

P4 Week of 25.01.21

We are continuing to follow our planned Religious and Moral Education Programme. This term P4's RME topic is Eid-ul-Adha

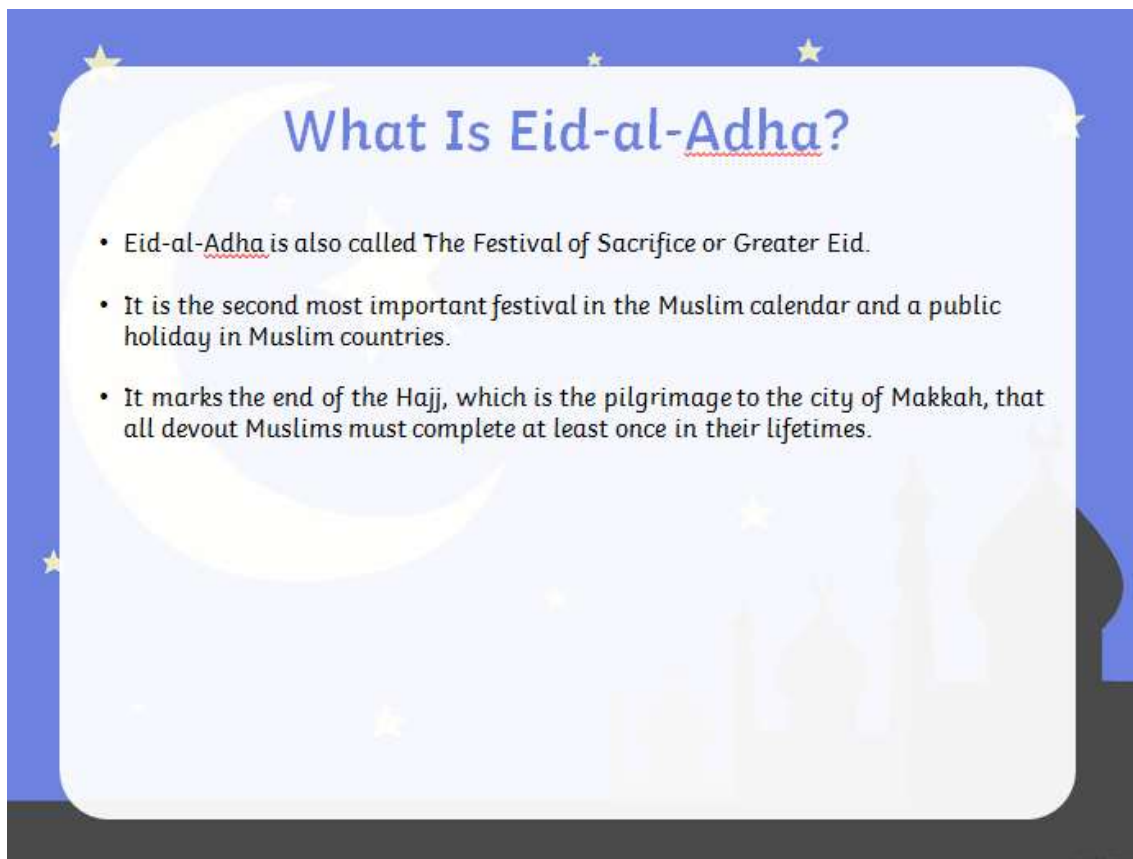
Lesson 2: Hajj

All Muslims celebrate Eid-ul-Adha whether they have been able to go to Hajj or not. They are celebrating that Hajj has taken place.

During Hajj, pilgrims join of hundreds of thousands of people, who meet in Mecca for the week of the Hajj, and perform a series of customs

Each person will

- Circulate the Kaaba **Seven** Times. ...
- Pray All Day on Mount Arafat. ...
- Stay Overnight in Muzdalifah. ...
- Stoning of the Devil. ...
- Run **7** Times between Al-Safa and Al-Marwa. ...
- Perform Stoning of the Devil Up to Three Days in Mina.
- Perform Farewell Tawaaf in Counter-Clock Wise Direction



What Is Eid-al-Adha?

- Eid-al-Adha is also called The Festival of Sacrifice or Greater Eid.
- It is the second most important festival in the Muslim calendar and a public holiday in Muslim countries.
- It marks the end of the Hajj, which is the pilgrimage to the city of Makkah, that all devout Muslims must complete at least once in their lifetimes.

Why Is Eid-al-Adha An Important Festival For Muslims?

The festival remembers the prophet Ibrahim's willingness to sacrifice his son when God ordered him to.

Allah (God) appeared to Ibrahim in a dream and asked him to sacrifice his son Ishmael as an act of obedience to Allah.

The devil tempted Ibrahim by saying he should disobey Allah and spare his son.

As Ibrahim was about to kill his son, Allah stopped him and gave him a lamb to sacrifice instead.

What Happens During Eid-al-Adha?

- Muslims all over the world, who can afford it, sacrifice a sheep (sometimes a goat) as a reminder of Ibrahim's obedience to Allah.
- They share out the meat among family, friends and the poor, who each get a third share.
- Eid usually starts with Muslims going to the mosque for prayers, dressed in their best clothes, and thanking Allah for all the blessings they have received.
- At Eid it is obligatory to give a set amount of money to charity, to be used to help poor people to buy new clothes and food so that they too can celebrate.



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Help the Hujjaj find their way to the Kabah, insha'Allah

