



<p>important? Qur'an 2:136</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The importance of Adam as the first prophet</li> <li>• Ibrahim as father of Isaac &amp; Ishma'il &amp; his significance for the Muslim religion</li> <li>• Isa as a prophet for Muslims; Qur'an 2:87</li> <li>• Muhammad as the deal of the prophets</li> </ul>								
<b>Angels (Malaikah)</b>								
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The significance of angels in Islam: Qur'an 2:97-98, Qur'an 2:285</li> <li>• Diversity in belief between Shi'a &amp; Sunni Muslims regarding angels &amp; free will</li> <li>• The significance of Jibril's revelation of the Qur'an to Muhammad: Qur'an 2:97-98</li> <li>• The significance of Mika'il placed in charge of plants &amp; rain</li> <li>• The significance of Israfil to announce the Day of Resurrection</li> </ul>								
<b>Akhirah (Afterlife)</b>								
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Al-Qadr (Predestination): Implications for human freedom</li> <li>• Akhirah: Human</li> </ul>								

<p>responsibility &amp; accountability; Muslim beliefs &amp; teachings on the afterlife</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Human Freedom &amp; its relationship to Day of Judgement</li> <li>• Heaven; Muslims beliefs about the nature, stages &amp; purpose of heaven</li> <li>• Hell; Muslim beliefs about the nature &amp; purpose of Hell</li> </ul>								
<b>Foundations of faith</b>								
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The six article of faiths in Sunni Islam</li> <li>• The five roots in Usul ad-Din in Shi'a Islam</li> <li>• Islamic attitudes towards Kutub (books), Sahifah (Scrolls), Injil (Gospel), Tawrat (Torah), Zabur (Psalms)</li> </ul>								
<b>The Five Pillars of Sunni Islam: practices in Britain &amp; elsewhere</b>								
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shahadah: The Muslim statement of faith: Qur'an 3:18</li> <li>• Zakah: How Sunni Muslims make payment of charity</li> </ul>								

<p>tax, alms &amp; how zakat money can be spent</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sawm: How Sunni Muslims fast during Ramadan: Qur'an 2:184 Issues relating to Muslims fasting in Britain</li> <li>• Hajj: How Sunni Muslims undertake pilgrimage to the Ka'ba in Makkah; Qur'an 2:125. Issues relating to Muslims in Britain undertaking Hajj</li> <li>• Salah: the practices of prayer in Islam in the mosque &amp; at home, including Jummah prayer: Qur'an 15:98-99, Qur'an 29:45</li> </ul>													
<p><b>Ten Obligatory Acts of Shi'a Islam: practices in Britain &amp; elsewhere</b></p>													
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Salat: How Shi'a Muslims perform salat, observe sawm, pay zakat &amp; pilgrimage to Makkah</li> <li>• Khums: How Shi'a Muslims pay savings tax</li> <li>• Hajj: Pilgrimage to Makkah: Qur'an 2:125 &amp; pilgrimage to Shi'a shrines</li> <li>• Jihad: The struggle to live</li> </ul>													

<p>as a Muslim</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Amr-bil-Marooif: How Muslims encourage others to do good</li> <li>• Nahil Anril Munkar: How Muslims discourage bad actions</li> <li>• Tawalia: The duty to love the friends of Allah</li> <li>• Tabarra: The duty to express disapproval of evil-doers</li> </ul>								
<b>Jihad</b>								
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Greater jihad: The daily struggle to live as a good Muslim. Issues regarding living as a Muslim in Britain today &amp; maintaining a Muslim lifestyle</li> <li>• Origins, influences &amp; conditions for declaration of Lesser Jihad in the Qur'an &amp; Hadith: Qur'an 2:190, 22:39</li> </ul>								
<b>Festivals &amp; commemorations: practices in Britain &amp; elsewhere</b>								
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Id-ul-Adha: The festival of sacrifice. How Muslims celebrate Id-ul-Adha in</li> </ul>								

<p>Britain &amp; worldwide</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Id-ul-Fitr: The festival of fast breaking following Ramadan. How Muslims celebrate Id-ul-Fitr in Britain &amp; worldwide</li><li>• Ashura: The Day of Remembrance (Shi'a). How Shi'a Muslims celebrate Ashura in Britain &amp; worldwide</li><li>• The Night of Power: the importance of the revelation of the Qur'an &amp; how it is viewed &amp; treated in Islam</li></ul>								
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**Review of previous examinations:**