



### 5 Shia Roots of Religion

justice of God (adalah)  
 resurrection (maad)  
 oneness of God (tawhid)  
 leadership (imamah)  
 prophethood (nabowwah)

**Fitrah** - the natural instinct all humans have, from birth, to know and worship God.

**Taqwa** - having an awareness of God in every aspect of life.

**Hanifs** - people who lived in Arabia before the Prophet Muhammad and who believed in one God.

**Shirk** - associating other beings or things with God

**Revelation** - messages sent by God, shown to the human mind



### Islam – Basic beliefs

### For – Examples of God's 99 names

Giver of life, Protector, Generous, Creator, Tremendous, Mighty, King.

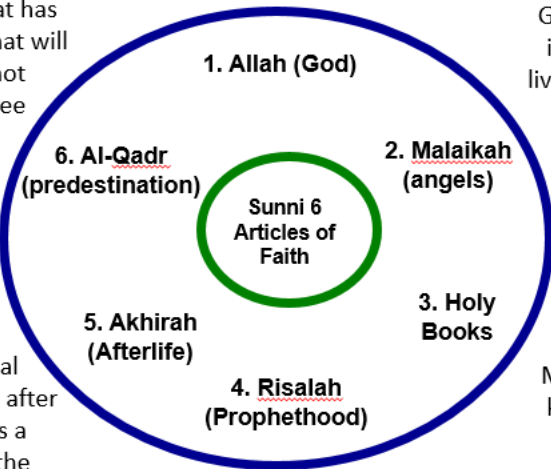


God is responsible for everything and has set out a divine plan. God has written down all that has happened and all that will happen. This does not take away human free will.

The unity and oneness of God is called Tawhid. Muslims believe in one God.

### 6 Sunni Articles of Faith

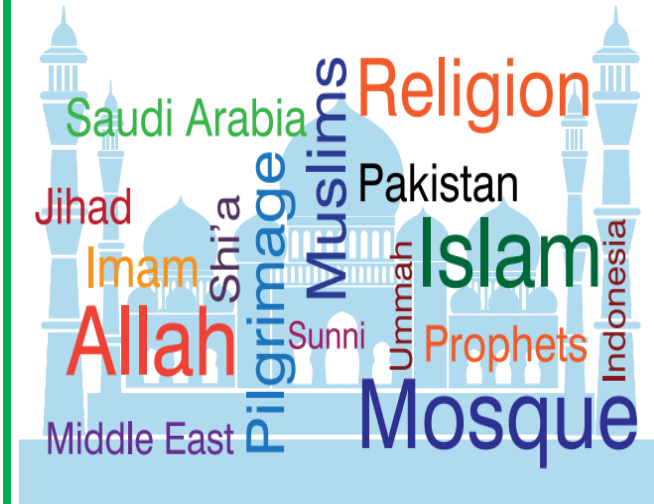
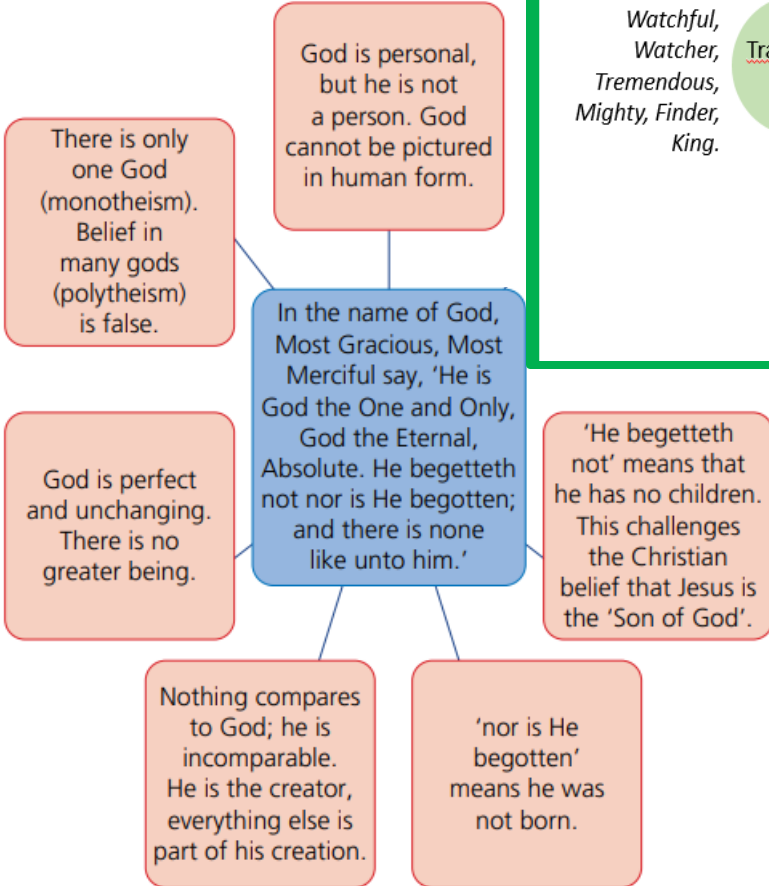
God created angels to interact with human lives, bringing his divine message.



