

Knowledge Organiser – Islam

Assessment Question: How do Muslims live and embrace their faith in a diverse world?

Key Vocabulary:

Akhlaq: Character and behaviour and the way one conducts themselves.

God: Oneness of Allah. Islam teaches absolute monotheism.

Iman: Faith. The believer's response to God.

Ibadah: Worship and any action that is performed with the intention of obeying Allah.

Prophethood: Messengers who have been sent by God to give guidance on how to follow the straight path.

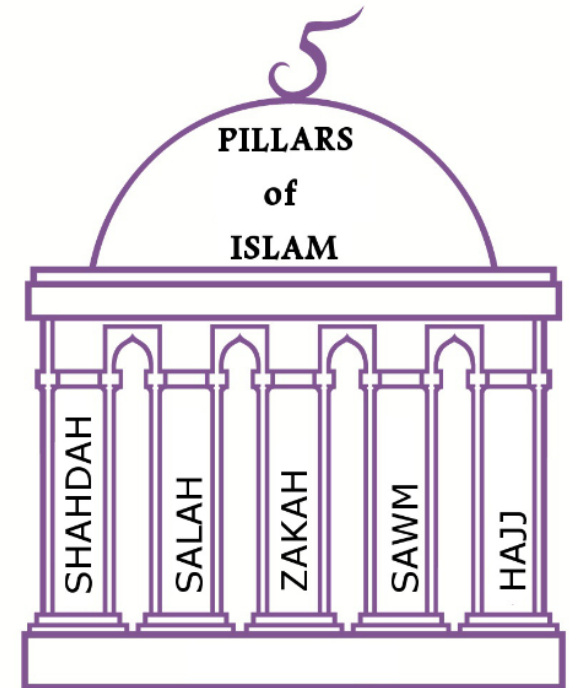
Qur'an: is the central religious text of Islam.

Revelation: The knowledge that has been sent down from the divine.

Salah: is the Arabic term for the ritual prayer that is obligatory for Muslims to perform five times a day.

Shahadah: The declaration of faith.

Zakat: A compulsory payment to charity, using 2.5 per cent of savings.



The Shahada (shahadah) is the Arabic term for the declaration of faith in one God (Allah) and His messenger.

Muslims recite the Shahadah once or twice in their Salah, which they are obliged to do during five different times of the day.

The Shahadah is spoken as the first words a Muslim baby hears upon entering the world as part of the adhan, and Muslims strive for the Shahadah to be their last words upon their death.