Exploring the Significance of Eid

Learning objective: I can explain the meaning of Eid al-Fitr and Eid al-Adha and describe how they are celebrated by Muslims in the UK.

About 15 minutes. Grown-up tip: Encourage your child to look for information in library books or reliable educational websites to complete the fact-file.

Use this fact-file to research and record your knowledge about Eid. For each section, use clear, descriptive sentences. Example for 'Charity': 'Zakat al-Fitr is a donation given to those in need before the Eid prayer so that everyone can enjoy the celebration.'

Word bank: Sawm · Hajj · Zakat · Mosque · Community · Gratitude · Celebration

1. Eid al-Fitr: Describe the meaning of this festival and why it follows the month of Ramadan. (2 marks)

2. Eid al-Adha: Explain the importance of this festival and how it relates to the Hajj pilgrimage. (2 marks)

3. Acts of Charity: Explain the role of Zakat (charity) during these celebrations. (2 marks)

4. Community and Reflection: How do Muslims in the UK typically spend their day during Eid? (2 marks)

5. Personal Connection: Why is it important for a community to come together for a shared celebration? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a scene showing a community celebration or a traditional Eid decoration.

Extension challenge: Compare and contrast: Create a Venn diagram showing one similarity and one difference between how Eid is celebrated and how another festival (like Christmas or Diwali) is celebrated in the UK.

I did it! **Name: _____** **Date: _____**

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