God has revealed his word to humans in the Qur'an. This tells Muslims all they need to know about how to live their lives. Other inspired scriptures include the Tawrat of Musa (Torah), the Zabur of Dawud (Psalms) and the Injil of Isa (Gospels).

God has spoken through numerous prophets throughout time

Belief in the final judgement and life after death. This life is a preparation for the eternal life that follows. On the last day there will be a time of judgement.



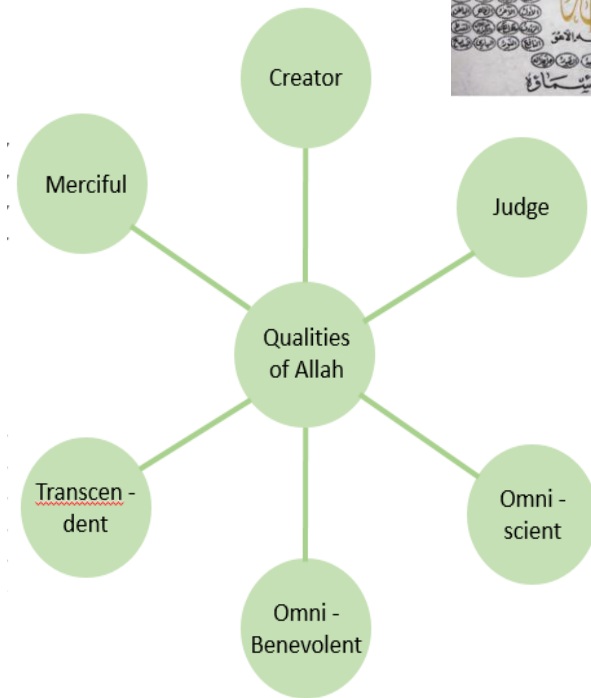


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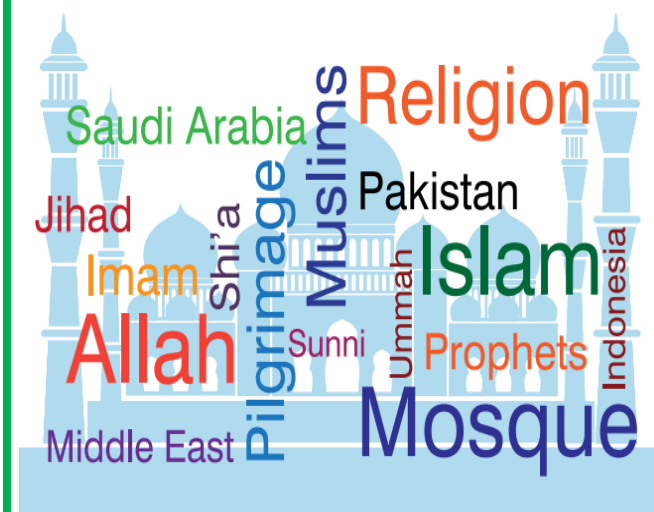
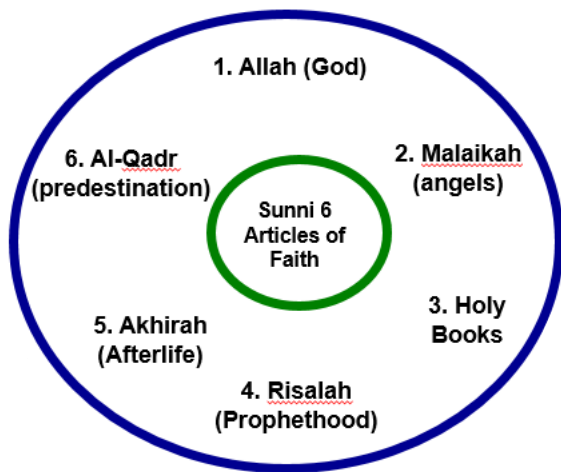


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What does this quote teach us about Allah?

In the name of God, Most Gracious, Most Merciful say, 'He is God the One and Only, God the Eternal, Absolute. He begetteth not nor is He begotten; and there is none like unto him.'

