

What does it mean to be a Muslim in the UK? Term : Autumn 1

Key Information	
Islam	there are around 1.6 billion Muslims in the world. Like Christians and Jews, Muslims are monotheistic, which means they only believe in one God who they call Allah, the Arabic name for God.
Five pillars of Islam	There are five key practices that all Muslims are obligated to fulfil throughout their lifetime. These practices are referred to as pillars because they form the foundation of Muslim life. The five pillars of Islam are Shahada, Salah, Zakat, Sawm, and Hajj.
Prophet Muhammad	The Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) was chosen to tell the people there was only one God. This happened when Muhammad was 40 years old, when an angel appeared and revealed the first verses of the Quran to him.
Sunnah	The Sunnah refers to the sayings and practices of the Prophet Muhammad and is the second source of knowledge for Muslims.
Hadith	There are two types of Hadith: The sacred - these are sacred sayings in which Muhammad quotes words from Allah which are not included in the Qur'an. The prophetic - these are wise sayings which the Prophet himself gave.

Vocabulary	
Islam	The word "Islam" means "submission to the will of God." Followers of Islam are called Muslims.
Ibadah	Worship and belief in action
Shahadah	Belief in one god and his
Salat	Daily prayer
Sawm	Fasting
Zakat	Alms giving
Hajj	Pilgrimage
Shaha-	There is no god except Allah
Ummah	The whole Muslim world, or the community of believers.
Tawhid	Believing in Allah, believing that he is the one and only God.
Al-Fathia	The first book in the Quran (otherwise known as the 'The Opening')
Sunnah	Practices, customs and traditions of the Prophet Muhammad
Hadith	Sayings and actions of the Prophet Muhammad)

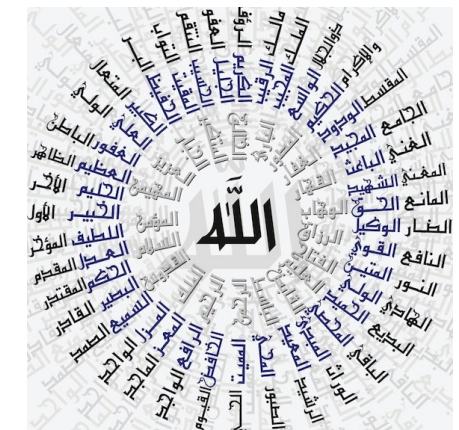
Key Diagrams



The Holy Quran



Islamic art



99 names of Allah