Hello y5+6 Monday 28th June R.E.

Today we are going to investigate Humanists beliefs about life beyond death.

In a nutshell, Humanists have no belief in an afterlife at all so they focus on seeking happiness in this life on Earth.

Watch What is humanism on bbc bitesize to revise Humanists general beliefs.

Humanists rely on Science to explain the creation of Earth and the universe and they use a moral code to treat others as they would like to be treated themselves: with empathy and compassion.

- 1. What are the definitions of empathy and compassion?
- 2. Give examples of someone showing empathy in your life.
- 3. Give your thoughtful response (your thoughts, feelings, opinions) to the Humanist's view of life and death.

"This is the one and only life that we have. This is the only world that we have so we need to find all the happiness that we can in our life right now. We also need to care for our world right now. When someone dies the person lives on purely in the memories of friends and family left behind and also in the effects of the good work that they did when they were alive".