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LEVEL 3



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About Quranic Tarbiyah

Vision

A generation who love and live the Qur'ān.

Mission

Nurturing a generation who are guided by revelation, grounded in reality, and who carry forward the legacy of the Prophets ﷺ.

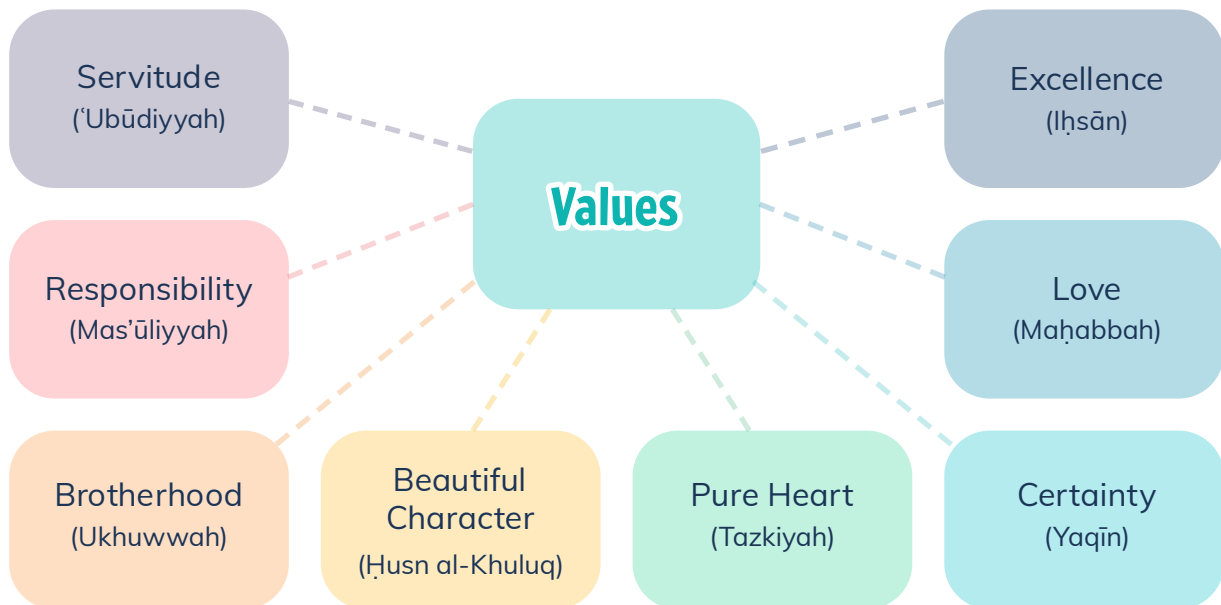
Aims & Objectives

We want every educator and learner to:

1. Develop a deep awareness of Allah, love Him and honour Him.
2. Recognise their purpose in life (i.e. 'ubūdiyyah: servitude), and worship Allah ﷻ with baṣīrah (clear proof and certainty).
3. Constantly strive to strengthen their īmān and yaqīn (conviction).
4. Love the Messenger ﷺ, and embody his sunnah and character.
5. Become 'people of the Qur'ān' through reflecting and living by it.
6. Constantly strive to attain a pure heart (tazkiyah) and attain iḥsān.
7. Know the legal rulings of all necessary aspects of life (fiqh) alongside their inner dimensions, in order to taste the sweetness of worship.
8. Be confident in their dīn and feel deeply connected and proud of their heritage and history.
9. Be well-equipped to deal with personal, local and global challenges, and become beacons of justice and mercy for the entire world.
10. Develop a love of lifelong learning, and a passion to serve the dīn of Allah, and become beacons of justice and mercy for the entire world.

لَقَدْ مَنَّ اللَّهُ عَلَى الْمُؤْمِنِينَ إِذْ بَعَثَ فِيهِمْ رَسُولًا مِّنْ أَنفُسِهِمْ يَتْلُوا
عَلَيْهِمْ آيَاتِهِ ۖ وَيُزَكِّيهِمْ وَيُعَلِّمُهُمُ الْكِتَابَ وَالْحِكْمَةَ وَإِن كَانُوا مِن
قَبْلُ لَفِي ضَلَالٍ مُّبِينٍ

“Indeed, Allah bestowed a favour on the believers when He raised in their midst a Messenger from among themselves — who recites to them His verses, purifies them, and teaches them the Book and wisdom. For indeed they had previously been clearly astray.” (3:164)



The 5 Key Areas of the Quranic Tarbiyah Curriculum



Iman and Tazkiyah

Aims of Iman and Tazkiyah Lessons

- 1 To be strongly connected to Allah: to know Him and love Him
- 2 To love the Messenger ﷺ and to be attached to Him
- 3 To develop strong īmān which leads to ‘amal ṣāliḥ (righteous deeds)
- 4 To constantly strive to purify the heart from its diseases
- 5 To aspire for iḥsān by focusing on the actions of the heart
- 6 To be confident in responding to common doubts and misconceptions
- 7 To be certain of the ultimate authority of the Qur’an & Sunnah

īmān is the core of our dīn. It is the first thing we must learn about and it is the first thing we have to nurture in our children. Jundub b. ‘Abdillāh ﷺ said, “We were with the Prophet ﷺ and we were young boys, nearing puberty. We learnt īmān before we learnt the Qur’ān. Then we learnt the Qur’ān, and increased our īmān through it” (Ibn Mājah).

‘Ā’ishah ﷺ said, “Indeed the first verses to be revealed were from the shorter chapters at the end of the Qur’ān which mention Paradise and Hellfire. When the people were firmly established upon Islam, the verses of ḥalāl and ḥarām were revealed. If the first verse to be revealed was ‘do not drink wine,’ they would have said, ‘we will never stop drinking wine.’ And if the first verse to be revealed was ‘do not commit adultery,’ they would have said, ‘we will never stop committing adultery.’” (Bukhārī). Thus, it is vital that before we teach the dos and don’ts of Islam, we instil in our children the knowledge, love, and reverence of Allah ﷻ, His Messenger and the centrality of the hereafter.

The Essence of Iman

The key focus in the tarbiyah (nurturing) of our children should be to ensure that the essence of īmān is deeply ingrained into their hearts. This is especially more important in our times when we face an onslaught of deadly trials such as atheism, secularism, liberalism and materialism.

Īmān has a sweetness: once you taste it, you will never be pleased with a substitute. Our responsibility, as educators, is to ensure that we facilitate this journey whereby our students can experience the sweetness of īmān and worship.

Conversely, when īmān is not firm in the heart, the heart will gradually collapse when faced with trials and temptations. It becomes very easy for doubts to creep into the heart and, if not tended to, could leave one to eventually losing their īmān. Thus, nurturing hearts to taste the sweetness of īmān is a strong protection against doubts.

Knowing Allah (Ma'rifah)

The knowledge of Allah is the foundation of īmān, and it is the best and most important knowledge a person can attain. It is the soul's greatest need, and the path to eternal success. Therefore, it must be imparted into children in a way which befits their understanding and interests. This process should be made relevant, practical and as fun as possible. The more the children know Allah, the stronger their īmān and yaqīn (conviction) in Him will be. The easier it will then become for them to submit to Him and eagerly rush to fulfil His commands.

Once a child knows Allah, he will love Him. Once he loves Allah, he will obey Him.

Children (like adults) can increase their knowledge of Allah and build a deep personal connection with Him through:

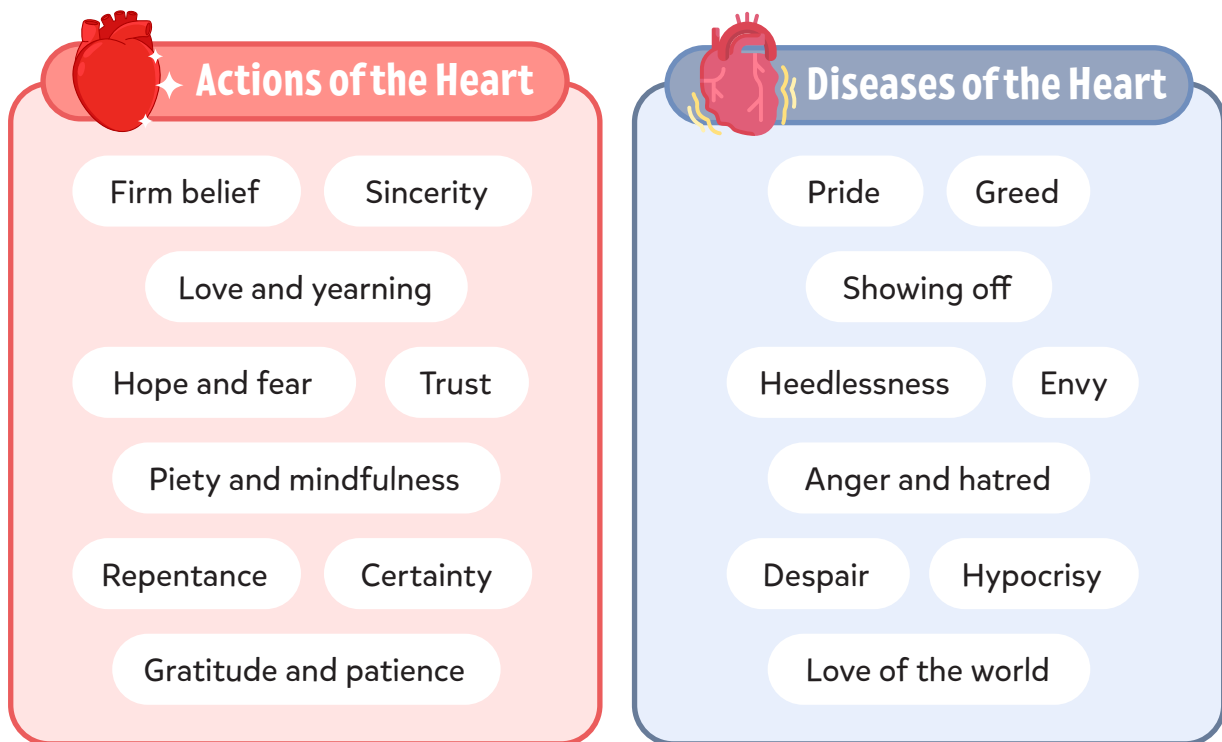
- 1 Learning about the Names of Allah
- 2 Reflecting on the creation of Allah
- 3 Connecting to the Qur'ān

Knowing Allah deeply will lead to the cultivation of the 'actions of the heart'. These include: firm belief, sincerity, piety and mindfulness, repentance, trust in Allah, hope, fear, gratitude, patience, love, yearning for Allah and certainty.

