

Year 2

Key Vocabulary

Islam	a: The civilization built upon the Islamic faith. b: The group of modern nations in which Islam is the main religion.
Allah	Personal name of God who is the one and only creator of the universe.
Arabic	The language the Qur'an is written in.
Prophets	Individuals who were sent by God to demonstrate ideal human behaviour and to spread God's message on Earth.
Mohammed	The last prophet and founder of Islam.
Qur'an	Islamic sacred book, Muslims believe that these are the exact words spoken by Allah.
Muslim	A follower of the religion of Islam.
Mosque	A mosque is a place of worship for Muslims.
Mecca	The place for pilgrimage, the place where Prophet was born and also the direction towards which Muslims face when praying.
Five Pillars	Shahadah – Faith Salaah – Prayer Sawn – Fasting Zakat – Charity Hajj – Pilgrimage

Islamic Beliefs

The religion of Islam began in Saudi Arabia.



Timeline

570 AD

Muhammed was born in Makkah, in Saudi Arabia.

610 AD

Muslims believe that Allah spoke to Muhammad for the first time through the angel Jibril. In a cave on Mount Nur, near Makkah, Jibril gave Muhammad the first verse of the Qur'an.

622 AD

Muhammad and his followers fled to Madinah (now known as the City of the Prophet).

632 AD

The death of Muhammad.

900 –1200 AD

Muslim culture, faith and learning spread through the Middle East.

Summer Term

There are six main beliefs in Islam:

1. Allah is the one and only God who rules the Universe.
2. There are angels.
3. There are holy books including the Qur'an.
4. Prophets are special messengers and Muhammad was the final prophet.
5. There will be a Day of Judgement when Allah decides if a person goes to Heaven or not.
6. Predestination – Allah has already planned out what will happen in the world and to individuals.



The word 'Allah' in Arabic.

Muslims never draw Allah. They say that all pictures are wrong because Allah is too great to be drawn.

