

CODE: HRT 3M	TITLE: World Religions and Belief Traditions Grade 11 University /College	GCVI
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WHAT IS THIS COURSE ABOUT?
<p>This course provides students with opportunities to explore various religions and belief traditions. Students will develop knowledge of the terms and concepts relevant to this area of study, will examine the ways in which religions and belief traditions meet various human needs, and will learn about the relationship between belief and action. They will examine sacred writing and teachings, consider how concepts of time and place influence different religions and belief traditions, and develop research and inquiry skills related to the study of human expressions of belief.</p> <p>Prerequisite: None</p>

COURSE OVERVIEW:

<u>Units of Study:</u>		Within each unit the following themes will be examined:	
Unit One: <u>The Religious Impulse</u>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Why Religion? - Native Spirituality 		a) Research and Inquiry Skills	
Unit Two: <u>Hinduism (The Endless Cycle)</u>		b) Approaches to the Study of the Sacred	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Karma, Dharma, teachings, beliefs, rituals 			
Unit Three: <u>Buddhism (The Search for Nirvana)</u>		c) Religious and Spiritual Impulse	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Three Jewels, The Dalai Lama, The eightfold path 			
Unit Four: <u>Judaism (The Chosen)</u>		d) Sacred teachings and Principles	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Monotheism, Abraham, Moses 			
Unit Five: <u>Christianity (A Revolution)</u>		e) Rites and Observances	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Jesus, New Testament, 			
Unit Six: <u>Islam (We look to Allah)</u>		e) Social and Cultural contexts	
<p>“As per Ministry policy the term work has been set at 70% of the final mark. The final summative assessment has been set at 30% of the final mark.”</p>			
Term Work (70%)			
Knowledge and Understanding	17.5%	Application	17.5%
Thinking	17.5%	Summative	30%
Communication	17.5%		

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How will you be Assessed and Evaluated?

- ☞ *Assessments and evaluations are your opportunity to provide evidence of your learning.*
- ☞ *You will be assessed and evaluated on your level of achievement of the Ministry expectations.*
- ☞ *Learning skills will also be recorded and reported as a part of the Ontario Provincial Report Card.*

As per Ministry policy, the Term Work has been set at 70% of the course mark. It will be composed of:

As per Ministry policy, the Final Summative Assessment has been set at 30% of the course mark.

Student will be evaluated (E-excellent, G-good, S-satisfactory, N-needs improvement) on the following learning skills:

- **Create a Religion**
- **Intro Test**
- **Whale Rider**
- **Hindu Assignment /test**
- **Buddhism Assignment/test**
- **Monotheism assign and Quiz**
- **Research Journals**

Presentation (10%)
Final Exam (20%)

Responsibility
Organization
Independent Work
Collaboration
Initiative
Self-Regulation

Attendance	Regular and punctual attendance is essential for the successful completion of each course. If you are absent for any classes, you are responsible for obtaining the notes and work missed. For more information of consequences for non-attendance, refer to the student handbook.
Academic Honesty	The GCVI requires academic honesty from all students. Academic dishonesty, including plagiarism and cheating on test or exams, will receive a zero for that evaluation. Refer to the Student Handbook for the complete policy.
Test and Assignments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - It is the student's responsibility to write all tests. - If absent due to illness a parent or guardian MUST advise the teacher before the day of the test or on the day of the test by a phone call to school (519-824-9800) - It is the student's responsibility to inform the teacher prior to any absence for tests due to school sponsored activities (i.e. field trips, sports, clubs, etc.) so that alternative arrangements can be made. - All assignments will be subject to a 10% late penalty if not handed in on the due date. - Students who are unable to meet a specified deadline are required to complete a REQUEST EXTENSION form at least one week prior to the due date. Extensions are granted based on the professional judgment of the teacher. - All assignments have a FINAL SUBMISSION DATE that is one week before the last day of classes in the semester. _____ If this submission date is not met the teacher will use their professional judgment to decide whether or not the student has met course expectations.
Final 30%	It is your responsibility to attempt all parts of the final evaluation. Any parts not attempted will be given a mark of 'zero'

