



KEY VOCABULARY

wisdom

knowing **how to make good choices**, especially when things are difficult or important

sacred text

a **special book** that is very important within a religion

Qur'an

The **holy book of Islam**, believed by Muslims to be the word of God, written in Arabic

Hadith

sayings and actions of the Prophet Muhammad that help many Muslims to live wisely

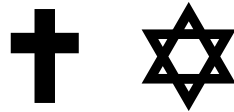
dharma

the **teachings of the Buddha** in Buddhism that help Buddhists to understand life

philosophy

the study of **big questions** about **life, truth** and **how to make wise choices**

Judaism & Christianity



'walk with the wise and become wise'

a proverb from the Bible and from Jewish writings

Sikhism



'let wisdom be your mother and contentment be your father — let truth be your brother — these are your best relatives'

from the Guru Granth Sahib

Islam



'the Earth is green and beautiful, and Allah has appointed you his stewards over it'

from the Hadith

Buddhism



'thousands of candles can be lit from a single candle, and the life of the candle will not be shortened'

based on a quote from Buddha