Ihsan and Tazkiyah

One of the ultimate goals of Qur'ānic Tarbiyah is to nurture īmān, which then leads to iḥsān. Iḥsān is “worshipping Allah as though you are seeing Him; for if you cannot see Him, He truly sees you” (Muslim). In order to do this, the aforementioned ‘actions of the heart’ have to be constantly cultivated in the hearts.

Similarly, the hearts have to be constantly purified from its diseases (tazkiyah). The heart is the leader of the body: once it is rectified, the rest of the body will be rectified. Thus, cleansing and adorning the heart is an essential part of our dīn, and a prerequisite for īmān to be deeply embedded in the heart.



Activating īmān is the first step in changing behaviour. If īmān becomes deeply ingrained in children, excellent akhlāq will naturally follow. They will willingly treat themselves, their families, their peers, and all of Allah’s creation in the best manner. The outer actions will not be mere rituals; rather they will find deep meaning and connection to Allah through them. The Qur’an will not just be a book which they had to memorise — it will be the words of their Lord whom they love, and they will want to ‘live’ it.

Teach By Example

As educators, we have to constantly nurture (‘tarbiyah’) our own īmān. This is important to do before, during and even after we have taught our children. It is an ongoing endeavour, until we leave this world. If we seek genuine reform for ourselves and our Ummah, constantly nurturing our īmān and the īmān of those who we are responsible for must become part of our mission in life.

The 6 Pillars of Iman

Imān is not limited to knowing the 6 pillars and the technical details of each one - rather it is the greatest motivating force on this earth. Each pillar of imān has deeply significant meanings which directly influence our thoughts and actions.

These outcomes will be gradually introduced and reinforced throughout the levels. Educators can keep the following table in mind as a reference point throughout the journey of nurturing imān in young hearts.

Pillar	Outcomes
Iman in Allah	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Loving Allah, fearing Him, honouring Him, thanking Him, worshipping Him, and obeying Him • Frees one from worldly shackles and false beliefs • Contentment and a good life in this world, and eternal bliss in the hereafter
Iman in Allah's Angels	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Loving the Angels and feeling shy of them • Being careful of one's own actions and staying away from sins • Imitating their worship and obedience • Feeling safe and being grateful to Allah for granting us their services • Appreciating the majesty of Allah
Iman in His Books & Messengers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Loving Allah and thanking Him for sending guidance • Loving and honouring all the Prophets and taking them as role models • Following the universal message sent to all of mankind: worship Allah Alone and do good in this life to attain eternal bliss in the Next Life
Iman in the Last Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One of the greatest motivators to doing good deeds and staying away from sins • Contentment and continuing to strive despite life's difficulties and trials. • Remaining focused and not being distracted by the glamour of the world • Eagerness to meet Allah and His Messenger ﷺ
Iman in al-Qadar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attaching your heart to Allah, seeking His assistance and trusting Him • Feeling peace and contentment, in spite of life's difficulties • Patience and willingness to endure hardships for future rewards • Bravery and strong determination

“There is an ‘early paradise’ in the world. It is to know Allah, to love Him, find comfort in Him, long to meet Him, fear Him and obey Him. Beneficial knowledge leads one to attain this. Whoever’s knowledge leads him to enter this ‘early paradise’, will enter Paradise in the next world. And whoever does not sniff the fragrance of the ‘worldly paradise’, will not sniff the fragrance of the Paradise of the hereafter.”

– Ibn Rajab رحمه الله



About This Book

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

This book aims to nurture the foundations of īmān and tazkiyah in the hearts of young learners in a fun and engaging manner. This book consists of 25 lessons. It begins with the essential question of ‘What is my purpose in life?’ - this is a recurring theme throughout the Iman & Tazkiyah books in order to instil the purpose of life in children. It then delves into the six pillars of īmān and explores some of Allah’s Names. The book then expands further on the theme of the ‘Shining Heart’, which was introduced in Level 2.

The book has been prepared for Year 3 children (average age 7-8), but can also be used by older children. Whilst this book can be used as a standalone textbook, it assumes that students have completed Iman & Tazkiyah Levels 1 and 2.

Educators are encouraged to adapt the lessons to make them as engaging and as relevant as possible. It is important that children have positive associations and happy memories with their Islamic Studies learning. The book also contains nashid pages, specifically chosen to correspond to the topics being taught. Similarly, many of the lessons contain stories of the great Prophets ﷺ and Companions رَضِيَ اللَّهُ عَنْهُمْ. Storytelling is a key pedagogical method of the Qur’ān and our beloved Prophet ﷺ. These stories should not be read out, but rather narrated or ‘performed’ in an engaging manner.




Along with this, ‘Learning for Life With Allah’ (LLWA) pages have been added to make learning practical. Knowledge is nothing but ink on paper until it is translated into real-world application, and tarbiyah is the process that enables that application.

We look forward to hearing your feedback, comments and any suggestions for future editions.

How To Use This Book

Learning Objectives

The key aims and outcomes of the lesson are clearly listed at the beginning of the lesson. A traffic light system helps outline the differentiated learning outcomes.

-  On your mark! - This is a beginner level objective which all pupils should be able to access and engage with.
-  Get set! - This is an intermediate level objective which all pupils should be able to take part in, although some students may need extra support.
-  Go! - This is an advanced or higher-order objective that most pupils will be able to engage with to some level, although some students may need support to express their ideas in writing.

T Thinking Starters

Educators are encouraged to write the question on the board before the start of the lesson. As children walk into the classroom, they should start to think about the question or discuss it with a peer. Children do not need to write down the answer. It will be used to set the scene for the lesson.

The screenshot shows a lesson page for 'Lesson 4' titled 'I Think About Allah's Creation'. It features a 'Learning Objectives' section with a traffic light system (red, yellow, green) and three objectives: 'Reflect on the universe that Allah has created', 'Recall that Allah is the Perfect Creator', and 'Discover the unique characteristics of a camel'. There is a 'Key Words' section with 'The Creator - الخالق', 'Reflect', and 'Harmony'. A 'Thinking Starter' section asks 'How can we know who Allah is?'. A 'Reflecting on Allah's Universe' section discusses reflecting on Allah's creation. Below that, it lists 'The universe is gigantic!' and shows icons for Sun, Galaxy, Asteroids, Mars, Jupiter, Stars, and Moon. A challenge question asks 'Which of these creations of Allah is the biggest?'. The page footer includes 'Lesson 4' and 'QuranicTarbiyah'.

Key Words

The key words will develop student literacy and expand their vocabulary. Educators are encouraged to do spelling tests and play word games with their class once a week/every 2 weeks to assess learning.

Challenge

Children can boost their level of understanding if they have extra time available.


IT'S STORY TIME! **The Weeping Tree**

Every week there is a special day: the Day of Jum'ah. On this day, the Prophet ﷺ would lean on the trunk of a palm tree and would deliver the khutbah (special sermon) to all the Companions.

One day, an Ansari Companion asked the Prophet ﷺ: "Shall we make you a minbar (pulpit)?" He agreed and so they decided to build a minbar for the Prophet ﷺ so that he could give the khutbah more comfortably.

The day had arrived. It was time to deliver the sermon on the new minbar. The room was quiet. Everyone was eager to listen to the beautiful words of the Prophet ﷺ. Suddenly, they could hear sounds which sounded like a crying baby. Everyone's heads turned to see where the noise was coming from. It was the tree which the Prophet used to lean on. The Companions were astounded and waited to see the reaction of the Prophet ﷺ.

The Prophet ﷺ climbed down the minbar and went to the tree. He softly stroked it and gave it a hug to comfort it. To everyone's surprise, the tree immediately stopped crying. The Prophet ﷺ then said, "It was crying because it missed hearing the remembrance of Allah near it."



How do you think the tree used to feel when the Prophet ﷺ would lean on it to deliver the khutbah?

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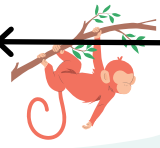
It's Story Time!

