

5.2 How has belief in Christianity and Islam impacted on music and art throughout history?

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Key Vocabulary

Word	Definition
Hadith	A report of the words and actions of the Prophet Muhammad
Mosque	A Muslim place of worship
Expression	The act of showing thoughts, feelings and emotions
Aniconism	Not representing humans or animals in art
Architecture	The act or practice of designing and constructing buildings
Iconoclasm	The deliberate destruction of religious icons, images and monuments
Symbolic	Representing something by using a symbol

Changing Hagia Sophia back into a mosque was controversial because it changed a famous museum that symbolized religious harmony into a place for Muslim worship only.



Differences in places of worship
 In a church, Christians gather for prayers, songs, and Bible readings, and there are usually crosses, stained-glass windows, and sometimes statues. A mosque is where Muslims go to pray and learn about Islam, with special design features like domes, minarets (tall towers), and carpets instead of seats, as Muslims pray on the floor facing Mecca. While churches often have instruments for singing, mosques keep it simple with recitations from the Quran and call to prayer.



Mosque



Church

- #### Key Questions to ask yourself
- How does not showing images of god impact understanding and belief?
 - How do believers express their beliefs through art?
 - Should someone be allowed to buy and live in a church?

Islamic Art forms include:



Abstract geometric shapes and patterns

Christian Art forms include:

