

Key Vocabulary	
New Testament	The first part of the bible that tells stories that happened after Jesus was born
Temptation	To desire to do something wrong. E.g. Eve tempted to eat the apple in Genesis 3
Brahman	Universal soul or God
Faith	A strong belief in a supernatural power that control human destiny
Humanist	People who believe in the here and now and make sense of the world through logic rather than having a faith in God.
Dilema	A situation that requires a choice between options
Moral	Principles of right or wrong behaviour.
10 commandments	The rules given to Moses by God. More details found in Exodus 20 in the Old Testament written in Hebrew

The Golden Rule

That nature only is good when it shall not do unto another whatever is not good for it's own self.

What is hateful to you, do not do to your fellow man. That is the entire Law; all the rest is commentary.

This is the sum of duty: do naught to others that which if done to thee would cause pain.

Blessed is he who prefers his brother before himself.

Hurt not others with that which pains yourself.

No one of you is a believer until he desires for his brother what he desires for himself.

Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

Beatitudes	Matthew 5 a very famous speech made by Jesus 'The Sermon on the Mount'	What do Humanists believe?	Questions of good and evil may be answered with reference to reason, experience or the principle of 'the greatest happiness for the greatest number'. Atheists and agnostics may see God-talk as an unnecessary confusion of the debate about ethics
What do Sikhs believe?	God does not inflict suffering on human beings directly. Suffering is allowed by God as a test of courage and faith.	What do Hindus believe?	Hindus believe in a universal soul or God called Brahman. Brahman takes on many forms that some Hindus worship as gods or goddesses in their own right. Hindus believe that there is a part of Brahman in everyone and this is called the Atman. The three great Hindu gods are called the Trimurti. They are called Vishnu, Brahma and Shiva
What do Muslims believe?	Muslims understanding of goodness and evil is tied to the understanding of Allah as the source of all goodness drawn from the Qur'an.	What do Christians believe?	Christian's belief in God as the source of goodness is a key to understanding the role of scripture, law and guidance. They take guidance from the Ten Commandments and the Beatitudes. The main sources of Christian ethics come from the teaching of Jesus in the New Testament Gospels
What do Jews believe?	Jews believe that there is only one God. They believe they have a special agreement with God called a covenant. Jews promise to obey God's laws to say thank you to him for looking after them		

