

Religious symbol:



Who is followed?

Muhammad as the messenger of Allah (God)
 Islam means Surrender (surrendering to the will of God)
 Followers of Islam are called Muslims

Religious Book:

Quran

Vocabulary:

Topic related vocabulary:

Allah	God
Islam	Surrender to the will of God
Muslims	Followers of Islam
Quran	Special book
Muhammad	Messenger of Allah
Mosque	Place of worship
Imam	Prayer leader
Ramadan	Muslim Holy month of fasting
Eid ul Fitr	End of fasting
Eid al Adhha pilgrimage	Journey to Mecca

Place of worship:

Mosque

Mecca in Saudi Arabia

Prayer leader– Imam



Religious celebrations / traditions:

Ramadan (Muslim Holy month) fast from dawn to sunset

Eid ul Fitr– End of the Muslim month of fasting

Eid al– Adha– pilgrimage to Mecca

Haram- (non-Halal food is pork or any food not in a state of purity)

Prayer mats used 5 times a day facing Mecca.

Important teachings:

Belief in the existence of angels

Belief in the existence of the book of which God is the author –the Quran (revealed to Muhammad)

Belief that Islam is the main faith revealed many times through prophets including—Adam, Abraham, Moses and Jesus

The 5 Pillars are the main beliefs of Islam

Shahada-Belief in the existence of the oneness of God (Allah)

Salat– prayer

Zakat– charity

Sawm– fasting

Hajj– pilgrimages

Countries where the religion is practiced:

Indonesia, Bangladesh, Pakistan and India, Egypt, Syria, Iraq and Iran
 Mecca in Saudi Arabia