Educators should read the story before the lesson, and narrate it within the lesson to the children in an engaging manner (using facial expressions, hand gestures, change in tone of voice, asking questions etc).

Discuss

Children should talk about what they understand with their educator or peers.

If you asked an animal to pray for you and help you, would it be able to?



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Think and Reflect

Children should self-reflect and share their reflections with their educator or their peers. Answers don't need to be written down.

M Memorise
Let's memorise this phrase. Tick the circle when you have memorised it.

Arabic with Meaning	Memorised
<p>الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ عَلَى كُلِّ حَالٍ</p> <p>"All praise and thanks are for Allah in every situation." (Ibn Majah)</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>

M Memorise

Children can memorise short Qur'anic verses, remembrances and du'as to help them internalise the teachings of the dīn.

Tasks

There are accompanying tasks in each lesson for reinforcement and practical application. Children can do these individually, in pairs or in groups. Educators can collect the books to mark the students' work, or go through the answers orally together as a class.

I Act On What I Learn

This is an important part of the lesson where the children can transform their learning to action. Educators should follow up in the next lesson by asking children if they managed to act upon the prompt.

P Progress Check

Educators should end the lesson by reviewing the learning objectives and using a plenary. At the end of every lesson, children should check which learning objectives they learnt and understood, and clearly identify what they don't know. The educator can do a quiz, test or even play a game with the class using these evaluation questions. Students can write the answers or just say the answers verbally to the educator.

As-salamu 'Alaykum Fellow Gardeners!

We are so happy to see you again 😊. Well done for completing Levels 1 & 2.

Are you ready to join us for Level 3 on our gardening adventure?

Now that we are (slightly) older, there is a bit more serious learning and growing to do. But don't worry, there are also lots of fun activities and plenty of stories too!

In this book, we will learn about Allah سبحانه و تعالی and how we can become His best friends. We will learn how to plant the 6 pillars of iman. We will also learn how to remove the weeds from our hearts and sprinkle them with good deeds so that they shine.

Get your gardening gear on!

With lots of love and du'as,

Maryam & Musa



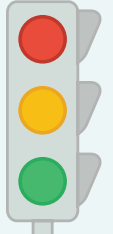
Lesson 1

Why Did Allah Create Us?



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Recall my purpose of life

Describe how I can worship Allah

Explain what worshipping Allah leads to



Key Words

Purpose of life

Worship - عِبَادَةٌ

Happy

T Thinking Starter

What does لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ mean?

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ



My Purpose in Life

Nothing is created without a reason and a **purpose**. The reason why Allah created us is to worship Him. Worship is called 'ibādah (عِبَادَةٌ) in Arabic. Allah سبحانه وتعالى says in the Qur'an:

وَمَا خَلَقْتُ الْجِنَّ وَالْإِنْسَ إِلَّا لِيَعْبُدُونِ

“I did not create jinn and men except so that they worship Me.”

(51:56)





Task 1

Write the reasons for why the following items were created/produced:



The main purpose of a broom is to clean dirt.



The main purpose of glasses is to _____



The main purpose of cows is to _____



The main purpose of trees is to _____



The main purpose of human beings is to _____

What Is Worship?

Worship means to do and say everything that Allah loves and is pleased with.

When you worship something, it means you give it your full love and respect.

Everyone worships something. Some people worship the sun, some worship the trees and some even worship animals.

We worship Allah because He is our Rabb, our Nurturing Lord. Allah created us and He is in charge of the whole world! Allah is the Most Powerful, and we are weak. We are His servants and we are always in need of Him. We cannot do anything without Him.



If you asked an animal to pray for you and help you, would it be able to?





Task 2

Maryam’s Ustadhah has set a challenge for the class to worship Allah at every opportunity. How can Maryam worship Allah in the following situations?

At school

At home

In the park/
playground

In the bathroom

In the bedroom

In the masjid



Did You Know?

Worshipping Allah does not only mean doing what He has commanded us to do – but it also means to stay away from what He has told us **not** to do.



What Does Worshipping Allah Lead To?

Some people think that the **purpose of life** is to have fun, or become famous or to get lots and lots of money. However, there are people who are famous and have mountains of money but are still very unhappy. Can you think why?

Allah is the One who created us. He has told us our purpose in life. If we fulfil our purpose, then we will be happy in both this life and the next. The more we worship Allah, the happier we will be!



Task 3

There are two paths we can take in life. One is the path that Allah سبحانه و تعالی has told us to follow and will lead to true happiness. The other is the path that Allah has told us to stay away from as it will lead us to being miserable and gloomy.

Help Maryam identify which actions will lead to true happiness and which actions will lead to gloom and misery.

Speaking the truth

Stealing

Being kind

Swearing

Murder

Praying salah

Being selfish

Being grateful

True Happiness

Misery & Gloom

I Act On What I Learn

I will try my best to worship Allah at all times.

P Progress Check



1. What is your purpose in life?

2. What does it mean to worship Allah?

3. What does worshipping Allah lead to?

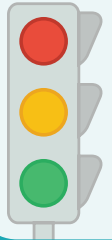
Lesson 2

Islam: The True Religion



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



- State the literal meaning of Islam
- Describe why Islam is the true religion
- Explain why Islam is my greatest blessing



Key Words

- Submission
- Blessing
- True religion

T Thinking Starter

What blessing are you most grateful for?



What does Islam mean?

The literal meaning of the word Islam is **submission**. When we submit to Allah, it means we obey Him fully. It means we accept everything He has asked us to do.





Task 1

Islam comes from the root letters 'س-ل-م'.

The following words also contain these root letters. Can you match the Arabic words to the English meaning?

إِسْلَامٌ

مُسْلِمٌ

سَلَامٌ

سَلِيمٌ

A person who submits to Allah

Peace

Send peace

Submission

Islam: The Only True Religion

Different people follow different religions. There are lots of different religions.

We follow the din of Islam because we know it is the **true religion**.



Did You Know?

We are all born as Muslims!



Deep down inside our hearts, Allah سبحانه وتعالى created us all to naturally know that there can only be One God worthy of worship.

Our Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم said “No child is born except on fitrah (Islam).” (Bukhari)

Sometimes, even when a child is raised into a different religion, they later realise and remember that Islam is the true religion and return to their natural fitrah. That is why you hear of so many people accepting Islam because they know it is the truth!



Did You Know?

Islam is the fastest growing religion in the world!



Task 2

Fill in the gaps with the words below:

Straight

Isa

Qur'an

Jews

One

All the Prophets came with the truth and the same message:
worship _____ God Alone.

_____ عليه السلام was sent with the Bible to the Christians.

Musa عليه السلام was sent with the Torah to the _____ .

However, as time went on, the Christians and the Jews made changes
to their Holy Books and went away from the _____ Path.

Then, Allah sent Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم with the best religion
Islam and the best book, the _____. Allah chose Islam to
be the final and most perfect religion.

Islam: My Greatest Blessing

We are so blessed that Allah has chosen the religion of Islam for us.

Islam is the best way of life. Allah سبحانه وتعالى says:

الْيَوْمَ أَكْمَلْتُ لَكُمْ دِينَكُمْ وَأَتْمَمْتُ عَلَيْكُمْ نِعْمَتِي وَرَضِيْتُ لَكُمُ الْإِسْلَامَ دِينًا

“Today I have perfected your religion for you, completed My blessing upon you, and chosen Islam as your religion.” (5:3)

Islam is the most perfect way of life. Everything in Islam makes sense. If we live according to Islam, we will be happy and feel at peace. The world would be a better place. Everything Allah has told us to do is good for us. This makes perfect sense as Allah made us and He knows us best!

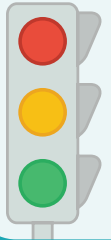
Lesson 3

I Am A Mu'min: I Believe in Allah



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



- List the 6 pillars of iman
- Explore the most important belief
- Explain how to strengthen my iman



Key Words

Firm belief - إِيمَانٌ
 Mu'min (Believer) - مُؤْمِنٌ
 Strengthen

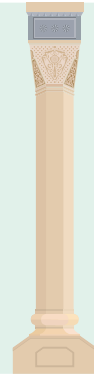
T Thinking Starter

What is the best sentence you can ever say?



Iman is to be sure and strong in your belief in Allah. A person who has iman is a **mu'min** (a believer). The opposite of a mu'min is a kafir (a disbeliever).

Our beloved Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم told us that iman is to believe in 6 things. These are also known as the pillars of iman.



Task 1

Fill in the gaps:

I believe in...

1 _____

2 Allah's Angels.

3 Allah's _____

4 Allah's _____

5 _____

6 Allah's Decree.



Can you say the 6 pillars of iman by heart to your teacher/classmate?

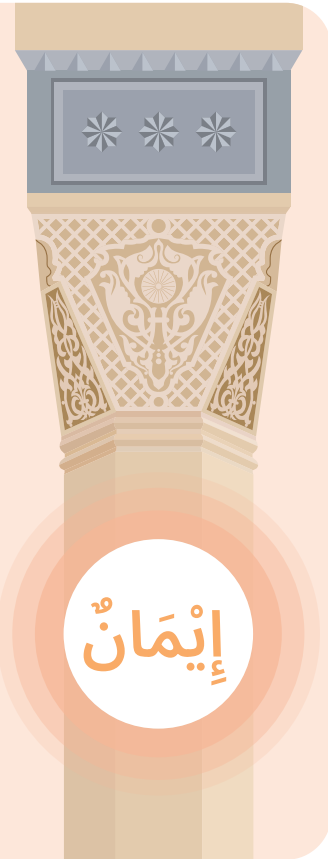
The Most Important Pillar

The first and most important pillar of iman is to believe in Allah. It is to believe that Allah is One and He Alone deserves to be worshipped.

