## Key Information

Followers: Buddhists

Holy Book: Tipitaka

Holy Place: Pagoda, Stupa, temple

Symbol: Dharma wheel

Special People: Buddha

Special Events: Wesak

How many Gods: 0

In their everyday lives, Buddhists follow a set of guidelines called the Five Precepts.

- I. Do not harm or kill living things.
  - 2. Do not steal.
  - 3. Lead a good life.
  - 4. Do not tell lies.
  - 5. Do not drink alcohol.



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## Key Beliefs

The Buddha is important to Buddhists because he gained Enlightment and taught others how to reach it too.

Buddhists believe the Buddha was a human, not a god.

Buddhists believe nothing in the world is perfect and that the Buddha found out why this is.

#### Key Questions

Who was the Buddha?

What are the key beliefs and practices of Buddhism?

Where do Buddhist go to worship?

What can I learn from Buddhist values? Can meditation make me feel calm?





#### Holy Places







# Links to prior learning and next steps:

Religious celebrations (YR) Christianity (YI) Hinduism (YI) Judaism (YI)

#### Links to other subjects:

**Drama** — freeze framing the story of Buddha

**Art** — observational drawing of holy places

**Art** — making Wesak lanterns