

Milwards Primary School and Nursery – RE Knowledge Organiser

Class: Year 4 (Willow)

Main Disciplinary focus: Theology

Core Question: **How do the five pillars help Muslims express their faith?**

Curriculum Thread: Fingertip knowledge development (Step 3)

Religion: Islam

Core Knowledge



'Ibadah' means worship and any action that is performed with the intention of obeying Allah.

The Five Pillars of Islam, which help Muslims to ensure that their lives are dedicated to the worship of Allah, are part of Ibadah.

The Five Pillars of Islam are a structure for the spiritual life of Muslims.

Useful References



BBC: *My Life, My Religion: Islam*

NATRE: Inspiring RE - Islam

Prior Knowledge

Year 2:

'Allah' is the Arabic word for God.

Many Muslims believe that God is one.

Most Muslims believe God created the world and his influence can be seen in it.

Many Muslims believe that God cannot be seen, but they have 99 different names that describe what God is like.

Some Muslims and Christians worship God when they pray, sing or go to a holy building.

There are lots of different ways of worshipping and reasons for worshipping.

Members of these religious communities each have some ways of worshipping that are just for them.

How to use religious information to understand big ideas – prayer and worship – that are used in two different religions.

Name the key parts/areas with a mosque and church.

Year 3:

The Muslim scriptures, the Qur'an, are highly prized and treated with respect.

Following what the scriptures require is a higher way of respecting them than other signs of respect to the Muslim scriptures, but all these signs of honour matter to Muslims.

How the Birmingham Qur'an is an example of British Islam's impact and place in our plural society.

Skills



1. Identify different sources of authority and how they link with beliefs.

2. Give examples of different writings and different ways in which believers interpret sources of authority.

Identify events in history and society which have influenced some religious and non-religious worldviews.

1. Make clear links between different beliefs being studied within a religion or worldview.

2. Identify some of the similarities and differences between and within religions and worldviews.

Identify ways in which beliefs might make a Muslim think about how they live their life, how they see the world in which they live and how they view others.

Fingertip Knowledge

Name of Religion:
Christianity

Name of followers:
Christians

Name for God: God

Sacred Text: Bible

Place of Worship:
Church

Name of Religion:
Islam

Name of followers:
Muslims

Name for God: Allah

Sacred Text: Qur'an

Place of Worship:
Mosque

Name of Religion: Hindu Dharma

Name of followers: Hindu

Name for God: Brahman

Sacred Text: The Vedas

Place of Worship: Mandir (Temple)

Key Vocabulary



Allah, God, Qur'an, 99 names, Tawhid, Prophet Muhammad, Prophet Ibrahim, Muslim, Islam, mosque, moon and star, five pillars, Ibadah, paradise.