

A Special Visit to the Mosque with Bea the Bee

Learning objective: To learn about the mosque as a place of worship for Muslims and identify key features found inside.

Bea the Bee is visiting a mosque and needs your help to finish her map! Look at the list of special items below. Match the items to the correct description by drawing a line from the word to the matching picture or sentence. Then, use the word bank to fill in the missing words in our list.

Word bank: Mosque · Prayer Mat · Wudu · Qibla

1. 1. What is the name of the special building where Muslims go to pray? (1 mark)

2. 2. Before praying, Muslims wash their hands, face, and feet to be clean. What is this washing called? (1 mark)

3. 3. Why do Muslims use a soft mat when they pray? (2 marks)

4. 4. The Qibla is a special mark on the wall. Which direction does it show people to face while praying? (1 mark)

5. 5. Can you name one thing that you see in your own home that helps you feel calm, just like the things in the mosque? (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a beautiful pattern on a prayer mat. Use your favorite colors and think about the patterns Zara the Zebra might notice!



Extension challenge: Talk to a friend about why it is important for people to have a special place to go when they want to be quiet, think, or pray.