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| Five Pillars1. **Shahadah** – Delcaration of faith
2. **Salah** – Prayer
3. **Sawm** – Fasting
4. **Zakah** – Charitable giving.
5. **Hajj** – Pilgrimage
 | What does it mean to be Muslim? **Knowledge Organiser** | Key words:**Holy War:** Fighting for a religious cause or God. **Hajji:** someone who has completed Hajj. **Ka’ba:** the black cube shaped building in the centre of the grand mosque in Makkah. **Ummah** – An Arabic word meaning nation or community. **Submission** – To yield or surrender (oneself) to the will or authority of another.**Islam** – Submission to the will of God.**Muslim** - one who submits (to their faith**Jism**- body**Nafs**- character**Ruh**- spirit/soul**Taqwa** – Awareness of God.  |
| What is are Sunni & Shi’a Muslims? | **JIHAD**To struggle against evil, either as an individual or the collective fellowship in Islam. **Greater Jihad:** Personal inward struggle of all Muslims to live in line with the teachings of their faith.**Lesser Jihad:** the outward struggle to defend ones faith, family and country from threat. **“Repel evil with what is seen as better, then your enemy will become you friend.” Surah 41:34** |
| **Sunni Muslims –** form the majority of the Muslim community. They believe Abu Bakr was chosen to lead Islam following the death of the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh). **Shi’a Muslims-** Believe Ali (the prophet Muhammad’s (pbuh) son in law) was chosen to lead Islam. Imams are now in charge and have authority from Allah.  |
| **Ramadan** |
| * The fast is traditionally broken by eating dates and drinking water.
* The end of Ramadan, called Id al Fitr, is a day of feasting.
* Ramadan is the ninth month of the Muslim year.
* Ramadan begins with the sighting of the new moon, but the exact date often depends on clerics in a particular nation.
 | **IMPORTANT FESTIVALS****Id-ul-fitr** **“Breaking of the fast”:** important because it marks the end of the month of Ramadan. **Thank God for the help and strength he has given them to be able** **to fast for a month.** **Id-ul-Adha**. **Forms a part of Hajj but is celebrated by Muslims all over the world.** People visit family and friends and enjoy festive meals. **They attend prayers & a sermon. Cards and presents are often exchanged.**  | Useful WebsitesBBC Bitesize KS3 Islam:<https://www.bbc.co.uk/education>/topics/zsdtsbkRE-Online Islamic Practices:<http://www.reonline.org.uk/islam-practices/> |