Allah is the only One who created the entire universe. He created all the animals, trees, mountains and the rivers. Allah takes care of everyone and manages the whole universe. Allah is the Most Kind who always gives us so many blessings.

Allah is the only One who can fulfil our needs, because He is the Most Powerful, and He is the Real Owner of everything.

Therefore, we must thank Him and **worship Him Alone**. We must not worship anyone else with Him.



Task 2

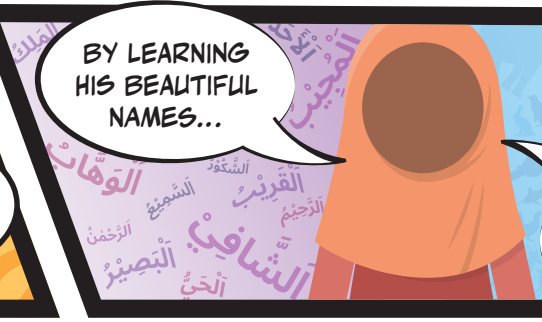
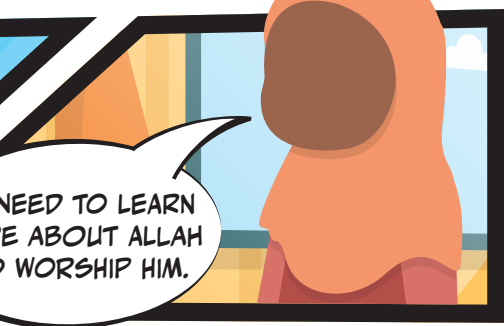
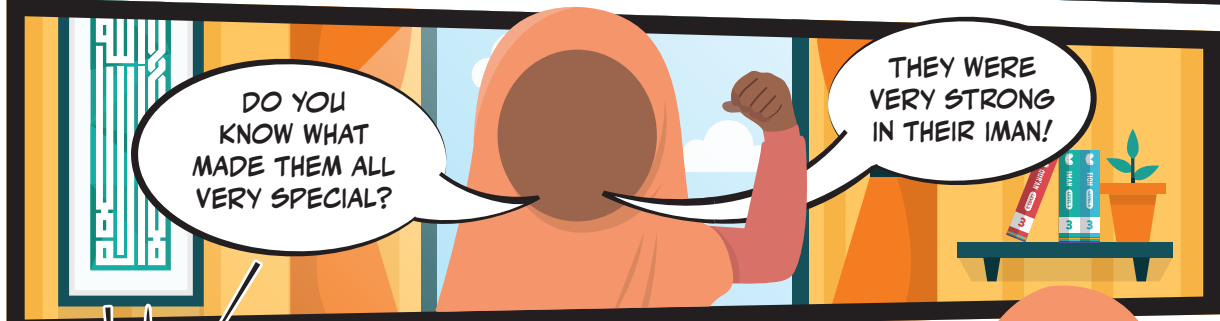
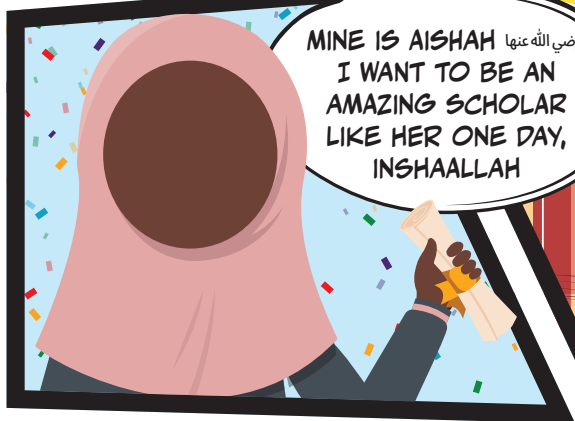
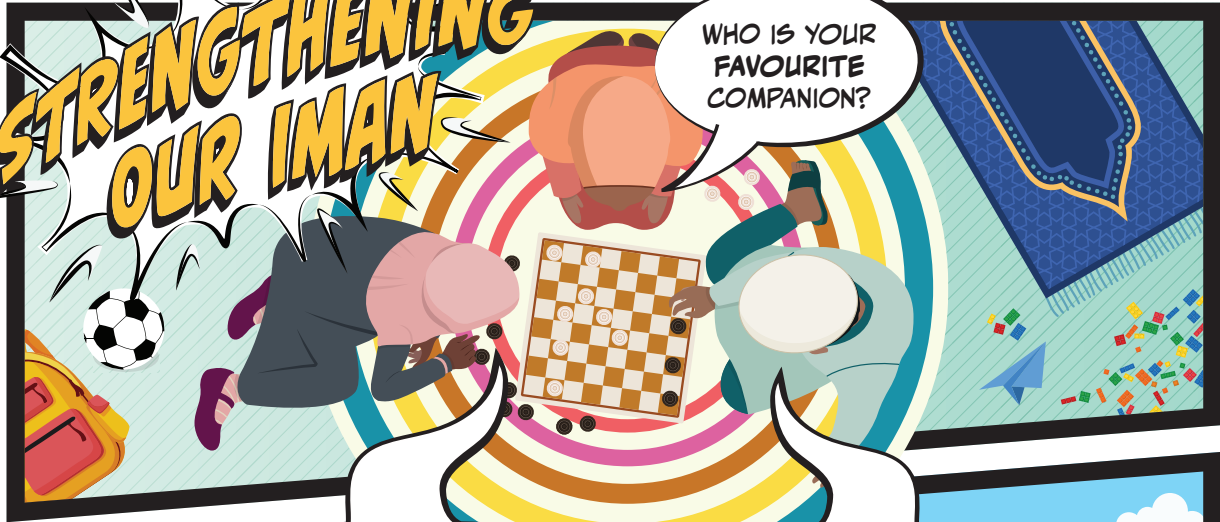
Are the following statements true or false?

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1 Allah is the only One who deserves to be worshipped.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2 There is nobody like Allah. He is Unique.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3 Belief in Allah is the 2 nd most important pillar of iman.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
4 We should only make du'a to Allah.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5 Allah needs people to help Him.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Why do we only worship Allah?

STRENGTHENING OUR IMAN





Task 3

How can you have strong iman?

I can have strong iman by...



What happens when you have strong iman?

I Act On What I Learn

I will learn more about Allah to strengthen my iman.



Progress Check



1. What are the 6 pillars of iman?

2. What is the most important belief you should have?

3. How can you strengthen your iman?

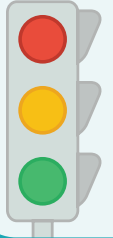
Lesson 4

I Think About Allah's Creation



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Reflect on the universe that Allah has created

Recall that Allah is the Perfect Creator

Discover the unique characteristics of a camel



Key Words

The Creator - **الخالق**

Reflect

Harmony

T Thinking Starter

How can we know who Allah is?



Reflecting on Allah's Universe

One way we can get to know Allah and strengthen our iman is through **reflecting** on **His creation**. Reflecting means to think deeply or carefully about something.

Allah created the world for us and made so many things inside it for our benefit. If we **think carefully** about everything around us, we will realise that **only** Allah could have created all of these wonderful things for us.

The universe is gigantic! As well as creating our planet Earth, Allah سبحانه وتعالى has created so much more in outer-space. Here are just some of the creations of Allah in the Universe:



Sun



Galaxy



Asteroids



Mars



Jupiter



Stars



Moon



Which of these creations of Allah is the biggest?



Task 1

What are all the beautiful things you can see when you look up at the sky during the day and night?

Write your answers in the table below:

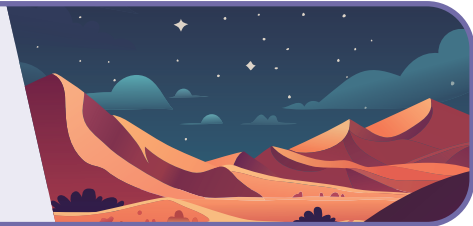
☀ Day	🌙 Night

Is there anything else out there beyond the sky that you can't see?



Did You Know?

There are more stars in the universe than grains of sand on all the beaches on Earth.



Task 2

Trace & memorise.

Every morning, I will say the following dhikr 3 times:

سُبْحَانَ اللَّهِ وَبِحَمْدِهِ ، عَدَدَ خَلْقِهِ ، وَرِضَا نَفْسِهِ ،
 وَزِينَةَ عَرْشِهِ ، وَمِدَادَ كَلِمَاتِهِ

When we say this dhikr, we are praising Allah more times than the number of His creation.



Is it possible for us to count all of Allah's creations?

Allah, The Perfect Creator

Allah commands all things to exist and move around the Universe exactly as He wants.

If even one of the creations of Allah was in a different position, life on Earth wouldn't exist in the same way.

For example, if the Sun was even a little bit closer to the Earth, it would get too hot for humans to live here. If the Sun was a little further away from us, it would get too cold. SubhanAllah!

Allah manages all of His creation perfectly so everything can exist together in **harmony**. He is **al-Khaliq: The Creator**.

الْخَالِقُ

The Camel

One of Allah's amazing creations is the camel. Allah سبحانه وتعالى says,

أَفَلَا يَنْظُرُونَ إِلَى الْإِبِلِ كَيْفَ خُلِقَتْ

“Do they not look at the camels, how they are created?” (88:17)

Camels have amazing features which allow them to travel in the desert for long periods without food and drink.



Did You Know?

A camel can drink 130 litres of water in 10 minutes and can stay without water for nearly 15 days!



Task 3

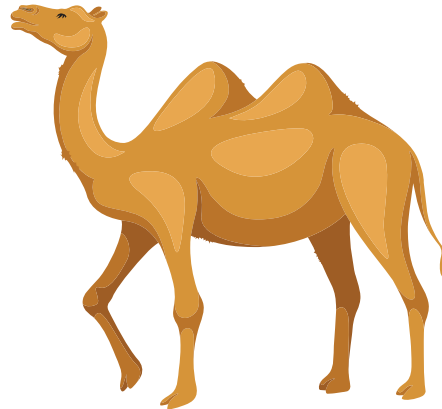
How can a camel survive in the desert? Draw a line to the correct part of the camel's body.

Leathery mouth to eat prickly plants

Hump for storing food

Wide and flat feet to stop it sinking

Nose can close when there is a sandstorm



Long legs to keep its body away from the hot sand

Long eyelashes to keep sand out of the eyes

Hair all over the body so the skin does not burn



Do you know any creations of Allah which live in the cold? How do they survive?

I Act On What I Learn

I will reflect on the creations of Allah so my iman becomes stronger.

P Progress Check



1. Name 3 examples of Allah's creations in the Universe.

2. What does **al-Khaliq** mean?

3. What are 2 unique characteristics of a camel?

IT'S NASHID TIME!

Open Your Eyes

Look around your self
 Can't you see this wonder
 Spread in front of you
 The clouds floating by
 The sky so clear and blue
 Planets in their orbits
 The moon and the sun
 Such perfect harmony

Let's start questioning ourselves
 Isn't this proof enough for us
 Or are we so blind to push it all aside
 No, we just have to

Open our eyes, our hearts and minds
 If we just look right, we'll see the signs
 We can't keep hiding from the truth
 And let it take us by surprise
 Allah protect us in the best way
 Allah guide us every single day
 Allah keep us close to You until the end of time

Allah You created everything
 We belong to You Ya Rabb
 We raise our hands
 Forever we thank You
 Alhamdulillah

By Maher Zain

Allah سبحانه وتعالى says:

إِنَّ فِي خَلْقِ السَّمَوَاتِ وَالْأَرْضِ وَأَخْتِلَافِ
الَّيْلِ وَالنَّهَارِ لَآيَاتٍ لِأُولِي الْأَلْبَابِ.

“Indeed, in the creation of the heavens
and the earth and the alternation of the
day and night, there are signs for people
of wisdom.”

(3:190)



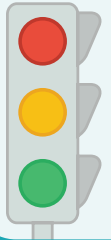
Lesson 5

I Think About How Allah Created Me



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define the Name of Allah **al-Musawwir**

Identify some of the amazing ways in which Allah created us

Explain how our body can be used for the purpose that Allah has designed it for



Key Words

The Fashioner - **المُصَوِّرُ**

Unique

Precious

T Thinking Starter

What's the last thing you saw which really amazed you?
What did you say when you saw it?



Allah Is al-Musawwir

Imagine you only had one hand. What would you not be able to do?

What if the size of your eyelashes was the same as the hair on your head? What would happen?

Allah created you and honoured you. You are a unique creation of Allah. Allah has created each part of you in a special way so that you can fulfil a special purpose in life.

Allah is **al-Musawwir: The Fashioner**.

Only Allah could have made and designed such a perfect creation!

المُصَوِّرُ



Did You Know?



Allah has created each of our fingerprints to be **unique**. Even identical twins have a different set of fingerprints!





Task 1

Look at your fingerprints that Allah has fashioned. Try to draw them in the boxes below:

Thumb	Index Finger	Middle Finger	Ring Finger	Pinky	 Right Hand
 Left Hand	Thumb	Index Finger	Middle Finger	Ring Finger	Pinky

What do you learn from looking at your fingerprints?

Allah Has Fashioned You From Top to Toe!

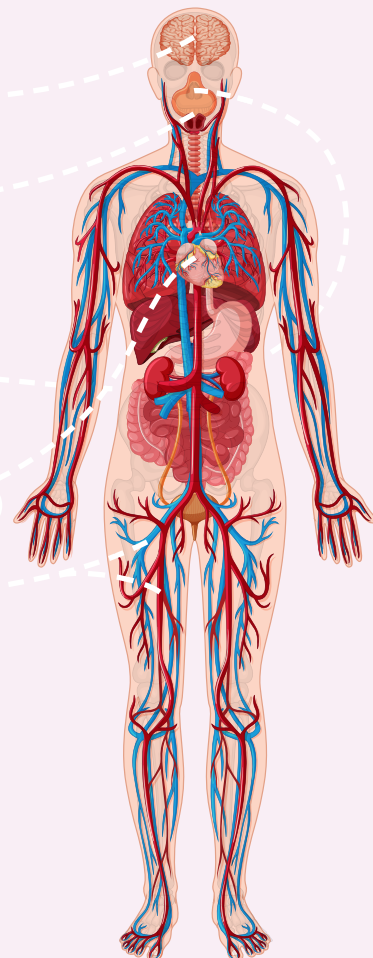
Allah has given you a **brain** that is sometimes **more active when you're asleep** than when you're awake.

Allah has granted your **mouth** the ability to produce approximately **one litre** of saliva daily.

The **nose** that Allah has blessed you with, can recognise around a **trillion different scents!**

Allah has miraculously created the human **heart** to beat **more than three billion times** in an average lifetime.

Allah has made the **blood** contained in your body to make up about **eight percent of your body weight.**



Thank you Allah for creating me in the most beautiful way!



Task 2

Match how you can use the following human body parts to worship Allah al-Musawwir.

The Eyes

The Hands

The Mouth

The Brain

I can work hard at school to become a great scholar.

I can look carefully at the Mushaf when reciting the Qur'an.

I can taste the lovely food that Allah has blessed me with, and thank Him.

I can pick up rubbish from the streets.



How can you worship Allah with each and every heartbeat?

IT'S STORY TIME!

You Are Very Precious to Allah!

There once was a man called Zahir ibn Haram رضي الله عنه. Zahir was a Bedouin: this meant that he lived in the desert. Whenever he came to Madinah, he would bring a gift for the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم. The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم would also prepare something to give to him.

Zahir was not very good looking, but this did not stop the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم from loving Zahir very much.

One day, the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم was at the market place and he spotted Zahir. The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم decided to surprise Zahir and cheer him up. The Prophet hugged him tightly from behind and covered his eyes in a playful manner. "Who is this? Let go of me" exclaimed Zahir. When Zahir realised that it was the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم, he immediately relaxed.

The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم began to joke with him, saying to the public: "Who will buy this slave? Who will buy this slave?"

Zahir said, "You will find me of little value, O Messenger of Allah." Zahir thought that nobody would want to buy him, as he was not good looking and had very little money.

But the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم told him, "But in the sight of Allah, you are very precious!"



How can we become 'precious' in the sight of Allah?

We should always remember that Allah has designed each and every one of us in a unique way for a specific reason and to fulfil a specific purpose. We are all beautiful and precious in the sight of Allah when we fulfil our purpose in life.



Task 3

Just as Allah has created our bodies in a beautiful way, we should also make **our hearts beautiful**. We can make our hearts shine by always remembering Allah and by having **good character**.

Trace and memorise the du'a of the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم:

اللَّهُمَّ أَحْسِنْتَ خَلْقِي فَأَحْسِنْ خُلُقِي

O Allah, beautify my character as You have beautified my appearance.
(Ahmad)

I Act On What I Learn

I will always think about how Allah made the amazing human body.

P Progress Check



1. What does **al-Musawwir** mean?

2. List 3 amazing things about the human body which Allah has created.

3. How can you use your eyes, hands and feet to worship Allah?

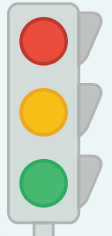
Lesson 6

Allah: Al-Qarib & Al-Mujib



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define Allah's Name **al-Qarib**

Explain Allah's Name **al-Mujib**

Worship Allah with these two Names



Key Words

The Ever Near - **الْقَرِيبُ**

The Responder - **الْمُجِيبُ**

Jugular Vein

T Thinking Starter

Does Allah know if you ask Him something in your mind?



Sometimes you may wonder: Who is Allah? What is He like? Allah tells us who He is by describing Himself to us with His Beautiful and Most Perfect Names (الْأَسْمَاءُ الْحُسْنَى). Two of these special Names are **al-Qarib** and **al-Mujib**.



Allah Is al-Qarib

Allah is **al-Qarib: The Ever Near**. Allah is very close to us. Allah tells us in the Qur'an that He is closer to us than our **jugular veins**. Put your fingers on your jugular vein.

Allah knows us better than we know ourselves. Allah knows what we are thinking. Allah knows our deepest secrets.



Which human being do you feel the closest to? Why do you feel close to them?

