

**Architecture:**

. The Dome of the Rock (Jerusalem).

. The Taj Mahal (Agra, India).

**Art Knowledge Organiser**

**Islamic Art**



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| **Key Vocabulary** | **Definition** |
| Islamic art/architecture | Art or architecture which relates to the religion of Islam or the Islamic world. |
| Mosque | A place of worship for Muslims. |
| Minaret | A thin tower, usually part of a mosque, from which a person calls Muslims to prayer. |
| Dome | The hollow, upper half of a sphere, often used in Islamic architecture. |
| Calligraphy | Decorative handwriting. |
| Geometric patterns | A pattern made out of geometric shapes such as triangles, squares, circles. |
| Vegetal patterns | A pattern made out of shapes and lines which represent plants. |
| Figural | Art work showing humans or animals. |

Key figures:

