

<b>Spring 1 - How does worship (ibadah) show what's important to Muslims?</b>				
<b><u>Key Vocabulary</u></b>		<b><u>Core Knowledge</u></b>		<b><u>Key Facts</u></b>
Ummah	the worldwide Muslim community	<b>That Muslims believe:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• there is no God but God (Allah) and that he is without equal</li> <li>• that God is one (Tawhid)</li> <li>• reading the Qur'an is an act of worship as well as a source of guidance: it should be read in the original Arabic</li> <li>• the Qur'an is Allah's final revelation to humanity and was revealed to the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) in Arabic</li> <li>• following the guidance from the Qu'ran is of high importance</li> <li>• that the mosque is a place of worship and learning is led by an imam</li> <li>• that 'salah' is part of 'ibadah' (worship) and that in salah, Muslims worship and remember Allah</li> <li>• that when they pray, men and women pray separately (to avoid distraction) and they stand shoulder to shoulder on a level floor to show that they are equal before Allah as part of the Ummah (community)</li> </ul>	Allah	the Arabic term for God
Salah	an Arabic term meaning prayer		Mosque	a place of worship for Muslims
Adhan	call to prayer		Qu'ran	the Muslim holy scriptures
Tawhid	the oneness of God		Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him- pbuh)	believed by most Muslims to be the last and final messenger sent by God
Shahada	Muslim declaration of belief that 'There is only one God and Prophet Muhammed is his messenger' – this is whispered into the ear of newborn babies			
Ibadah	worship			
<b><u>Prior Knowledge</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Muslims believe in one God, Allah.</li> <li>• the Qur'an is the special /sacred book for Muslims, and is written in Arabic. Muslims believe it contains the words of Allah.</li> <li>• that Muslims think it is better to represent Allah in words rather than pictures</li> <li>• that Muslims worship Allah through prayer</li> <li>• Prayer is part of worship of Allah (ibadah)</li> <li>• Muhammad (pbuh) is the most important Prophet (messenger) for Muslims.</li> </ul>		<b><u>Key Question</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Why is Allah so important to Muslims?</li> <li>2. Why might many Muslims read the Qu'ran as a form of worship?</li> <li>3. Why might many Muslims prefer to worship in a mosque?</li> <li>4. Why might many Muslims want to be part of an ummah?</li> <li>5. I wonder how being part of the mosque helps many Muslims to show what is important to them?</li> <li>6. How does worship (ibadah) show what's important to Muslims?</li> </ol>		