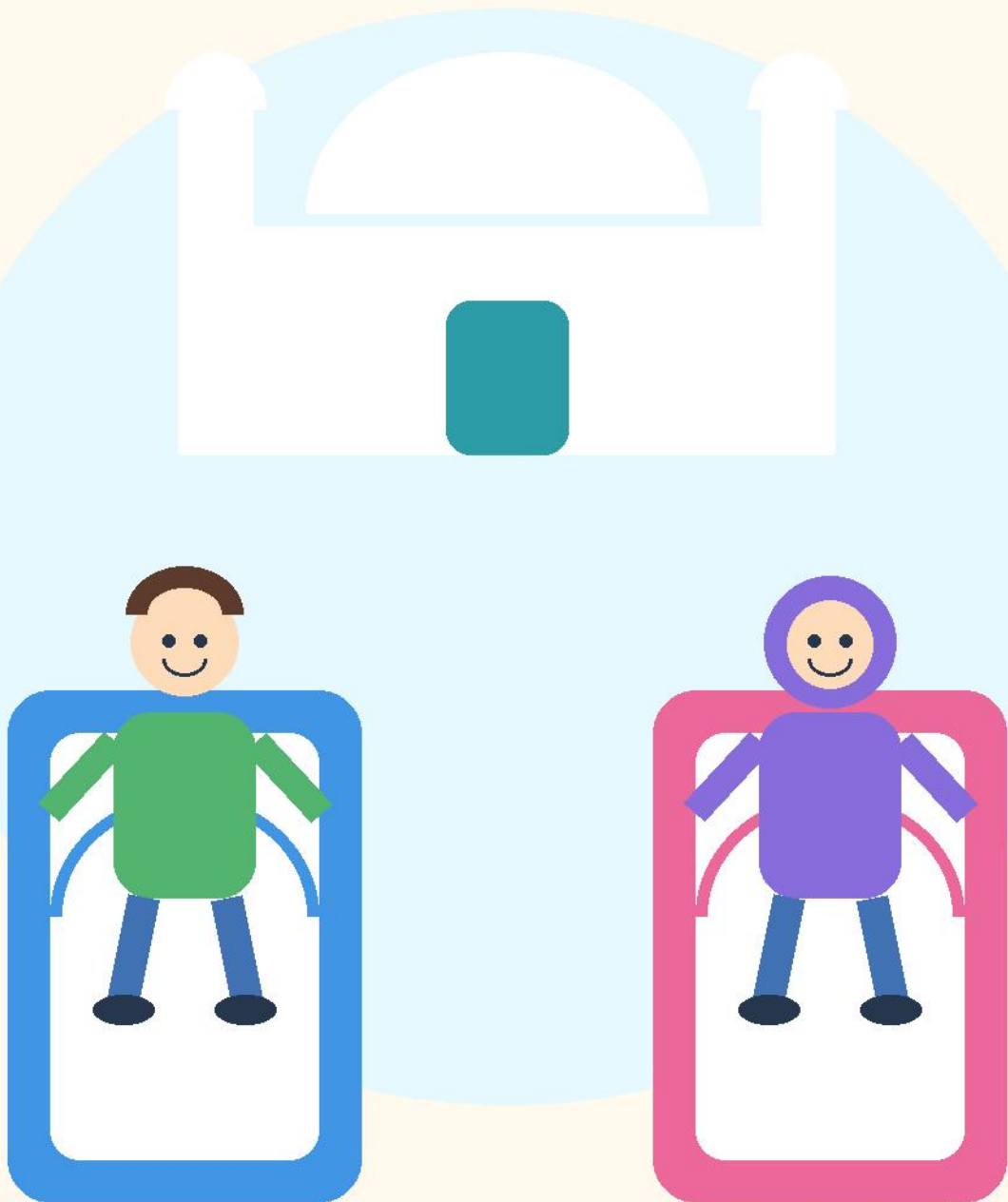


Lesson 1

Why Is Salah Important?

