**World History**

**Unit 2 – The Muslim World**

**Objective Page**

1. Examine the rise of Islam
   1. Geography of the region- the Arabian Peninsula
   2. Impact of trade on the region
   3. Mecca and the Ka’aba
   4. Allah
   5. Muhammad and the major events of his life
   6. Islam and Muslim
   7. The Hijrah
   8. The Five Pillars (faith, prayer, alms, fasting, pilgrimage)
   9. Mosque
   10. Ramadan
   11. Hajj
   12. Muslim ways of life
   13. Qur’an
   14. Sunna and Shari’a
2. Examine the expansion of Islam
   1. Caliph
   2. Abu-Bakr, Umar, Uthman and Ali
   3. The Rightly Guided Caliphs
   4. Jihad
   5. Why Muslim invaders were welcomed in many areas
   6. Umayyads
   7. Sunni and Shi’a
   8. Abbasids
   9. Baghdad, Iraq
   10. Fatimid Caliphate
   11. Sakk
3. Examine Muslim Culture
   1. Muslim cities
   2. Social classes- Muslims by birth, converts, protected people, slaves
   3. Role and responsibilities of women in historical Muslim culture
   4. Education- House of Wisdom
   5. Art- calligraphy and decorative arts
   6. Medical advances- Al-Razi (Rhazes) and the Comprehensive Book
   7. Math and science- Al-Khwarizmi