

Crofton Junior School – RE Knowledge Organiser



What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? – Year 5 Summer Term

(Wakefield Agreed Syllabus 2018-2023)

Unit of Work	RE – What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? (U2.4)
Text Driver the Unit of Work Links to	N/a
Key Strand	Living: Religious practices and ways of living; questions about values and commitments
Overview of the Unit of Work	Pupils will learn about being a follower of the Muslim religion from different religious and spiritual ways of life. Pupils explore the Five Pillars of Islam and the importance of these to Muslim believers. They will develop a greater understanding of Islam and what we can learn from its beliefs, values and ideas. Opportunities will be provided to learn more about the Qur’an and other forms of guidance with reflections on what forms of guidance pupils turn to when they need advice and guidance considering similarities and differences to Muslims.
Prior Learning & Vocabulary	During the Year 5 Autumn term, pupils explored an in-depth Christian view of God. They discovered the importance of Jesus to Christians and his teachings as a role model, allowing them to make thoughtful comparisons with an in-depth look at another religion. Vocabulary: Islam, Muslim, mosque, Qur’an, prayer, Allah, Prophet Muhammad (pbuh), Five Pillars of Islam
Sticky Knowledge	Pupils will learn: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To explore the practice, meaning and significance of the Five Pillars of Islam as an expression of ibadah. • How the Five Pillars of Islam affect the lives of Muslims, moment by moment, daily, annually and in a lifetime. • The value and challenge for Muslims of following the Five Pillars and how they make a difference to Muslims and to the Ummah • The importance of the Holy Qur’an for Muslims: how it was revealed to the Prophet Muhammad, how it is used, treated and learnt • To investigate the design and purpose of a mosque and explain how and why the architecture and activities (e.g. preparing for prayer) reflect Muslim beliefs
New Vocabulary	ibadha: worship and belief in action (in the Islamic belief) Shahadah: belief in one God and his Prophet Salat: daily prayer

	<p>Sawm: fasting Zakat: giving to charity Hajj: pilgrimage Ummah: Muslim community Sunnah: practices, customs and traditions of the Prophet Muhammad Hadith: sayings and actions of the Prophet Muhammad</p>
Post Learning	<p>Y6 Autumn term: pupils will build on their understanding of the lives of Muslims, in particular building on the Five Pillars of Islam, with a focus on Zakat. In addition, they will develop their spiritual understanding of the arts and how Muslims express their beliefs through this medium.</p>