

ICE Definition of Citizenship

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| Belonging | to our country, city, town, community, religion; sharing our country's values in things like respect, tolerance, freedom and equality. |
| Interacting | taking part in the life of our country and communities and interacting with others so that we can help each other to make it a better place for all to live in. |
| Rights | your right to live and worship in the country freely, give your views on political issues, take part in democratic elections; the right to justice and to democracy; government rights over you – for example, making sure you obey the law and pay your taxes. |
| Responsibilities | responsibilities towards each other, caring for the environment, caring for other people, not interfering with the rights of others, obeying the law, going to school; government responsibilities – for example, spending your taxes in an appropriate way on such things as healthcare, schools and security; and protecting the rights of citizens – for example, ensuring you can live and speak freely and worship peacefully. |

Islamic Guidance

يَا أَيُّهَا النَّاسُ إِنَّا خَلَقْنَاكُمْ مِنْ ذَكَرٍ وَأُنْثَى
جَعَلْنَاكُمْ شُعُوبًا وَقَبَائِلَ لِتَعَارَفُوا إِنَّ أَكْرَمَكُمْ
عِنْدَ اللَّهِ أَتْقَاكُمْ إِنَّ اللَّهَ عَلِيمٌ خَبِيرٌ

'O mankind! We created you from a male and a female and We made you into nations and tribes so that you may know each other; the most noble of you in the sight of God is the one who is the most righteous. Indeed God is All-knowing, All-aware.'
(Surat al-Hujurat 49:13)

وَتَعَاوَنُوا عَلَى الْبِرِّ وَالتَّقْوَىٰ وَلَا تَعَاوَنُوا عَلَى
الْإِثْمِ وَالْعُدْوَانِ

'...And help each other in good and righteousness, and do not help each other in sin and aggression...' (Surat al-Ma'idah 5:2)

'Every one of you is a shepherd and each of you will be asked about the people you are responsible for.' (Bukhari)

Imam Hassan Ibn Ali said: *'Treat others similar to the way you would like them to treat you.'*
(Bihar al-Anwar)

Feedback

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| Lesson Title: What is Citizenship? |
| Name: |
| Madrasah/Organisation: |
| Today I have learnt about: |
| As a result of this lesson I have learnt that a good Muslim should: |
| I am going to follow up this topic in my home/school/community by: |

Follow-up Worksheet

| Lesson Title: What is Citizenship? | |
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| Name: | |
| Madrasah/Organisation: | |
| Tasks: List the things you are responsible for at home, at school, at your madrasah, in the playground and within your community. | |
| Answer: | |
| At home | |
| At school | |
| At your madrasah | |
| In the playground | |
| Within your community | |