

## LIVING – U2.6 What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? (Year 5)

### Key knowledge and skills of the unit

- Deploy a rich knowledge of the 5 Pillars to make connections between Muslim practice of the Five Pillars and their beliefs about God and the Prophet Muhammad
- Describe and reflect on the significance of the Holy Qur’an to Muslims
- Describe the forms of guidance a Muslim uses and compare them to forms of guidance experienced by the pupils
- Make connections between the key functions of the mosque and the beliefs of Muslims

#### Working towards

- Describe the Five Pillars of Islam and give detailed examples of how these affect the everyday lives of Muslims
- Identify three reasons why the Holy Qur’an is important to Muslims, and how it makes a difference to how they live

#### Working above

- Deploy a rich knowledge of the 5 Pillars to explain connections between Muslim practice and their beliefs about God and the Prophet Muhammad
- Comment thoughtfully on the value and purpose of religious practices and rituals in a Muslim’s daily life
- Answer the title key question from different perspectives, including their own

#### Key vocabulary

Five pillars, Allah, Qur’an, mosque, minaret, dome, prayer mats, minbar, purification, Prophet Muhammad, rak’ah (prayer positions), zakah (charity), fasting, Ramadan, Eid-ul-fitr, pilgrimage, Mecca,

The five pillars of Islam are *shahadah* - a belief in one God, *salah* - prayer, five times a day, *sawm*- fasting in the month of Ramadan, *hajj* - pilgrimage and *zakah*- the giving of alms.

#### Prior learning

F5: Where do we belong?  
 1.2 Who is a Muslim and what do they believe?  
 1.7 What does it mean to belong to a faith community?  
 L2.7 What does it mean to be a Christian in Britain today?  
 L2.8 What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?

#### Future learning

KS3  
 3.8 What is good and what is challenging about being a teenage Buddhist, Sikh or Muslim in Britain today?

#### Humanist materials link

#### Cultural capital

#### Religions/World views

- Muslim speaker (SACRE)
- Visit a mosque
- Ramadan
- Eid-ul-fitr

Muslims