For Kids Ages 3-5



Salah is talking to Allah.

Learning Goals

-  **Know what salah is.**
-  **Know that Allah commanded us to pray.**
-  **Learn the story of Al-Isra wal-Mi'raj.**
-  **Know that salah is the most important pillar after Shahadah.**
-  **Know that Muslims pray every day.**

Today we learn why salah is so special.

What Is Salah?

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When we pray, we worship Allah, thank Allah, ask Allah for help, and show that we love Allah.

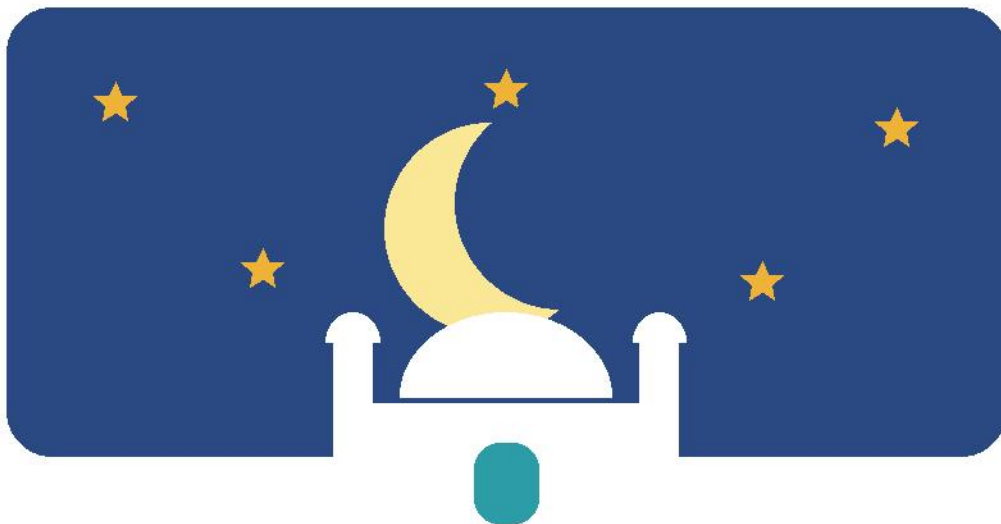
-  **Worship Allah**
-  **Thank Allah**
-  **Ask Allah for help**
-  **Show love for Allah**

Salah is one of the Five Pillars of Islam.

Allah Gave Us Salah

The special journey: Al-Isra wal-Mi'raj

Allah took Prophet Muhammad ﷺ on a special journey from Makkah to Jerusalem and then up to the heavens. There, Allah spoke to the Prophet ﷺ and gave the Muslims salah.



Salah is a gift from Allah.
Alhamdulillah!

5 Prayers, Reward Like 50

At first, Allah commanded 50 prayers every day. Then Allah reduced them to 5 prayers every day.



50
become
prayers



Even though we pray 5 times, Allah rewards us like 50 prayers!

The Five Daily Prayers

Fajr

Dhuhr

Asr

Maghrib

Isha

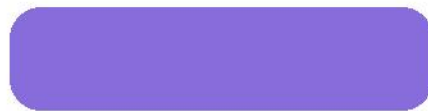
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Salah Is Very Important

Salah is the first thing we will be asked about on the Day of Judgment. The Prophet ﷺ loved salah very much. When it was time to pray, he would hurry to salah.

Salah Has No Excuse



We still pray as best as we can. A Muslim should never leave salah.

Pray As Best As You Can

**If we can stand,
we pray standing.**

**If we cannot stand,
we pray sitting.**

**If we cannot sit,
we pray lying down.**

Allah is kind and merciful.

Why Do We Pray?

- Allah commanded us.
- We love Allah.
- We want Jannah.
- We want Allah to be pleased with us.

Salah brings our hearts close to Allah.

Activity Time

Ask the children:

Who gave us salah?

How many prayers do we pray every day?

What is the special journey called?

Final Reminder

Salah is a beautiful gift from Allah.

