# **Disposition:** Being Accountable and Living with integrity

## **Lesson:** Three

### Question/LO: What helps followers of Islam own up to their actions?

| **Dimension of learning** | **Activities** | **Resources** |
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| Learning from experience | n/a  | n/a |
| Learning about religious traditions and non-religious world-viewsIntroduce the idea thatAllah (God) is omniscient (all-knowing). | Begin the lesson by saying to the pupils that a bar of chocolate has gone missing and that unless the culprit owns up the whole class will be kept in at lunchtime.Ask the pupils how they feel about the bar of chocolate going missing and being kept in. After the discussion admit that there was no bar of chocolate in the first place.Read the Story of Personal Accountability Discuss the story with the children.Key lessons: the person carrying out an action is the only person who could be held accountable for that action and no-one else. Accountability is important in creating a just and peaceful society.Muslims believe that even if someone escapes accountability in this world they will not be able to escape it on the day of judgement, and therefore it is best to own up to one’s actions.Ask pupils to discuss the story, in pairs, and write the key lessons learnt as bullet points in their books. Ask all the groups to give feed back so that all the lessons learnt could be shared by the whole class (or have a discussion about gangs, if relevant, and talk about what advice they would give to members of a gang from the lessons they have learnt from this story).  | A story resource ‘Personal Accountability’ will have downloaded into the same folder as this lesson plan.KS2\_Y3\_Unit\_06\_Sp\_Wk\_03\_of\_03\_R123\_Resource\_Story\_Personal\_Accountability\_v1 |
| Learning from faith and non-religious world-views | n/a | n/a |
| Learning to discern | Question: Could you imagine a situation, where having a moral code about how to behave could be a problem?If you have a rule ‘do not lie’ can this mean that sometimes you do not act in a way that is compassionate? E.g. when protecting others. | n/a |