

OM

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- OM is name (sound) and form of God
- OM is not a word or a letter
- OM is represented as a union of sounds of three Sanskrit alphabets
- \bullet A + U + M
- OM has five parts A+U+M+half moon+bindu



- OM chanting is also practiced in Buddhism, Jainism, and Sikkhism
- OM is very important in Sanatana Dharma (Hinduism). It is recited along with prayers, Vedic chants, rituals, spiritual and philosophical gatherings.....
- OM is heard by a baby in the womb in the eigth month.
- OM is produced in the inhale and exhale pairs of breathing.



 The three main parts of OM represents the following:

wakeful Dream Deepsleep

RigVeda YajurVeda SamaVeda

Knowledge Service Devotion

Earth Atmosphere Space



• Fire Wind Sun

Speech Mind Vital Force

Gross Subtle Causal

Morning Afernoon Evening



Mother Father Children

Past Present Future

Student Householder Contemplative

Food Water Light

...Still there are many more.....







