

ISLAMIC CENTER OF NEW MEXICO, SUNDAY ISLAMIC SCHOOL

FIRST GRADE

COURSE OUTLINE

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Class Location: ICNM

Days: Sundays

Time: 10:30 AM- 1:00 PM (Winter) and 11:00 AM- 1:30 PM (summer)

Course Description: **Quran (memorize):**

1. Surah Al-Fatihah
2. Surah Al-Nas
3. Surah Al-Falaq
4. Surah Al-Ikhlās
5. Surah Al-Nasr
6. Surah Al-Asr

Arabic: Studies & Writing

1. Children will learn the complete Arabic alphabet, from Alif to Ya & recognize 100% of the letters.
2. The children will learn 4 selected Quran verses.
3. The children will learn 4 places mentioned in the Quran.
4. The children will learn 6 names of prophets mentioned in the Quran.
5. The children will learn all of the five prayers the times & how to write them in Arabic.

Islamic Studies: I will teach the children

1. What is belief in Allah?
2. What is our religion Islam?
3. What do Muslims believe in?
4. What is the last day?
5. What are Angels?
6. The children will learn 8 of the angel's names.
7. What are Prophets?
8. What are Prophets' purposes on this earth?
9. The children will learn all the names of the books mentioned in the Quran.
10. Which Prophets are chosen for each book?
11. Why do we pray?
12. What does Taharah mean?
13. How to make Wudu?
14. What does Niyyah mean?
15. How to make salat.
16. What are the 7 positions in salat?
17. The numbers of Raka'at & the kind of salat.
18. What is the Kaba?
19. Stories of our Prophet Muhammad (saw).
20. Three great Muslim women, Who are they, What are their names, What role did each one have?

Offered: Fall and Spring (No Sunday School during Summer)

Recommended Text:

1. Juz' 'AMMAH: 30 with Al Fatihah Volume 1 compiled by Abidullah Ghazi
2. Let's Read & Write Arabic book 2/Fadel Abdallah
3. Our Faith & Worship/ A textbook of Islamic Aqa' and Arkan Elementry level volume 1.
4. ISLAM/ Beliefs and Teachings/ Ghulam Sarwar
5. Quran Made Easy/ Shabbir A. Behlim/ Library of Islam.

Recommended Materials:

1. Please bring two note books one, for Islamic studies & one for Arabic studies, three ring binder.
2. Please bring pencils, sharpeners, erasers.

SPECIFIC COURSE OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion of the Fall semester: the students should be able to:

Quran Memorize:

Memorize: Surah Al-Ikhlās, Surah Al Nas, Surah Al-Falaq.

Arabic Studies Reading & Writing

Recognize 75% of the Arabic letters.

Pronounce 75% of the Arabic letters.

The children will learn 2 places mentioned in the Quran.

The children will learn 3 names of the prophets mentioned in the Quran.

The children will learn 2 of the five prayers

Islamic Studies

Understand what belief in Allah.

Understand what our religion Islam about.

What are Angels?

Learn 4 of the Angels names.

Understand what are Prophets, & what are there purposes on this earth.

Understand the five pillars of Islam.

Learn 3 names of Allahs Books

Understand why we pray.

Learn how to make wadu.

Learn how to make complete salat.

Learn 3 names of the positions in Salat.

METHOD OF EVALUATION:

Grading:	Class Attendance:	40%
	Behavior:	10%
	Memorizing	40%
	Homework	10%

Grading Scale	Excellent	90 %
	Good	80%
	Fair	70%
	Parents/ Guardian support needed	60% or below

ABSENCE POLICY:

Attendance is extremely important for successful completion of this program.

The following are the allowed hours of absence for each semester. A maximum of 3 days absence is allowed with a genuine reason. If a student misses more than the allowed days of absence for the semester, she/he may be unable to complete the objectives of the course and may earn a grade of fail. If the student has missed more than the allowed days of absence, she/he/ parents/ guardian must speak with the teacher/ Principal before progressing in the Program.

30 minute late will be considered as Tardy and will earn a lower grade.

