

RE Knowledge Organiser

Year: 5 **5.1. Inspirational people in today's world**

Term: Autumn 1

Topic: Anglo Saxons

Vocab	Meaning
Methodist	A group who are part of the Christian faith
Preached	Spread the word of God
Protest	Speak out about what you believe
Recipient	When you are given something

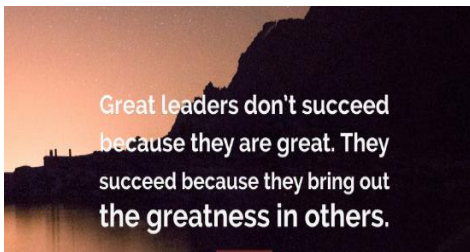
Key Knowledge:

What makes a good leader?

A good leader should be:

- Honest
- Hardworking
- Willing to serve others
- A good listener
- A good communicator
- A good decision maker

There are many strong leaders around the world who inspire people. Some leaders have religious beliefs behind their deeds but many do not.



William Booth - Christian

Booth's work led to the formation of The Salvation Army in 1878.

He made it the Army's mission to convert people to Christianity. Booth especially wanted to help poor people, released prisoners and the homeless.

The Salvation Army continues to be a major charity in the UK today and continues to help the people of Nottingham.



Marcus Rashford - Christian

Marcus Rashford is a professional footballer, who was born in Manchester, England.

He has used his platform as a high-profile athlete to raise awareness about child poverty and food insecurity.

In 2020, Rashford launched a campaign to extend the government's free school meal program for children from poorer families during the summer months. His campaign was successful.

Rashford has the reputation of a genuinely good person whose actions spring from faith.

Malala Yousafzai – Muslim

Malala is a Muslim, and she grew up in Pakistan.



She was prevented from going to school by supporters of the Taliban - an extreme religious group who believe that women should not receive an education.

Malala was a student at the school run by her father and believed that she - and all other girls - had a right to education.

She spoke out about the issue - even though it was dangerous to do so. When she was 15, Malala was shot by a Taliban supporter while she was on a bus. She almost died and she was treated in hospital in England.

She continued her campaign for education rights and in 2014 - aged just 17 - Malala became the youngest person to receive the Nobel Peace Prize.

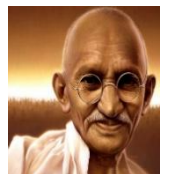
Mahatma Gandhi - Hindu

Gandhi came from a rich family but dressed like a poor Indian. He wore simple white cotton clothes that he made himself, even when he came to England to meet the King at Buckingham Palace.

He lived in India 100 years ago. Gandhi is also known as 'Mahatma', meaning 'great soul'.

At that time, India was part of the British Empire, a group of countries ruled by Britain and Britain decided their laws.

Gandhi believed this was wrong. He thought India should be ruled by Indian people. He wanted change but through peace, not violence. This finally happened In 1947.



Learning Objectives

Lesson 1-3	I know about the lives and motivations of some inspirational people from different religions.
Lesson 4	I can present my ideas and give evidence for why these leaders are inspiring and deserve to be recognised.