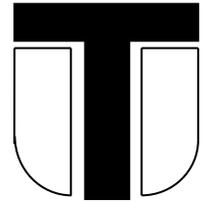


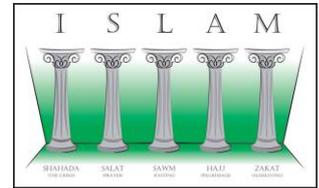
Religious Education Y6 Spring Term 1



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

Knowledge

- Showing commitment can be challenging.
- Muslims show commitment to their faith in many ways.
- The five pillars of Islam guide Muslims in how to live their lives.
- Muslims pray five times a day, at set times, to show that they are putting their faith first.
- Muslims are expected to donate 2.5% of their income to charity.
- Muslims fast during religious festivals and celebrations to be more spiritual.
- During Ramadan, Muslims fast during daylight hours.
- Muslims try to go on a pilgrimage to Makkah at least once in their lifetime.



Vocabulary

Allah = in Islam, the name for God

commitment = willingness and dedication to give your time/energy to something you believe in

fasting = go without food or drink, especially as a religious choice

Five Pillars of Islam = five duties expected of every Muslim, which they believe raises them up to be close to God

Hajj = the pilgrimage to Makkah, which all Muslims are expected to make in their lifetime

Islam = the religion of Muslims, believing in one god, Allah, and Mohammad as his prophet

Mecca/Makkah = the holy city of Islam, located in Saudi Arabia

Muhammad = the greatest prophet and founder of Islam

Mosque/Masjid = a Muslim place of worship

Muslim = a follower of the religion of Islam

pilgrimage = a religious journey to a holy or religiously-significant location

prophet = someone who is believed to be in contact with God and speak on God's behalf

Ramadan = the 9th month of the Muslim year during which fasting takes place during daylight

Salah/Salat = prayer, which Muslims undertake five times per day

Sawm = fasting from dawn until dusk during Ramadan

Shahadah = the Muslim statement of faith: "There is no god but Allah and Muhammad is his messenger."

spiritual = relating to religious belief and the human spirit/soul rather than physical things

Qur'an = the holy book of Islam

Zakah/Zakat = donating some income to charity which is expected of all Muslims