When you feel close to someone, you feel comfort and you feel loved. Allah is Near to us: He takes care of us and is so Kind to us. This should make us feel very happy.



If you ever feel lonely, remember that you have Allah who is al-Qarib.



Remember!

Allah is not like any human being!



Task 1

Are the following sentences true or false?

- | | True | False |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 Sometimes people close to you leave you and go away. But not Allah. He is always there. And He always answers those who ask Him. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 2 Allah does not know our deepest secrets. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 3 When you call out to Allah and ask him, you don't have to shout. Allah is Near us and can hear us. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 4 Allah can only pay attention to one person. If a lot of people ask Allah for something, He cannot hear them all. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Allah Is al-Mujib

Allah سبحانه و تعالی says in the Qur'an:

إِنَّ رَبِّي قَرِيبٌ مُجِيبٌ

“Indeed my Lord is Ever Near and Responds to prayers.” (11:61)

Allah is **al-Mujib: The Responder**. He **responds** to our prayers. This means that He answers our du'as. Allah helps us when we need Him. Sometimes, we make a du'a in our mind and before we've even asked it with our tongues, Allah gives it to us!

الْمُجِيبُ



How many times do you think you could ask your sibling/best friend for a favour before they would get tired of you?

If we keep asking a person for something, again and again, they might become angry with us. Allah, on the other hand, LOVES it when we ask Him for things. The more we ask Him, the happier He becomes with us. Human beings can get sick and tired of each other, but Allah is always there for us, ready to give us even more and more.



How can I worship Allah with His Names al-Qarib and al-Mujib?

Always talk to Allah and make du'a.



Task 2

Write what you want to ask Allah. Pour out all of your feelings to Him. What will you ask Allah for? What things could you ask Him for that will help you become even more close to Him?

Dear Allah,

Your Servant,

IT'S STORY TIME!

The Power of Du'a

For many years, Zakariyya عليه السلام and his wife yearned to have children. Time went on, and they both became old. Zakariyya's hair became grey. His bones became weak and creaky.



Zakariyya had a special niece called Maryam. She used to live in al-Masjid al-Aqsa, and Zakariyya عليه السلام was in charge of looking after her. When he would go to see her, he would see something really strange: Maryam would have summer fruits in her room, even though it was winter. And then in the summer, she would have a supply of winter fruits!

“How on earth do you get all of this?” Zakariyya asked his niece one day. There was no way she could have bought these. Maryam عليها السلام replied, “It is from Allah!”

Zakariyya عليه السلام was stunned. He realised that if Allah could give Maryam fruits that were not in season, He could certainly give him a child. So, he turned to Allah and desperately begged him for a son. Allah accepted his du’a and granted him a beautiful and incredible child: Prophet Yahya عليه السلام.

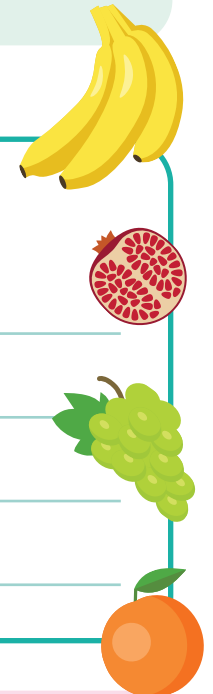


Task 3

Write down 2 lessons that you can learn from the above story.

1 _____

2 _____



I Act On What I Learn

I will always make du’a to Allah as He is al-Qarib and al-Mujib.



P Progress Check



1. What does **al-Qarib** mean?

2. What does **al-Mujib** mean?

3. How can you worship Allah with His names **al-Qarib** & **al-Mujib**?

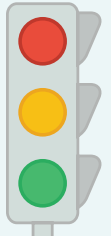
Lesson 7

Allah: Al-Wahhab



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define **al-Wahhab**

Reflect on the gifts Allah gives me in my life

Identify how I can worship Allah with His Name **al-Wahhab**



Key Words

The Ever-Giving - **الْوَهَّابُ**

Constantly

Gift - **هِبَةٌ**

T Thinking Starter

What is the best present you have ever received?

Allah's Most Beautiful Names help us to know who Allah is. If we want to become close to Allah, we have to get to know Him through His Names. One of His special Names is al-Wahhab. **Al-Wahhab** means The Ever-Giving. Al-Wahhab comes from the word **hibah**: gift.



Task 1

Draw your dream present.

Allah Is al-Wahhab

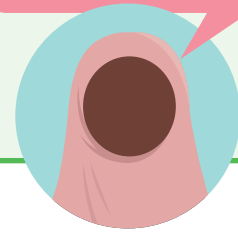
Allah سبحانه و تعالى is al-Wahhab. He is **constantly** giving us gifts and presents.

Sometimes we might go very far away from Allah. But Allah never forgets us. He always gives us gifts.

We have to **recognise** Allah's gifts. Many people do not even realise that it is Allah who has blessed them with everything. If we were to try to count all of Allah's gifts to us, we would not be able to do so. This is because He has blessed us with so many gifts!

الْوَهَّابُ

I love Allah! He gives me the best presents.



Task 2

Can you think of 10 gifts Allah has given to you. Write them below:

- | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| 1. <u>My eyesight</u> | 6. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

Allah سبحانه و تعالى is the Most Kind, the Most Loving and the Most Generous. And He owns the entire universe! This means that His presents are the best presents. The best present Allah can give to anyone is that He **chooses them to be from His special friends**. When you are Allah's special friend, it means that you love Allah, and Allah loves you!



Whenever you want something, always ask Allah, **al-Wahhab!**

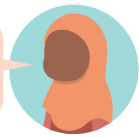
How Can I Worship Allah al-Wahhab?

- 1 Recognise all the gifts Allah gives me
- 2 Thank Allah for all the gifts
- 3 Love Allah
- 4 Keep asking Allah for more gifts



What is the best way that I can thank Allah for all the gifts He gives me?

By worshipping Him alone.



IT'S STORY TIME!

An Incredible Du'a

There was once an amazing Prophet who made an amazing du'a:

رَبِّ اغْفِرْ لِي وَهَبْ لِي مُلْكًا لَا يَنْبَغِي
لِأَحَدٍ مِّنْ بَعْدِي إِنَّكَ أَنْتَ الْوَهَّابُ

“My Lord, forgive me and bless me with a kingdom that will not be available to anyone after me. Indeed You are The Ever-Giving.” (38:35)

His name was Sulayman عليه السلام. Allah, al-Wahhab accepted his du'a and granted him immense blessings!

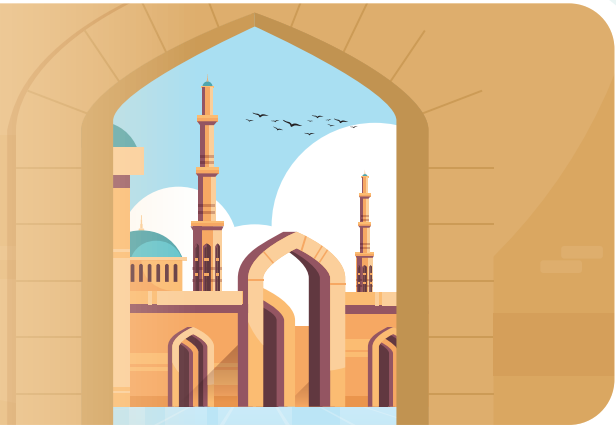
Allah blessed him with the most humongous palace with the most dazzling furniture. Throughout the palaces, there were water streams covered in crystal glass, resembling aquariums! Imagine, huge aquariums in his own house! He could speak to the animals in their language and could even control the wind. He also had the fastest horses and a flying carpet to transport him to wherever he wanted, at whatever speed he wanted.

He had huge armies of men, jinn and animals - all serving him tirelessly! The jinns would build astounding buildings for him. They would dive into the depths of the sea and extract glistening pearls and jewels for him.

He ruled over the ENTIRE world. No king before him or after him was given what Sulayman عليه السلام was given!



Sulayman عليه السلام was not arrogant and instead constantly thanked Allah. He never forgot **al-Wahhab**, the One who had granted him all of these amazing blessings.



Task 3

1 What two things did Sulayman عليه السلام ask for in the du'a above?

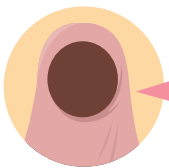
1. _____

2. _____

2 Did Allah سبحانه و تعالى accept the du'a of Sulayman عليه السلام?

3 How did Sulayman عليه السلام ask Allah?

He asked Him with His special Name _____



Allah loves it when we ask Him with His Names.

I Act On What I Learn

I will always thank Allah for all His gifts.

P Progress Check



1. What does Allah's Name **al-Wahhab** mean?

2. List the 'top 5 gifts' Allah has blessed you with.

3. How can you worship Allah with His Name **al-Wahhab**?

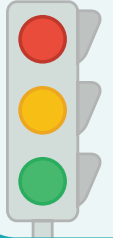
Lesson 8

Allah: As-Sami' & Al-Basir



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define **as-Sami'**

Define **al-Basir**

Explain how I can worship Allah with these 2 Names



Key Words

The All-Hearing - السَّمِيعُ

The All-Seeing - البَصِيرُ

Inner thoughts



T Thinking Starter

Imagine there were 10 people in your classroom, all speaking at the same time. How many of them would you be able to hear properly and understand?

