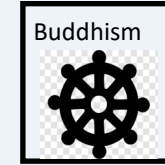
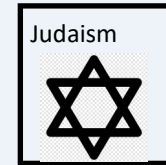
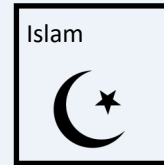
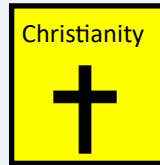


RE Spring 2

Year 5 – Creation and science: conflicting or complementary?



Key vocabulary to remember and use in your learning

Word	Definition
Science	The study of the structure and behaviour of the natural and physical world.
Genesis	The first book of the Bible and Torah including God creating the World.
Big Bang Theory	The belief that the universe began with a large explosion of matter.
complementary	When things work well together and explain each other.
creation	The act of creating the world and the things on it.
Creator	The being who created everything in the universe
conflicting	No agreement or support for different ideas or views.
interpretation	An explanation of the meaning of something.

Theory

A set of ideas to attempt to explain something for example, some people have the theory that the universe began with an explosion and they call this the Big Bang Theory.

Literal

Taking words and stories as they are without any interpretation. Christians have a literal understanding of the Bible such as creation.

Key knowledge to know and use

- There have been many different ideas about how the universe began from religion and from science.
- Genesis chapter 1 in the Bible explains about a Creator God who made the world in six days and then rested on the seventh day.
- Some people have the theory that universe began with an explosion and they call this the Big Bang Theory.
- Some people only believe one of these stories and say that they are conflicting accounts of the creation of the universe. Other people, such as religious scientists, believe that the stories about how the universe began are complementary and talk about the same thing but in different ways.

