

Prior Learning:

Pupils will know from Year 2.

- I can tell you about a special journey and why it was special to me.
- I can remember some of the events that happen during Hajj and start to explain why these are important to Muslims.
- I can start to think about the significance of Hajj to a Muslim.



Year 6 - Islam

What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?



Key Skills Taught

Investigate: ask relevant questions; know how to use different types of sources as a way of gathering information.

Empathise: consider the thoughts, feelings, attitudes, beliefs and values of others; identify feelings such as love, wonder, forgiveness and sorrow; see the world through others eyes.

Express: explain concepts and practices, interpret symbols and respond through a range of media.

Key Knowledge Taught: by the end of the unit, pupils are expected to know that:

- I can use the right names for things that are important to Muslims.
- I can describe some of the ways that Muslims choose to show commitment to God.
- I can explain why there might be different ways of showing commitment.
- I can describe how different practices enable Muslims to show their commitment to God and understand that some of these will be more significant to some Muslims than others.
- I can explore why Muslims choose to show commitment to God in the ways that they do and how this might impact on their lives.
- I can explain that individuals choose to show different degrees of commitment to their religion and can relate this to commitments I make in my life.

VOCABULARY

commitment: Being dedicated to a cause or an activity

Muslim: A follower of the religion of Islam.

Allah: The Arabic name Muslims use for God.

Salah: The five daily prayers of Islam

Worship: The feeling or expression of reverence and adoration for a deity.

Adham: Call to prayer

Wudu: A ritual washing performed in preparation for prayer

Makkah: City where Muhammed was born. Also spelt Mecca

prostrating: In Islam, kneeling with forehead, hands, knees and feet touching the floor.

Ramadan: The month of fasting and prayer in Islam.

Ihram: Simple clothing made from two pieces of white cloth for men. For women, normal clothing with face and hands uncovered.

Ka'bah: The cube shaped building in the centre of Makkah (Mecca) which is the most sacred site in Islam.

