

Read. Match the religions and their definitions

A religion is a belief in something greater than people. It may be a belief in one God or several Gods. For many people religion has a great influence on the way they live. There are many religions in the world.

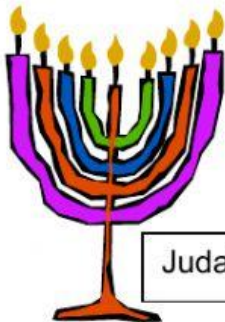
_____ teaches people to think about life and what is really important. This thinking is called "meditation". This religion is based on the ideas of an Asian Prince, Siddhartha Gautama, also known as Buddha.

_____ is practised by those who want to follow Jesus Christ teaching. They believe that God is a loving Father and that Jesus was his Son. They also say that God raised him from the death. They believe they can live eternal life after death. Their holy book is the Bible.

_____ has many Gods and beliefs. The main God is Brahman. This religion teaches that people have many lives, one after the other. This sequence of lives only ends when the believer becomes closer to Brahman.

_____ is the religion followed by Muslims. They obey the laws of God, who is called Allah. A man called Muhammad taught Allah's laws. People have to pray five times a day and help poor people. Allah's laws are written in the Muslim holy book, the Qur'an.

_____ is the religion followed by the Jews. They believe their people received the Word of God through the prophets. They worship God in a building called "Synagogue". Their holy day, or Shabbat, is from sunset of Friday to sunset on Saturday..



Judaism



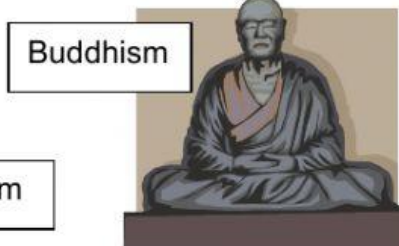
Islam



Christianity



Hinduism



Buddhism

*Do you know other religions?
Do you know their symbols?*