M Memorise

Allah Is as-Sami'

Allah سبحانه وتعالى says:

لَيْسَ كَمِثْلِهِ شَيْءٌ وَهُوَ السَّمِيعُ الْبَصِيرُ

“There is nothing like Him. He is the All-Hearing, All-Seeing.” (42:11)

Allah is **as-Sami'**: The **All-Hearing**. He is the Only One who can hear EVERYTHING.

Allah can hear what you are saying to yourself. He can hear your **inner thoughts**. Allah can hear everyone at the same time. Allah hears you, no matter what language you speak.

السَّمِيعُ

Another meaning of as-Sami' is that Allah **hears and answers our du'as**.

I will not worry because I know Allah always hears and answers my du'as.





Task 1

Maryam wants to know the things that Allah wants to hear from us and what He doesn't. Complete the boxes below to help her.

What Allah wants to hear from me

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____

What Allah does not want to hear from me

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____



Allah Is al-Basir

الْبَصِيرُ

Allah سبحانه وتعالى is **al-Basir, the All-Seeing**. Allah can see everything. Allah can see what we can see, but He also sees what we **can't** see.

Allah sees what we do. Allah sees us trying our best to be good Muslims. Allah sees us when we do a good deed, even when no one else is looking.



Can you think of one thing Allah can see that you cannot?



If Allah can see us and hear us all the time, how should this make us feel?



Task 2

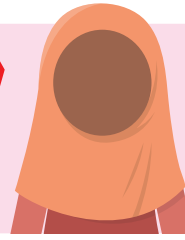
The children are in some sticky situations.

How would they react in these situations if they **remembered** that Allah is as-Sami' & al-Basir? How would they react if they forgot?

Situation	Remembering Allah is as-Sami' & al-Basir	Forgetting Allah is as-Sami' & al-Basir
Maryam's friend is saying mean and rude things to her.	<i>She will remain calm and ignore her.</i>	<i>She will say mean things back to her friend.</i>
Hasan is feeling upset and has no one to speak to.		
Musa's friends are watching bad things. They are telling him to come and join in.		

I Act On What I Learn

I will be careful of what I do and say because Allah is watching me and hears me.



Task 3

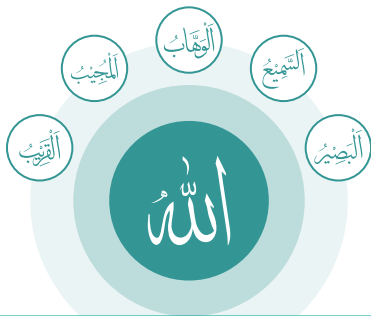
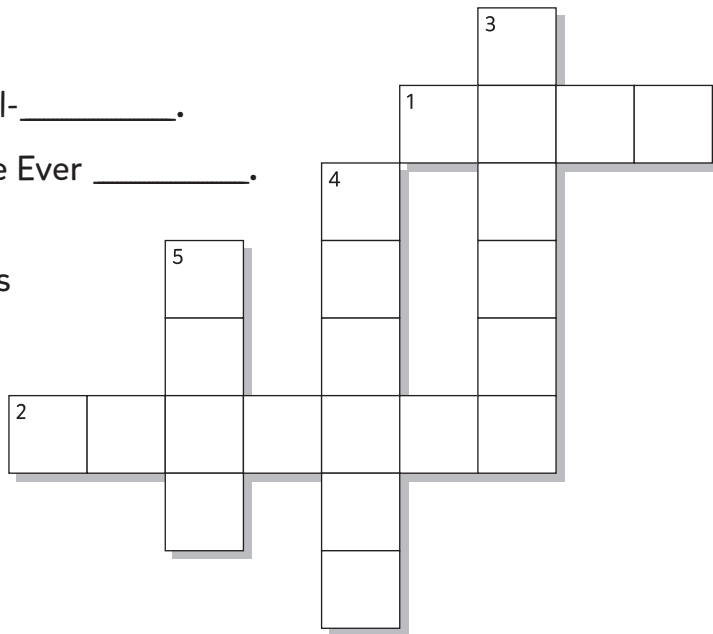
Complete the crossword by filling in the blanks.

Across:

1. Allah is al-Qarib: The Ever _____.
2. Allah is as-Sami': The All-_____.

Down:

3. Allah is al-Basir: The All-_____.
4. Allah is al-Wahhab: The Ever _____.
5. Allah is al-Mujib: The Responder. He answers our _____.



P Progress Check



1. What does **as-Sami'** mean?

2. What does **al-Basir** mean?

3. How can you worship Allah with His Names **as-Sami'** and **al-Basir**?

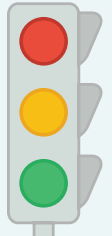
Lesson 9

Allah: Ash-Shafi



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define Allah's Name **ash-Shafi**

Identify that Allah Alone is the One who cures

Explain how to worship Allah **ash-Shafi**



Key Words

The Healer - الشَّافِي

Cure - شِفَاءٌ

Means

T Thinking Starter

When you are sick, what do you do to feel better?



Allah Is ash-Shafi

One of Allah's Beautiful Names is **ash-Shafi: The Healer**. He is the One who heals and cures.

الشَّافِي

If I am sick, Allah is the One who heals and cures me.



There are two types of sickness: outer and inner. We can understand the outer ones as being the **diseases of the body**, and the inner ones as being the **diseases of the heart**.

Allah سبحانه وتعالى is the One who can heal both of these for us.

Allah heals...



Physical Diseases of the Body



Spiritual Diseases of the Heart





Task 1

Sort the following diseases into outer and inner diseases.

Sore Throat	Physical Diseases of the Body	Jealousy
Hatred		Flu
Headache	Spiritual Diseases of the Heart	Pride
Fever		Anger

I Worship Allah ash-Shafi

- 1 Whenever you are sick, turn to Allah ash-Shafi and ask Him to heal you.
- 2 Take the medicine, but always remember that it is Allah who heals you. Allah سبحانه و تعالی is ash-Shafi: He has created the means for us through which we can be cured and healed. This means that Allah has created the things that we would need to feel better when we are unwell.

Take the medicine and place your trust in Allah. Be certain that He will heal you.

- 3 Always recite and learn the Qur'an so that it can heal your heart and body.
Allah سبحانه و تعالی tells us that the Qur'an is a cure. The Qur'an is the most powerful cure. The Qur'an can cure both the **diseases of the heart** and the **diseases of the body**.



Do you know which special Surahs the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم used to recite when he was ill?

IT'S STORY TIME!

The Qur'an To The Rescue

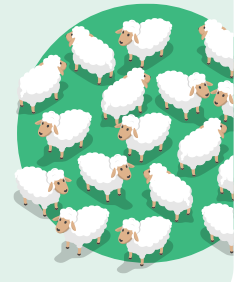
Once upon a time, the Companions of the Prophet ﷺ were travelling through the desert. Night time was approaching and the Companions needed a place to spend the night. They came across a tribe, but they were not very friendly. They did not want to share their homes or food with the travelling Companions.

Something unexpected then happened. The chief of that tribe got bitten by a scorpion.

The tribe did everything they could to cure him but nothing was working. As a last resort, they went to the Companions of the Prophet ﷺ and asked them whether they had any remedies to cure their chief.

One of the Prophet's Companions agreed to help, but on one condition - they must give a flock of sheep as a reward. The tribe accepted the deal. Can you guess what the Companion did?

The Companion recited Surah al-Fatihah and blew over the sick leader. A miracle happened. The chief was immediately cured.



The Qur'an is the most powerful cure.
It can cure my body and heart!



Task 2

Trace the following du'a and memorise it.

اللَّهُمَّ رَبَّ النَّاسِ ، أَذْهِبِ الْبَأْسَ ، إِشْفِ أَنْتَ الشَّافِي ،
لَا شِفَاءَ إِلَّا بِشِفَاؤِكَ ، شِفَاءٌ لَا يُغَادِرُ سَقَمًا

O Allah, the Lord of mankind, remove this disease. Cure, for You are the One who cures. There is no cure except for Your cure. May it be a cure which leaves behind no sickness.

When the Prophet ﷺ visited any ill person in his family, he would wipe his right hand over the ill person, making du'a [with the above]. (Bukhari)



Task 3

Musa is feeling unwell. Help him decide which ingredients will cure him inshaAllah and write them inside the medicine bottle.

Honey

Making du'a to ash-Shafi

Reciting Surah al-Fatihah

Complaining

Believing the doctor will cure him

Black seed

Reciting the last 3 surahs of the Qur'an

Chocolates & Sweets



I want to be a doctor when I grow up so I can help people who are ill, and I can serve my Ummah.

I Act On What I Learn

If I fall ill, I will turn to Allah and ask Him to heal me.

P Progress Check



1. What does **ash-Shafi** mean?

2. Who Alone can cure you when you are sick?

3. How can you worship Allah **ash-Shafi**?



I Learn, I Act, I Share

IMAN IN ALLAH

LEARNING FOR A
Life With Allah

In this book, we have been learning about Allah سبحانه وتعالى through His Most Beautiful Names. These Names help us to know who Allah is, love Him and obey Him.

Now it is time to put our learning into action!

My 1st NAMES OF ALLAH Booklet

Prepare and decorate a small booklet using coloured paper. You can also use 1 or 2 pages from your exercise book and cut them into small cards.

