

## Spelling list: GCSE Religious Studies: Islam 3

Key words for GCSE Religious Studies.

obligatory	The Ten <b>Obligatory</b> Acts are the requirements for Shi'a Muslims.
omnipotence	<b>Omnipotence</b> refers to God's all-powerful nature.
pilgrimage	Last year, our minister made a <b>pilgrimage</b> to the Holy Land.
pillars	The Five <b>Pillars</b> are important duties for Sunni Muslims.
power	The Night of <b>Power</b> is the night where the prophet Muhammad received the Qur'an.
predestination	<b>Predestination</b> is the belief that everything is predetermined by Allah.
psalms	<b>Psalms</b> are sacred prayers written by King Dawud.
Qur'an	The <b>Qur'an</b> is the Holy Book of Islam.
Rak'ahs	<b>Rak'ahs</b> are the ritual set of movements in Muslim prayer.
Ramadan	<b>Ramadan</b> is a month during which Muslims fast.
recitations	<b>Recitations</b> are part of Muslim prayer, the reciting of verses from the Qur'an.
responsibility	Human <b>responsibility</b> is the belief that humans are responsible for most of what they do.
resurrection	<b>Resurrection</b> is the belief that after death, we are raised from the dead to face judgement.
revelation	<b>Revelation</b> is where God and his nature is revealed to humans through the words of the Qur'an.
Risalah	<b>Risalah</b> is one of the Six Articles of Faith, the belief that prophets were sent by God as messengers.

roots	The five <b>roots</b> of Usul ad-Din are the five key beliefs in Shi'a Islam.
Salah	<b>Salah</b> means 'prayer'; it is one of the Five Pillars.
Sawm	<b>Sawm</b> is fasting during Ramadan.
scrolls	The <b>Scrolls</b> of Abraham are a series of revelations to Ibrahim that were written on parchment.
Shahadah	The Shahada is the Muslim declaration of faith.