

Aim: What do Hindu people believe and how does the caste system work?

Bell Ringer: Define reincarnation. Why do you think that some religions believe it?

Homework:

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Caste Rules

Brahmans- Pass out/take away Karma tickets and help with reincarnation ceremonies

Kshatriya- Read when called upon, answer questions, and write on the smartboard

Vaishya- Pass out and collect papers.

Sudras- Get candy for higher classes.

Untouchables- Pick up trash and clean up messes that the other class make.

It takes five karma points to move up in social class

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Polytheism

Add several pictures of Hindu gods/goddess' with their name and title. It helps you can describe why each looks they way that they do.

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Geographic Origin

Cut and paste a political map of Asia or the world here. Have member of the Kshatryia caste circle India.

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Significant Writings

Vedas- Started by Aryan invaders of India, possibly the oldest books in the world.

insert pictures of each book.

Upanishads- Hindu scriptures that contain its major teachings and beliefs.

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Atman- The individual soul

Brahman- The universal world soul

Karma- Material actions resulting from the consequences of previous actions

Darma- Fulfilling one's duty in life

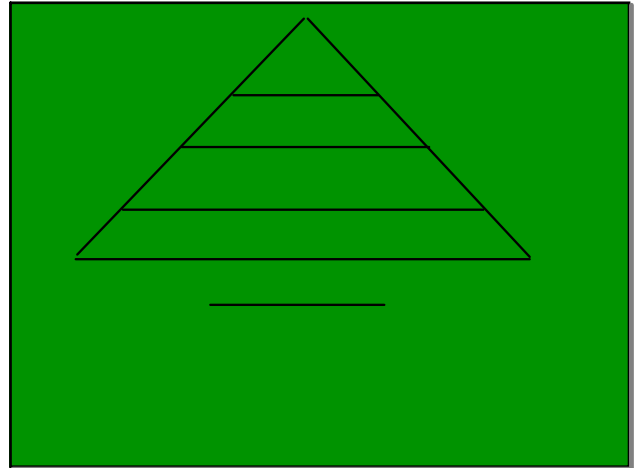
Ahimsa- The belief that all life is sacred and should not be harmed.

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Caste System- rigid class structure based on Hinduism which is found in India. It is believed that if one leads a good life then they will be rewarded by being reincarnated as a person belonging to the next highest level in the Caste System.

- Bhramin- Priests
- Kshatryia- Warriors
- Viasya- Merchants and landowners
- Sudra- Commoners, peasants, and servants
- Untouchables- Street sweepers and latrine cleaners

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Exit Slip: Why do you think that all social classes appreciate and participate in the caste system? Explain

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