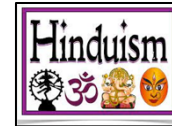


Year 3/4 Optional Learning Menu Spring 1 2024

Quentin Blake



Research the author/illustrator Quentin Blake. Can you create a fact-file about him? Start your research here with some interesting facts - <https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/Quentin-Blake/605252>

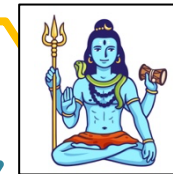
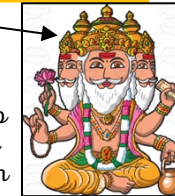
What is Hinduism?
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zh86n39/articles/zh86n39p92p>
Use this BBC Bitesize lesson on the basic ideas of Hinduism and take the quiz at the end. Write down 5 facts that you have learnt.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aZJm6QXSOP4>

Can you draw like Quentin Blake? Try this 'How to Draw Willy Wonka' video tutorial from Quentin himself and share the results with us!



CREATIVE TASK – Brahma, Vishnu and Shiva are Hindu gods. Each has a different job e.g. creator of the world, upkeep of the world, destruction of the world. Can you invent your own Hindu god? Make a 3D model/draw/paint them. What is their special job?



Sound Hunt

Find something that:

1. Makes a sound
2. You could use to play music
3. Can send sound from one place to another
4. Makes the loudest sound
5. Makes a sound you like
6. Makes a sound you dislike.

<https://learning.sciencemuseumgroup.org.uk/resources/ear-gongs/>

EXPERIMENT: Make a kind of gong from a coat hanger and some string. The gong makes a surprising and intriguing sound – but only when you have your fingers in your ears.

GEOGRAPHY – Keep a diary of all of the water you use at home for a week. Can you estimate the volume of water used each week? Can you make recommendations on how to save water? Maybe you could make a poster with your ideas to share with your family!