World Religion Chips

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Preface

The 3D printed tactile models included in this demonstration are designed to help students memorize and learn the various world religions.

Each chip has the symbol of a world religion extruded to allow tactile demonstration. All information in this guide is derived from Wikipedia.
**Christianity** - an Abrahamic, monotheistic religion based on the life and oral teachings of Jesus of Nazareth as presented in the New Testament.

**Islam** - a monotheistic and Abrahamic religion articulated by the Qur'an, a book considered by its adherents to be the verbatim word of God and by the teachings and normative example of Muhammad, considered by them to be the last prophet of God.

**Hinduism** - a categorization of distinct intellectual or philosophical points of view, rather than a rigid, common set of beliefs.

**Buddhism** - a nontheistic religion that encompasses a variety of traditions, beliefs and practices largely based on teachings attributed to Buddha.
**Shinto** - the indigenous religion of Japan and the people of Japan. It is defined as an action-centered religion, to establish a connection between present-day Japan and its ancient past.

**Sikhism** - a monotheistic religion founded during the 15th century in the Punjab region of the Indian subcontinent by Guru Nanak and developed through the teachings of ten successive Sikh Gurus.

**Judaism** - a monotheistic religion, with the Torah as its foundational text, that serves as the religion, philosophy, and way of life of the Jewish people.

**Bahá’í Faith** - a monotheistic religion emphasizing the spiritual unity of all humankind.
Jainism - an Indian religion that prescribes a path of nonviolence towards all living beings, and emphasizes spiritual independence and equality between all forms of life.

Confucianism - an ethical and philosophical system, on occasion described as a religion, developed from the teachings of the Chinese philosopher Confucius.

Taoism - a philosophical, ethical, and religious tradition of Chinese origin that emphasizes living in harmony with the Tao.

Native Spirituality - Native American beliefs and practices that form an integral and seamless part of their very being.
Zoroastrianism - an ancient Iranian religion and a religious philosophy that has influenced other later religions including Judaism, Gnosticism, Christianity and Islam.

Unitarianism - a theological movement named for its understanding of God as one person, in direct contrast to Trinitarianism, which Christians define as God in three persons coexisting consubstantially as one being.
Ways to Use the Chips

• Use as memory chips, spatial memorization through tactile graphics enhances memorization of the various religions
• Matching game, match chips with the religion's name
• Advanced matching game, match chips with both religion's name as well as religion's core beliefs