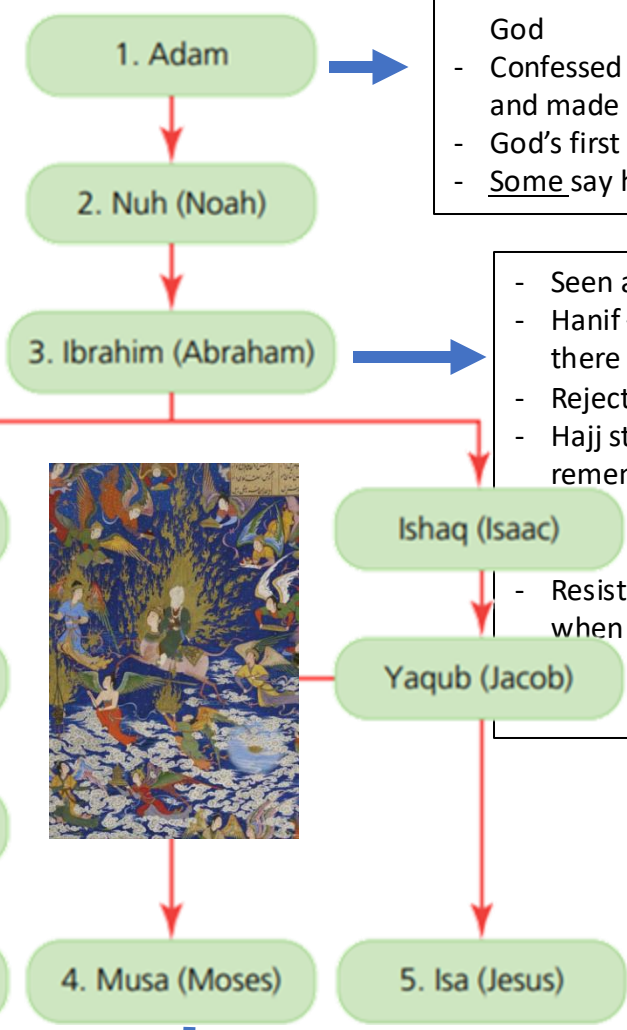
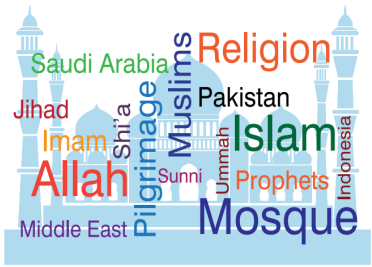
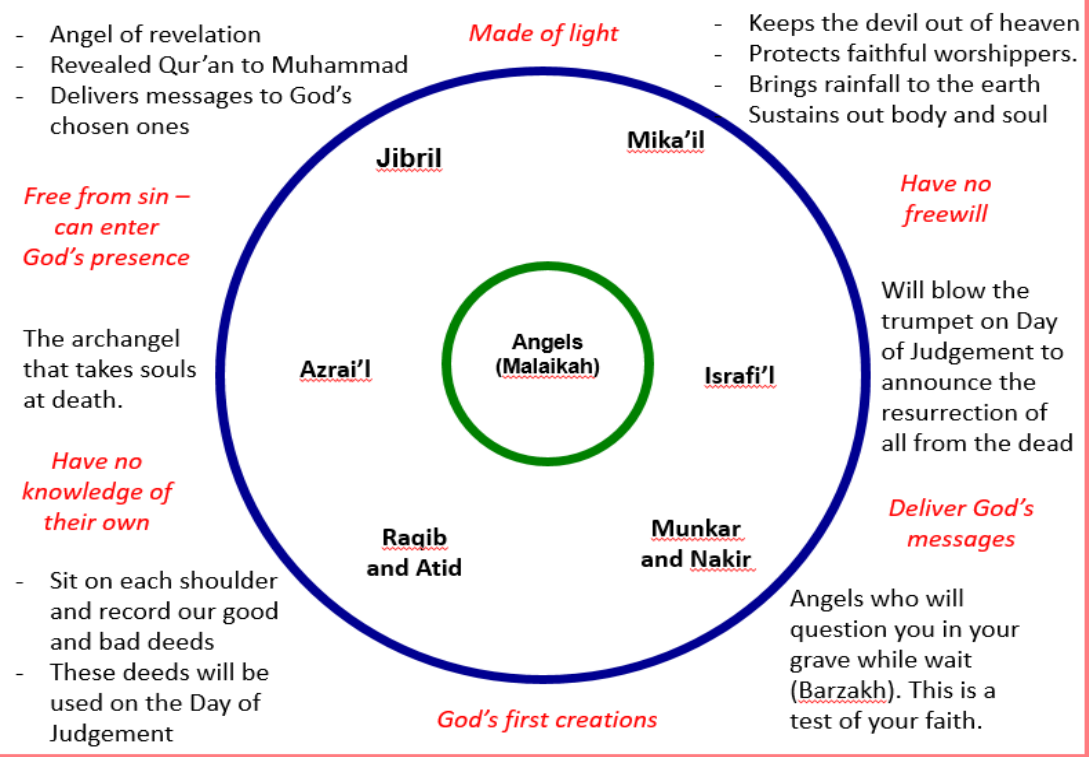
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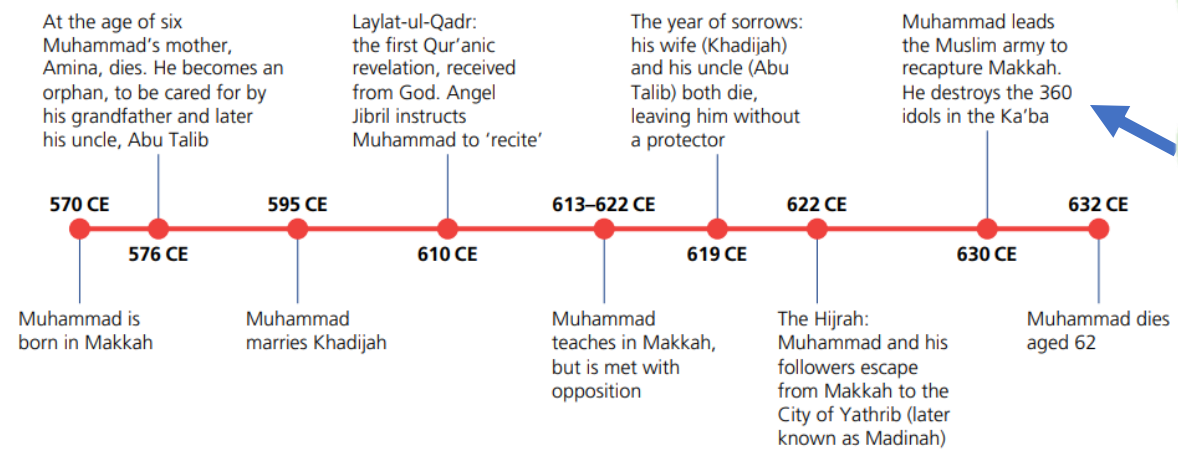
**Key Word: Risalah = Prophethood, human messengers of God.**

