaism
- D) It is the holy book of Hinduism

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5. Which of the following is a key practice of Hinduism?

- A) Meditation
- B) Prayer
- C) Fasting
- D) Yoga

Short Answer Questions

Answer each question in 1-2 paragraphs:

1. Describe the significance of the cross in Christianity. (5 marks)

2. What is the importance of the Five Pillars in Islam? (5 marks)

3. Explain the concept of karma in Hinduism. (5 marks)

4. What is the significance of the Buddha's teachings in Buddhism? (5 marks)

5. Describe the importance of the Sabbath in Judaism. (5 marks)

Project-Based Task

Create a poster or infographic that compares and contrasts two major world religions. Ensure that your poster or infographic includes key symbols, practices, and beliefs of each religion. (20 marks)

[Space for project work]

Reflection

Individual Reflection:

Reflect on what you have learned about the different world religions. How do you think understanding and respecting different religions can benefit our global community? (5 marks)

Glossary

Define the following terms:

- Buddhism

- Christianity

- Hinduism

- Islam

- Judaism

- Karma

- Meditation

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- Prayer

- Reincarnation

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- Sabbath

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- Torah

Conclusion

Congratulations on completing the Introduction to World Religions assessment! Remember that understanding and respecting different religions is essential in today's globalized world. Keep exploring and learning about the diverse beliefs and traditions that shape our world.