Leaving the class 30 minutes before the authorized time will also earn a lower grade.

Parent's cooperation is HIGHLY appreciated.

CLASSROOM /LAB BEHAVIOR:

Student will be graded based on the following behaviors in the ICNM Sunday Islamic School:

1. Arrive on time, leave at the appropriate time, and return from break as indicated.
2. Listening to the teacher
3. No eating in the classroom other than when allowed timings
4. Put all the equipments/ materials/ appliances, in their respective places, before leaving the class.
5. Keep the classroom/ Masjid clean.

EXAM/ TEST POLICY:

Students are expected to understand and demonstrate the knowledge of all that is taught in the class. Please refer to "Specific Course Objectives" on page 2.

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CLASS SCHEDULE (Fall Semester)

August 22, 2004-

First period:

Learn Surah Al Fatiha & Al Nas

Second period:

Arabic Studies Read & Write Arabic Alphabet

Break:

Snack & play time

Third period:

Belief in Allah, our religion is Islam

August. 29, 2004-

First period:

Surah al-Falaq

Second period:

Selected Quran Verses

Break:

Snack & play time

Third period:

Beliefs of Muslims, The five pillars of Islam

September 05, 2004

NO SCHOOL- Labor Day

Sept. 12, 2004

First period:

Learn Surah Al-Asr

Second period:

Name of places mentioned in the Quran

Break:

Snack & play time

Third period:

Belief in Angels, Belief in the Prophets of Allah

Belief in the Books of Allah

Sept. 19, 2004

First period:

Learn Surah Al-Ikhlās

Second period:

Names of some Prophet mentioned in the Quran

Break:

Snack & play time

Third period:

Why do we Pray? How to make Wadu, How to make Salat

Sept. 26, 2004

First period:

Learn Surah Al-Nasr

Second period:

Five daily prayers

Break:

Snack & play time

Third period:

Stories of Prophet Muhammed (saw)

Oct. 03, 2004

First period:

Surah Al Nas

Second period:

Arabic alphabet

Break:

Snack & play time

Third period:

Three Great Women in Islam

Oct. 10, 2004

First period:

Surah Al-Falaq

Second period:

Selected Quran verses

Break:

Snack & play time

Third period:

Belief in Allah, are Religion is Islam

Oct. 17, 2004

First period:

Learn Surah Asr

Second period:

Name of places mentioned in the Quran

Break:

No snack

Third period:

Beliefs of Muslims

The five Pillars of Islam

Oct 24, 2004

First period:

Learn Surah Al-Nasr

Second period:

Names of some Prophets mentioned in the Quran

Break:

	No snack <u>Third period:</u> Belief in Angels, Belief in the Prophets of Allah Belief in the Books of Allah.
Oct 31, 2004	<u>First period:</u> Surah Al Ikhlas <u>Second period:</u> The five daily prayers <u>Break:</u> No snack <u>Third period:</u> Why do we pray? How to make Wadu, How to make Salah.
Nov 07, 2004	<u>First period:</u> Surah Al-Nas & Al-Falaq <u>Second period:</u> Arabic Alphabet <u>Break:</u> NO snack <u>Third period:</u> Stories of the Prophet Muhammad (saw)
Nov 14, _2004	EID-UL-FITR HOLIDAY
Nov 21, _2004	<u>First period:</u> Surah Asr & Surah Al Nasr <u>Second period:</u> Selected Quranic Verses <u>Break:</u> NO snack <u>Third period:</u> Three Great Muslim Woman
Nov 28, _2004	<i>NO SCHOOL- Thanks giving weekend</i>
Dec 05, _2004	<u>First period:</u> Go over every thing we learned <u>Second period:</u> Go over everything we learned <u>Break:</u> Snack & play time <u>Third period:</u> Go over everything we learned
Dec 12, _2004	<u>(EXAMS)</u>
Dec 19, _2004	<i>STUDENT'S AND TEACHER'S APPRECIATION</i>
Dec 26, _2004	<i>WINTER BREAK</i>