

Key Information	
<b>Islam</b>	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.
<b>Five pillars of Islam</b>	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.
<b>Prophet Muhammad</b>	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.
<b>Sunnah</b>	The Sunnah refers to the sayings and practices of the Prophet Muhammad and is the second source of knowledge for Muslims.
<b>Hadith</b>	There are two types of Hadith: <b>The sacred</b> - these are sacred sayings in which Muhammad quotes words from Allah which are not included in the Qur'an. <b>The prophetic</b> - these are wise sayings which the Prophet himself gave.

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

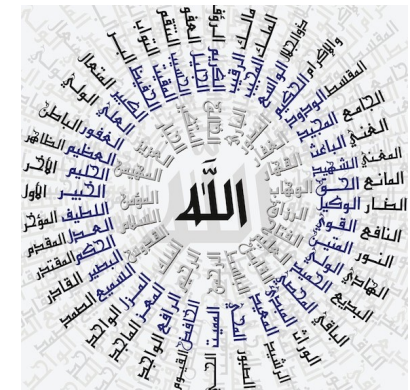
**Key Diagrams**



The Holy Quran



Islamic art



99 names of Allah