

Holmer C of E academy – R.E

Topic: How do festivals and worship show what matters to a

KS2 – Year 3

Strand: Herefordshire agreed syllabus 2020

What should I already know?

- Pupils should know what Muslim people believe and how this affects how they live (Unit 1.6)
- Pupils should have some knowledge of the five pillars. More specifically Shahadah (Unit 1.6)

Diagram



Vocabulary

Mosque	A place of worship for Muslims
Ibadah	Muslim worship and belief in action
Islam	Islam means the peace that comes from being in harmony with God
Muslim	Muslim means one who willingly submits to God.
Shahadah	Exploring Muslim ideas about God and his Messenger, Prophet Muhammad
Salah	Prayer five times a day
Sawm	Fasting during Ramadan

RE skills

Making sense of belief
Understanding the impact
Making connections

What will I know by the end of this unit?

Make sense of belief:

- Identify some beliefs about God in Islam, expressed in Surah 1.
- Make clear links between beliefs about God and ibadah (e.g. how God is worth worshipping; how Muslims submit to God)

Understand the impact:

- Give examples of ibadah (worship) in Islam (e.g. prayer, fasting, celebrating) and describe what they involve.
- Make links between Muslim beliefs about God and a range of ways in which Muslims worship (e.g. in prayer and fasting, as a family and as a community, at home and in the mosque)

Make connections:

- Raise questions and suggest answers about the value of submission and self-control to Muslims, and whether there are benefits for people who are not Muslims

Related Reads

Muslim Child -
Rukhsana Khan · 2001

Let's Celebrate Ramadan & Eid!
(Muslim Festival of Fasting)-
Ajanta Chakraborty, Vivek Kumar,
Janelle Diller · 2017

It's Ramadan, Curious George -
H. A. Rey, Hena Khan · 2016

The First Book of Festivals -
By Anita Ganeri, Mary Saunders

Question	Answer
Give examples of ibadah (worship) in Islam	
What does the opening chapter of the Qur'an teach Muslims about God?	
Why does prayer matter to Muslims?	
Why is the mosque a special place for Muslims?	
Why do Muslims celebrate at the end of Ramadan?	
Willing submission to God is central to Islam.	
What are the benefits for anyone of living a self-disciplined life?	

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