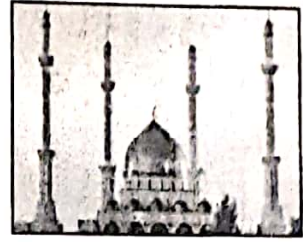




ISLAM (Memo)

Grade 4: PSWB



"Islam" means "surrender" or "submission". "Salam" (which means "peace") is the root word of "Islam". A Muslim is a follower of Islam. They believe in One (1) God, named Allah (swt) (Arabic name). The Islamic holy book called the Qur'aan/Koraan. The Final prophet; Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) who was born in Makkah, is the last Prophet.

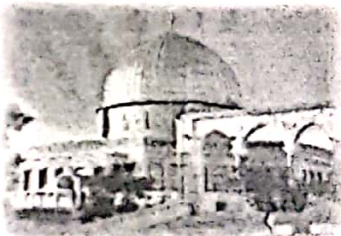


The symbol of Islam is the crescent (moon) and star. Muslims only eat food which is Halaal (permissible). Foods like pork and alcohol are considered Haraam (forbidden).

Muslims worship in a Musjid and Home. Muslims pray 5 times every day. The call to prayer is called the Adhaan (Azaan). Salaat occurs at dawn, just after noon, in late afternoon, just after sunset and once before between sunset and midnight. Muslims regard Friday (Jumrah) as their special day of prayer.



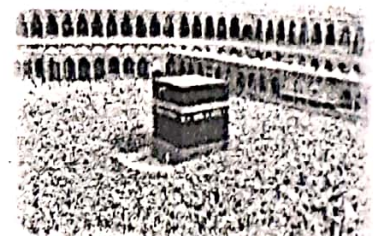
Significant places



Jerusalem in Israel



Masjidun Nabawi in Madinah



The Ka'aba in Makkah






Ramadhaan

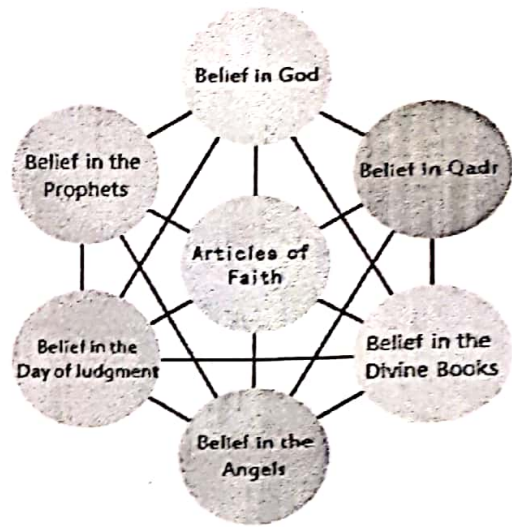
During Ramadhaan, Muslims fast during the day and eat two meals, one before dawn and one at dusk. They fast for 29/30 days (1 month). Ramadhaan is a time for Muslims to pray, reflect and restrain themselves from indulgence and wrongdoing.



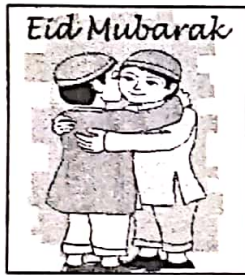
There are five pillars of practice in Islam:

SIX ARTICLES OF FAITH:

5 PILLARS OF ISLAM		
	SHAHADAH	Profession of Faith
	SALAH	Prayer
	ZAKAT	Giving the Zakat (Giving Alms or charity)
	HAJJ	Pilgrimage to Mecca
	FASTING	Fasting in the month of the Ramadan



The Islamic Festivals



Eid al-Fitr


Known as the "Feast of Breaking of the Fast" which marks the end of Ramadan. It falls on the 1st day of the next month, Shawwal and celebration lasts 3 days.



Eid al-Adha

Known as the "Feast of the Sacrifice" is the 10th day of Dhu al-Hijjah.

Activity - Complete the answers in your exercise book

- 1) What is the Islam symbol? (Write it out and draw it) *Crescent / Star* 
- 2) What is the holy book called in Islam? *Qur'aan / Kor'aan*
- 3) What is the place of worship in Islam? *Musjid / Mosque*
- 4) Name and give a brief description of the sacred buildings in Islam. *a Masjid-ul Aqsa, b Kaaba in Makkah, c Masjid an Nabawi in Madinah*
- 5) Name the five pillars of Islam *Shahadah, salah, zakat, hajj, fasting*
- 6) What are the two festivals celebrated in Islam? *Eid - Al-Fitr ; Eid al-Adha*