










Year 4 – Summer 2 – RE – Pupil Knowledge Organiser



What do I already know?			What am I learning now?	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Many people enjoy a sense of belonging. People can change and grow over time. Meditation is a way to focus the mind on a particular object, thought or activity. Role models can help us learn about life. 			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Who was Siddhartha Gautama? What were the 'Four Sights'? What is an ascetic? Why was Siddhartha still unhappy? What is the 'middle way'? 	
Significant People	Key Knowledge: Life of the Buddha		Key Vocabulary	
<p>Siddhartha Gautama</p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Also known as the Buddha. Born around 2500 years ago into a rich Hindu family in Lumbini, modern-day Nepal. 	<p>Siddhartha's father was a local king and member of the Kshatriya (warrior) caste.</p> <p>Before he was born, Siddhartha's father was told he would be a great king or a holy man.</p>  <p>He was kept locked up in the palace to make sure that he would be a king.</p> <p>Siddhartha persuaded a servant to take him outside the palace walls.</p>  <p>He saw the four sights: someone sick, someone old, a dead body and a holy man.</p>		<p>Hindu</p> <p>A person who follows the religion Hinduism.</p> <p>Kshatriya caste</p> <p>The warrior caste in Hinduism. Many Hindus believe that you are born into a caste and should fulfil the duties of that caste.</p> <p>The 'Four Sights'</p> <p>The four things Siddhartha Gautama saw outside the palace that led him to give up his life as a prince.</p> <p>ascetic</p> <p>Someone who lives a harsh life, often of fasting, praying and physical work.</p> <p>meditation</p> <p>Focusing your mind on an object, thought or activity.</p> <p>Bodhi Tree</p> <p>A type of tree.</p> <p>Enlightenment</p> <p>The state of having knowledge or understanding.</p> <p>Buddha</p> <p>A term meaning the 'Enlightened One'.</p> <p>The Middle Way</p> <p>A way of life where you are not too rich and not too poor, not just in money, but in all ways.</p> <p>Buddhism</p> <p>The 4th largest religion in the world, it has more than 500 million followers.</p>	
Religious Source of Wisdom				
 <p>The Pali Canon (The Tipitaka)</p>				
Believing	Thinking	Living		
 <p>Should people do what is expected or follow their own path?</p>	 <p>Think about Siddhartha's decision to leave the palace, was it the right thing to do?</p>	 <p>Would it be easy to follow the 'Middle Way'?</p>		