- First man created, Eve created from his rib
- Thrown from Paradise for disobeying God
- Confessed his sin and so was forgiven and made the first Prophet
- God's first Khalifah (trustee) on earth
- Some say he created the first Ka'ba



- Seen as greatest Prophet before Isa
- Hanif – had inner knowledge that there is only 1 true God
- Rejected idol worshipping
- Hajj stop of Safa and Marwa remembers his slave Hagar's search for water with his son Ishma'il.
- Resisted temptation from the devil when told by God to sacrifice Ishaq by throwing stones (also replicated at Hajj)

## Life of Muhammad – key events

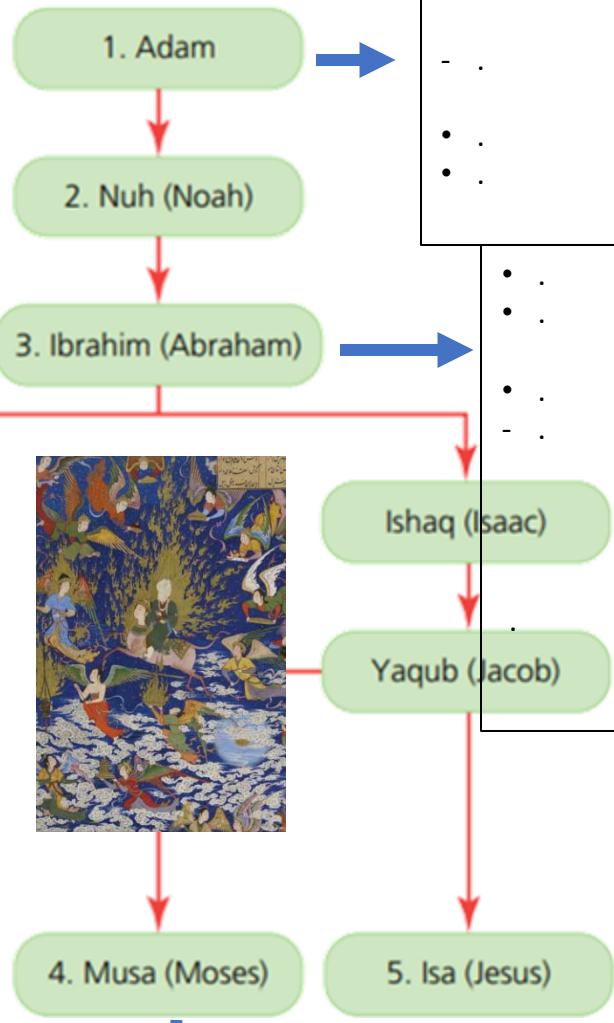
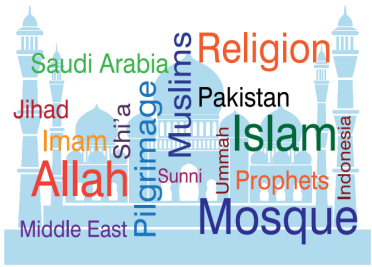
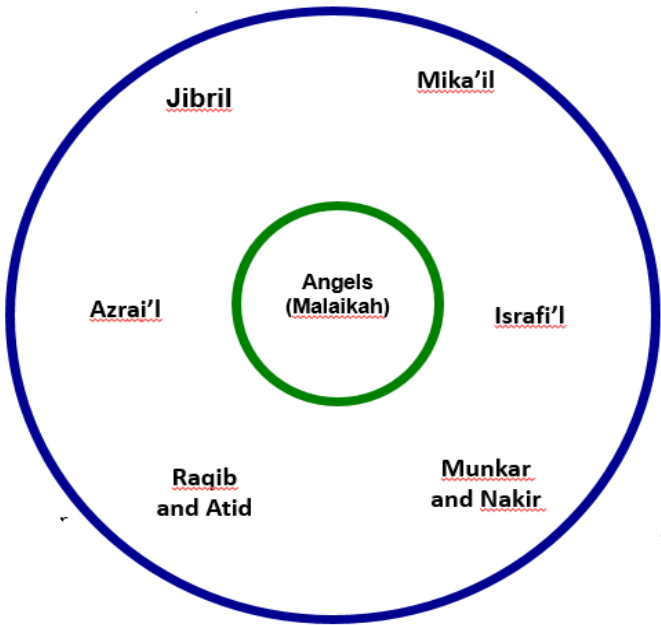


