

THEMATIC ESSAY: RELIGION

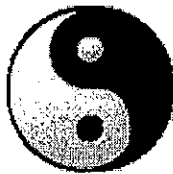
Do ideas and belief systems shape human behavior?

Task: To what extent did the religions of the ancient world shape the culture that arose in each geographic region?

- Select two religions
- For each religion you choose:
 - o Discuss two beliefs of the religion
 - o Explain how the religion shaped the culture that arose in that region

Directions: Write a well-developed essay that includes and introductory paragraph with a topic sentence. Some religions you might consider are:

Animism
Hinduism
Buddhism
Confucianism
Taoism
Judaism
Christianity
Islam



Thematic Essay - World Religions



Introduction: _____

RELIGION	BELIEFS	SHAPED THE CULTURE	REGION
	Belief 1	(Impact)	
	Belief 2		
	Belief 1	(Impact)	
	Belief 2		

Conclusion: _____

