

Islam - What is Islam?



Islam is a religion that teaches that there is only one God, called Allah. It is the world's second-largest religion with over 1.8 billion followers or 24.1% of the world's population, known as Muslims. Muslims make up a majority of the population in 49 countries.

What other religion can you think of that only believes in one God?

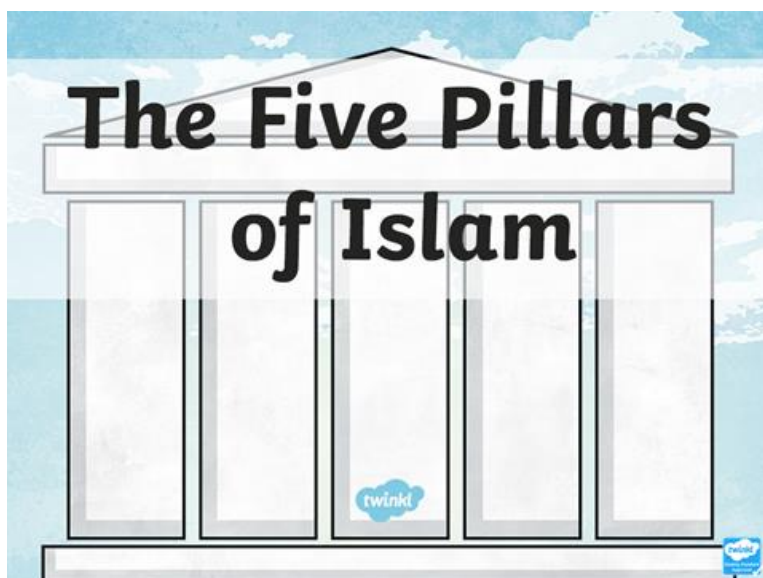
This week we are going to be learning about the rules/duties of Islam and how they affect the daily life of Muslims around the world.

Can you recall the rules that Christian people follow?

Why do we need rules?

People who follow a faith do certain things to create a strong sense of community and belonging.

Muslims have 5 duties that are called The Five Pillars of Islam.



Watch the power point on The Five Pillars of Islam.

Now draw your own Five Pillars. Try to think up a different way to represent them? Maybe you could draw five rocks or five clouds.

In each pillar write the details for each of the duties of Islam.

Which duty would you find the most difficult to follow?

Make sure you write down your reasons for your choice.

You could also do your own Five Pillars, making your own rules. Could you link them to our school values?

Compassion, community, hope, peace, perseverance and wonder.

I am looking forward to seeing your work.

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See link for work:



PowerPoint - The
Five Pillars of Islam.p