


Subject Specific Vocabulary	
Shahadah	The first of the 5 pillars meaning 'faith.'
Salat	The second of the 5 pillars meaning- to perform prayers in the proper way 5 times each day.
Zakat	Charity.
Sawm	Fasting during the month of Ramadan.
Hajj	Pilgrimage to Mecca.
Allah	The Arabic word used by Muslims for God.
prophet	Someone who speaks on behalf of a God.
iman	Belief or faith.
akhlaq	The practice of virtue, morality and good manners.
Mecca	A city in Saudi Arabia that was the birthplace of Mohammed.
pilgrimage	A sacred journey undertaken for spiritual purposes.
Qur'an	The Islamic Holy book.
prayer	An act of worship that is like a conversation with your God.
Islam	The faith followed by Muslims.

Sticky knowledge	
	The 5 pillars of Islam are: Shahadah : faith, Salat : performing prayers in the proper way five times each day, Zakat : charity, Sawm : fasting during the month of Ramadan, Hajj : pilgrimage to Mecca
	Muslims pray 5 times a day. Fajr or Subuh (dawn), Zuhr (afternoon), 'Asr (late afternoon), Maghrib (just after sunset) and Isha (night).
	Eid Ul Fitr is a Muslim festival celebrated at the end of Ramadan (the period of time when Muslims fast from dawn until dusk).
	Muslims treat the Qur'an with great respect as they believe it is the word of Allah himself written down. The Qur'an is usually placed on a wooden stand when it is being read. It should never be left on the floor and should only be handled by clean hands out of respect. A Qur'an written in Arabic must only be handled by a Muslim.

Key Belief:

The five pillars are the core beliefs and practises of Islam.



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Muslims believe there is only one God whose name in the Arabic language is **Allah**.

