

How does the Muslim religion affect how someone lives their life?

Key Vocabulary:

Allah – the Muslim word for God. Muslims believe in one God.
 Muhammed – the messenger of Allah.
 Hadith – a series of traditions based around the word and deeds of the Prophet Muhammed.
 The Qur'an is the holy book of the Muslim faith – the word of Allah, spoken through Muhammed. Religion Humanists

Key concepts: The 5 Pillars of Islam

Muslims believe in one God – Allah.
 They believe that Muhammed was his messenger.
 Shahada – belief in one God (Allah) and the prophet Muhammed.
 Salah – Prayer
 Zakah – charity
 Sawm – fasting (Ramadam)
 Hajj – pilgrimage to Mecca (Saudi Arabia)

Rules for Life: The 10 Commandments and the Buddhist Five Precepts and The Five Pillars of Islam

Jewish and Christian –
 Ten Commandments

GOD	MAN
1. Do not worship any other gods	5. Honor your father and mother
2. Do not make any idols	6. Do not murder
3. Do not misuse the name of God	7. Do not commit adultery
4. Keep the Sabbath holy	8. Do not steal
	9. Do not lie
	10. Do not covet

Buddhism 5 Precepts

1. Avoid taking life
2. Avoid stealing
3. Be faithful to your partner
4. Avoid lying
5. Avoid intoxicating substances

The infographic shows five pillars of Islam, each with a number in a colored hexagon and an icon below it: 01 (orange) for Shahada, 02 (purple) for Salah, 03 (blue) for Zakat, 04 (teal) for Siyam, and 05 (green) for Hajj. A note under 01 states: 'There is no deity worthy of worship except Allah and Muhammad is the Messenger of Allah.'

Muslim Religion –
 The 5 Pillars of Islam

Key Questions

How do Muslims live in order to follow the Five Pillars? How are they different to the rules of other religions?

SHAHADA – Belief in Allah. How many names are there for Allah? 99 When would a Muslim hear the name Allah? In the call to prayer, whispered in the ear of a new born baby, the last words a Muslim should hear.

SALAH – Prayer. How many times a day must a Muslim Pray? What ritual should a Muslim perform before prayer? In what direction should a Muslim pray?

ZAKAH – Should everyone give to charity to help those less fortunate? How much should people give?

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