



Year 5: Why do people have to stand up for what they believe in?

What should I already know?

- There is more than one religion practiced in England and around the world.
- People have different views and beliefs.
- There are different beliefs surrounding god and gods in each religion.
- Everyone is entitled to mutual respect and tolerance as part of our British Values.

Important Facts that I will learn

- The UK's protected characteristics make it against the law to treat people unfairly because
- **Religious tolerance** promotes harmony and understanding in diverse societies.
- Fireworks and light can be used to **symbolise** and celebrate **freedom**.

Diagrams



Bandi chhor divas

Peaceful protest

Malala Yousafzai fought for rights of girls under the Taliban rule

Vocabulary

atheist	A person who does not believe their is a god or gods
Bandi Chhor Divas	a Sikh festival that celebrates the liberation of the sixth Sikh Guru, Guru Hargobind, and 52 Hindu princes from imprisonment in 1619
denomination	Love, commitment or enthusiasm for a person, activity or cause.
discrimination	Treating someone unfairly ,or differently because of who they are (including religion, age or gender)
liberation	Becoming free
prejudice	Judging someone or something before knowing them well, often leading to unfair treatment.
religious	Relating to believing in a religion.
tolerance	Willingness to accept or respect different beliefs, practices or opinions, even if you disagree with them.

End of unit skills

- Identify challenges people face because of their religious beliefs.
- Suggest ways to create positive change.
- Express the different ways light symbolises celebration.
- Assess different points of view.
- Begin to use the terms bias, stereotype and prejudice.
- Explore various viewpoints surrounding religious prejudice.
- Consider why there are still issues regarding religious freedom today.

Key Unit Knowledge



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Guy Fawkes lived during a time when it was illegal in England to practise Christianity in a certain way. People had to follow the beliefs and practices of the monarch or face punishment. King James was a Christian **Protestant** whereas Guy Fawkes was a Christian **Catholic**: the **divine right of kings** was the belief that a king or queen had been chosen by God so could make all of the country's decisions



**Bandi Chhor Divas** is a Sikh celebration which celebrates Guru Hargobind's release from prison and the liberation of 52 other prisoners he rescued who held different beliefs to him.