- Sent to remind people of Ibrahim's teachings
- Freed Israelites from slavery in Egypt and led them to the Promised Land
- Given the word of God through the Tawrat (Torah)

- Given the Injil (Gospels) and performed miracles
- Do not agree that he was the Son of God – Prophet only
- Do not believe God let evil triumph over good – Isa did not die but was taken to Heaven.
- He will reappear in the 'second coming' for Judgement Day

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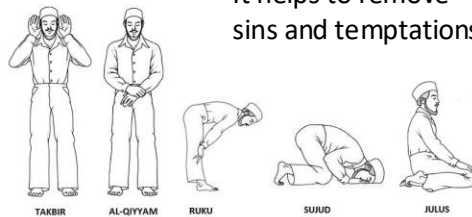


## Shahadah

- There is no God but Allah and Muhammad is His messenger
- Said when you become a Muslim
- Recited at every prayer
- First and last words a Muslim should hear

## Salah

- Wudu- ritual cleansing before prayer
- 5 daily prayers
- Face Makkah
- Different prayer positions
- Makes a Muslim feel closer to Allah
- It helps to remove sins and temptations



When	Name	Rakaat	When	Loah	Sunan
Morning	Fajr	2	Morning	2 Before	
Day	Dhuhr	4	Midday	1 Before 2 After	
Afternoon	Asr	4	Afternoon	None	
Sunset	Maghrib	3	Sunset	2 After	
Night	Isha	4	Night	2 After	

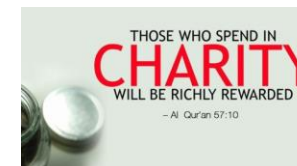
## Sawm

- Fasting from dawn till dusk
- No food or drink
- Spiritual time-reading the Qur'an, extra prayers, being more charitable
- Allows you to empathise with the poor
- 29/30 days
- Laylatul Qadr-27<sup>th</sup> night
- Qur'an was revealed



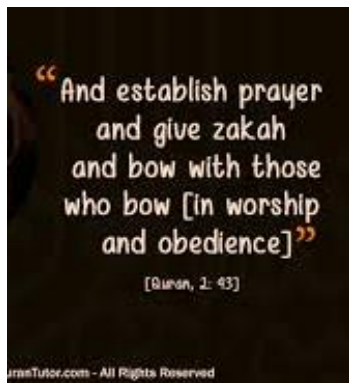
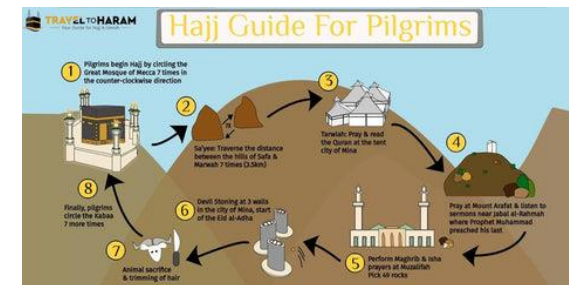
## Zakah

