

A PEACE AND PACIFISM		
1	Peace	The absence of conflict and war.
2	Islam and Peace	Peace exists when there is no oppression, corruption, tyranny or injustice.
3	Peace equals justice	Peace happens when people are being treated justly.
4	War and peace in Islam	War is sometimes needed in order to bring about peace
5	Pacifism	The belief that war and violence are never justified.
6	Islam and pacifism	Muslims are not pacifists but many disagree with war and violence.

B CONFLICT		
1	Conflict	A clash, or serious disagreement or argument
2	Causes of conflict	Often over resources, politics, culture or religious beliefs.
3	Impact of conflict	Leads to a lack of unity and often poor treatment of some groups. Can lead to discrimination.
4	Muslim views on conflict	Avoid it if possible and work for peace. Sometimes conflict will be needed to resolve a problem.
5	Quote	"Fight in the cause of Allah those who fight you, but do not transgress limits; for Allah loves not transgressors"

C WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION (WMD's)		
1	WMDs	Nuclear, biological or chemical weapons which can do huge damage if used
2	Strength of using WMDs	They can resolve a conflict quickly and decisively.
3	Strength of using WMDs	They are a deterrent – nobody will be brave enough to use them.
4	Weaknesses of WMDs	They can do massive damage – kill millions and destroy land.
5	Weaknesses of WMDs	They are morally wrong because of the damage they can do.
6	Islam and WMDs	They believe them to be wrong because of the damage they can do.

D JUST WAR THEORY	
1	A theory found mainly in Christian thinking about how to make war acceptable or 'just'.
2	It aims to provide a guide as to the right way to act when conflict does happen.
3	It provides a framework to decide whether it is acceptable to go to war in different circumstances
4	It tries to prevent war rather than allow it. It asks people to find other ways of solving conflict which are not violent first.

E HOLY WAR	
1	Harb al- Maqadis is the term for Holy War.
2	This is a war in the name of Islam ONLY to defend the faith. Must not be started by Islam.
3	Has to be declared by a religious leader.
4	Has to be with the intention of doing good and bringing about peace.
5	Has to be a last resort and never with the intention of hurting people.
6	No nuclear element or WMDs can be used.