

Encounter

What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?



- Describe the Five Pillars of Islam and how they are an important part of the Islamic faith and religious practice.
- Think about and discuss the value and challenge of the Five Pillars and how they might make a difference to individual Muslims and the Muslim community (Ummah).
- Ask questions to further their understanding of what it means to be a Muslim in Bolton today.
- Recognise what we can learn from the Muslim faith.

VOCAB:

Shahadah: sincerely reciting the Muslim profession of faith

Salat: performing ritual prayers in the proper way five times each day

Zakat: paying an alms (or charity) tax to benefit the poor and the needy

Sawm: fasting during the month of Ramadan

Haji: pilgrimage to Mecca