- Compulsory charity for those who can afford it
- 2.5% of your **excess** wealth to be donated to the poorest of the poor
- Is a sin if you do not give it
- Cleanses your wealth
- Wealth is a gift from Allah-tested to see how you use it
- Voluntary charity- Sadaqah



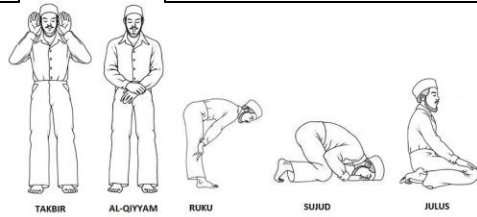
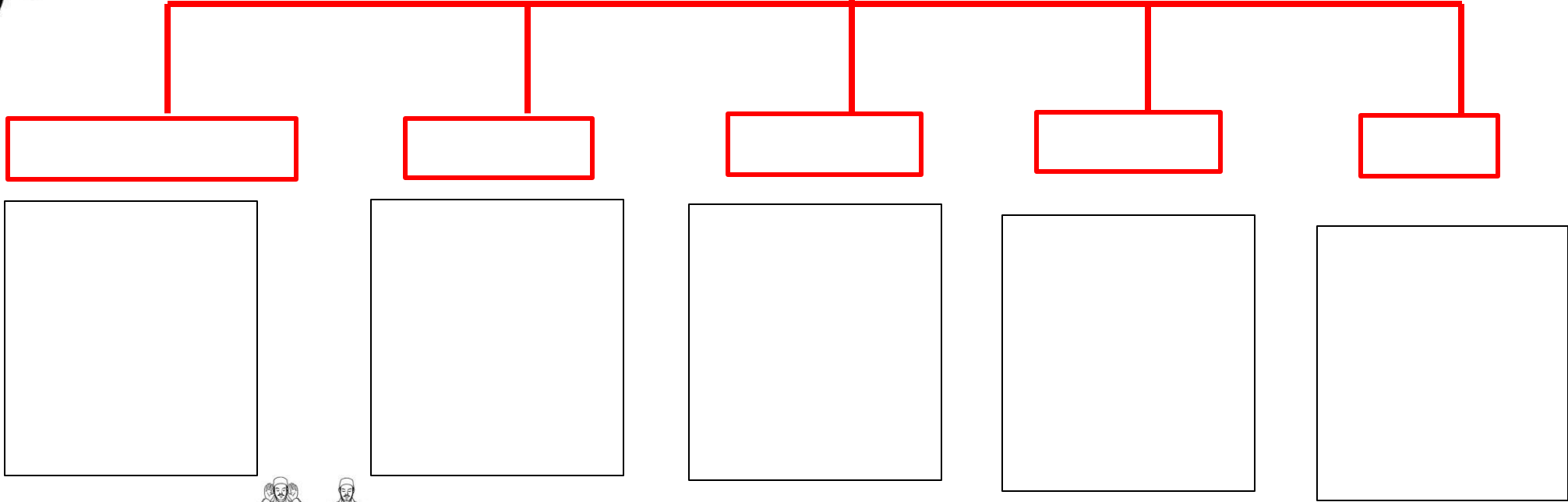
## Hajj

- Once in a lifetime for those who can afford it and are healthy enough
- Remembers important figures in Islam like Muhammed and Ibrahim
- Specific ritual completed
- All equal before Allah
- All sins are forgiven- sinless like a new baby





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**My 5 Daily Prayers**

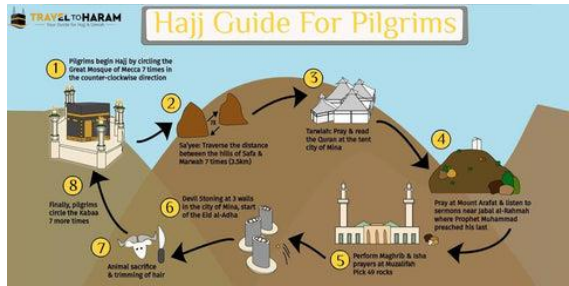
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**Health Benefits Of Fasting In Ramadan**

- Improves faith in Allah
- Detoxifies the human body
- Improves the metabolism
- Satisfies the heart and soul
- Can lead to weight-loss
- Keeps cholesterol low

THOSE WHO SPEND IN **CHARITY** WILL BE RICHLY REWARDED  
 - Al Quran 57:10

“And establish prayer and give zakah and bow with those who bow [in worship and obedience]”  
 [Quran, 2: 43]



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### The Ten Obligatory Acts of Shi'a Islam

<b>Shahadah</b>	Statement of faith
<b>Salat (prayer)</b>	5 prayers 3 x a day.
<b>Hajj</b>	Pilgrimage
<b>Zakah</b>	Alms 2.5 %
<b>Sawm</b>	Fasting
<b>khums</b>	20% of surplus income
<b>Jihad</b>	The struggle to be a good Muslims
<b>Amr-bil-Marooif</b>	Encouraging people to do good
<b>Nahil Anril Munkar</b>	Discouraging bad actions
<b>Tawalia</b>	Duty to love friends of Allah
<b>Tabarra</b>	Disapproval of evil-doers

### What is Jihad....

**Smiling Jihad**  
In the tough moment is Jihad



**Patience Jihad**  
Keeping in hard times is Jihad



**Good deeds Jihad**  
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**Jihad**  
Taking care of Old Parents in a loving way is Jihad



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**Jihad is not what the media shows but what the Qur'an says to strive and to struggle**

Greater Jihad

“to strive” The daily struggle to live as a good Muslim. Muhammad said that that the supreme jihad was against oneself.

It is:

- To practice the 5 pillars
- To follow the Sunnah (the way of) the Prophet Muhammad
- To seek justice for all
- To rise above greed and selfishness

Lesser Jihad

The use of violence in self-defence, or to defend Islam/Allah. It was set out by Muhammad when people were trying to wipe out Islam and its followers. It cannot be used aggressively and should never be used to kill civilians (non-soldiers). The Crusades were an example of a true Jihad. Terrorism is NOT jihad!

Definition: **Jihad**- striving, or doing one's utmost in the way of Islam

### Eid Word Mat

بساط كلمات العيد

salat صلاة



Islam اسلام



charity صدقة



henna حناء



gifts هدايا



prayer صلاة/صلاة



mehndi نقش حناء



Quran قرآن



feast وليمة



cards بطاقات



fasting صوم



celebrate يحتفل



Eid-Ul-Fitr عيد الفطر



mosque مسجد



Ramadan رمضان



presents هدايا



festival عيد/مهرجان



Muslims مسلمون





**Id-ul-Adha**

The festival of sacrifice  
Most important festival  
Marks the end of Hajj.  
Remembers Ibrahim being prepared to sacrifice his son Ishma'il.  
New clothes, food presents, Id prayers at mosque, animal eaten

**Id-ul-Fitr**

- Festival of fast-breaking
- End of Ramadan (fasting)
- Feast, clothes, mosque for special sermon
- Zakah-ul-Fitr – special charity contribution
- Generosity and gratitude

**Ashura**

Most important to Shi'a – remembers when Husayn was killed (martyred)  
Sunni - Remembers when Allah saved the Israelites from Pharoah

How it is remembered:

- Wear black, Processions in the street, Whipping yourself-draw blood, Reading the Qur'an, Fasting, visit graves

Other festivals:

- Mawlid-an-Nabi – the birth of the Prophet Muhammad.
- Laylat-al-Qadr – the night of Power when the Qur'an was revealed to the Prophet.
- Muharram – the first month of the Islamic calender. Marks the Hijrah – when the first Islamic community was set up. Differently celebrated between Sunni and Shi'a.

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 salat

 Islam

 charity

 henna

 prayer

 mehndi


 Quran

 feast

 gifts

 mosque

 celebrate

 Ramadan

 presents

 Eid-Ul-Fitr

 cards

 fasting

 festival

 Muslims



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