On each card, write:

- 1 The Name of Allah.
- 2 The meaning of this Name.
- 3 One du'a with this Name.

The Names of Allah

الْخَالِقُ

Al-Khaliq

الْمُصَوِّرُ

Al-Musawwir

الْقَرِيبُ

Al-Qarib

الْمُجِيبُ

Al-Mujib

الْوَهَّابُ

Al-Wahhab

السَّمِيعُ

As-Sami

الْبَصِيرُ

Al-Basir

الشَّافِي

Ash-Shafi

Design & colour
in your cover.
You can even
draw pictures
or use stickers.

Be as creative as you like to
make your booklet unique.



BONUS

Include the
Names of Allah
you have learnt in
the previous level
and in other
books.

Every week on the
Day of Jum'ah, use
your special booklet
to make du'a to Allah.



Did You Know?

There is a special time on the Day of
Jum'ah between 'Asr and Maghrib
in which your du'a is accepted.

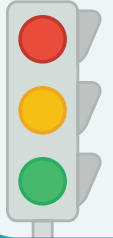
Lesson 10

I Believe in Angels



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



- Describe Angels
- Recall the names of some of the main Angels
- Explore the roles of the main Angels



Key Words

Unseen - غَيْبٌ
Provision
Roles

T Thinking Starter

What is the difference between humans and Angels?



What are the 6 pillars of iman?

The 2nd Pillar of Iman

Belief in Angels is the second pillar of iman. Even though we cannot see Angels, we know and believe that they exist. Angels belong to the **unseen** creation of Allah (also known as the **ghayb**).

Angels are a super special creation of Allah. They are made from light, and they have wings - they are truly beautiful. Angels are not male or female.

Angels are the servants of Allah. They always obey Him and constantly worship Him.

غَيْبٌ



Task 1

Circle the correct answer.

Do Angels commit sins?	YES	NO
Do Angels eat and drink?	YES	NO
Do Angels get tired of worshipping Allah?	YES	NO
Do Angels have wings?	YES	NO
Do we have to believe in Angels?	YES	NO
Can we see Angels?	YES	NO

What Do Angels Do?

There are a huge number of Angels. Only Allah knows how many there are. They all have different **roles** which they perform.

Here are some of the main Angels:

Jibril عليه السلام

He is the best Angel. He had a very special task: to bring down revelation from Allah to the Prophets.

Mika'il عليه السلام

He is responsible for the rain and the **provisions** of the creation.

Israfil عليه السلام

He will blow the trumpet on the Day of Judgement.

Malakul Mawt

He is responsible for taking the souls of people at the time of death.



Task 2

Help Musa to identify which Angels do the following:

Which Angel is responsible for our food?

Which Angel is known as the Angel of death?

Which Angel will announce the end of the world?

Which Angel brought down the Qur'an to the Prophet ﷺ?



IT'S STORY TIME!

The Angel of Death

One day, Prophet Musa was visited by the Angel of death who came to take out his soul. However, Musa عليه السلام was not ready to die yet. He had much more to accomplish yet: he still needed to conquer Bayt al-Maqdis.

So Musa عليه السلام did something extraordinary: he slapped the Angel of death so hard that the Angel's eye popped out! The Angel then went back to Allah telling him that Musa عليه السلام did not want to die.

Allah then replaced the Angel's eye and told him to tell Musa عليه السلام to rub his hands on the back of a calf. For every hair he could touch under his hand, he would get one more year to live!

Musa عليه السلام thought about it and then asked, "What happens after those extra years?" The Angel replied, "Death." Musa عليه السلام said, "In that case, just take me now." He then asked Allah to take him close to Bayt al-Maqdis. Allah accepted his request, and the Angel of death then took Musa عليه السلام's soul. He passed away close to Bayt al-Maqdis and was buried there.





Task 3

Find the hidden words. All words are hidden horizontally, vertically or diagonally in both directions.

- Musa
- Angels
- Wings
- Jibril
- Mikail
- Israfil
- Iman
- Ghayb

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X	Z	N	S	H	E	K	Q	I	Y	R	W
J	I	B	R	I	L	B	W	L	Y	B	U
V	T	K	U	I	S	A	H	I	I	O	X
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P Progress Check



1. Describe Angels in 3 words.

2. What are the names of the main Angels?

3. What are the main Angels responsible for?

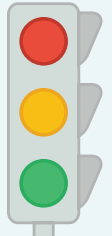
Lesson 11

Angels by My Side



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



- Identify what Angels record
- Describe how Angels protect me
- Explain how two Angels protected the Prophet ﷺ



Key Words

Record

Protect

Al-Hafiz (The Protector) - الحَفِيزُ

T Thinking Starter

Why do some people have bodyguards?



Angels Record Our Deeds

We all have two Angels with us. One on our right and one on our left. No matter where we are or what we are doing, they stay with us and **record** all of our deeds.

When we do good deeds, the Angel on our **right** writes it down. However, when we do bad deeds, the Angel on our **left** writes it down.



Did You Know?

If we seek Allah's forgiveness, the Angel on our left then rubs off the bad deed!

The Angels are like cameras that record everything we do!





Task 1

Tick the correct answer.

Which of the following actions will be recorded by the Angel on the right (R)? Which will be recorded by the Angel on the left (L)?

Helping your little sister with her homework	Praying Fajr on time	Moaning and complaining about food	Removing a banana peel from the footpath	Using foul language
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Angels Protect Us

Have you ever been crossing a road and suddenly a car comes zooming by? Your heart is pounding and you feel like someone just grabbed you in time and saved you?

Who saved you? Allah, of course.

One way in which Allah protects us is through Angels.

Allah says,

لَهُ مَعَقِبَاتٍ مِّنَ بَيْنِ يَدَيْهِ وَمِنْ خَلْفِهِ يَحْفَظُونَهُ مِنْ أَمْرِ اللَّهِ

“For each one there are Angels replacing one another, in front of him and behind him, protecting him by Allah’s command” (13:11).

We all have Angels who protect us. They stay with us and take care of us, in many different ways. They can protect us from harmful things, including any animals who may want to hurt us.

Imagine if a person offered this kind of service to you: to always, and freely, be your bodyguard? Wouldn’t you love him?

Thank you Allah for giving us Angels who take care of us and protect us!





Task 2

Draw or write about a house where Angels would like to come to.

[Hint: Think about what Angels like to hear, smell and see]

IT'S STORY TIME!

The Two Protectors

The Battle of Uhud was intense; the army of the disbelievers was huge and they had many weapons and equipment. Although the Muslims were winning at the beginning of the battle, the disbelievers of Makkah then began to take the lead.

In the midst of all the chaos of the battle, a Companion of Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم named Sa'd ibn Abi Waqqas رضي الله عنه saw something very special and unique with his own eyes. He saw two men dressed in white. One was on the right side of the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم, and the other one was on his left side. They were fighting very bravely and defending him. Sa'd رضي الله عنه said, "I had never seen them before and I never saw them again".

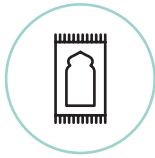
Can you guess who they were?

Jibril and Mika'il عليهما السلام!



Task 3

Choose which of the following items/actions can be used as protection in the following situations, and then draw them in the correct boxes.



Situation	What can they use as protection?
It's raining outside and Musa does not want to get wet.	
Maryam is riding her bicycle and does not want to get hurt whilst cycling.	
Musa wants Angels to protect him from bad things.	
Hawa does not want to burn her hands as she takes out the cake from the oven.	

Who provides you with all of these types of protection? Allah!

Allah is **al-Hafiz:**
The Protector!

الْحَفِيزُ

I Act On What I Learn

I will be careful of what I say and do because the Angels are writing down all my deeds.

P Progress Check



1. What do Angels record

2. How do Angels protect you?

3. How did the two Angels protect the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم?

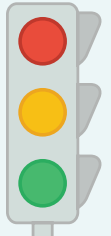
Lesson 12

I Believe in Allah's Books & Messengers



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Recall some of the miracles Allah gave to His Messengers

List the 4 main Books Allah sent down

Explain why Allah sent down Messengers and Books



Key Words

Guidance

Miracle

Original

T Thinking Starter

Imagine that you have to drive to a city which you have never visited before. What would you do to get there?



What are the 3rd and 4th pillars of iman?

I Believe in Allah's Messengers

Allah sent down many Prophets and Messengers to **guide** the people. The Prophets and Messengers all called people to worship One True God: Allah. They taught people how to worship Allah and live good lives.

All the Messengers were honest and pious. They loved Allah, and Allah loved them. Allah gave the Prophets **miracles** as proof that they were truly sent from Allah.

We believe in all the Messengers. The last and final Messenger sent to the world was Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم. There will be no Prophet after him.



Can you name 10 Prophets?



Thank you Allah for sending amazing Prophets to guide us!



Task 1

Can you match the miracle to the Prophet?

Musa
عليه السلام



He split the moon into two.

Muhammad
صلى الله عليه وسلم



He was thrown into a fire, but came out alive and unharmed!

Ibrahim
عليه السلام



His stick became a snake!

'Isa
عليه السلام



He spoke when he was a baby.

I Believe in Allah's Books

Allah سبحانه وتعالى sent down Books. The Books contained the words of Allah. They contained special messages from Allah. They contained **guidance** - instructions on how to live and how to worship Allah. Allah sent down the Books through the Angels to the Prophets.



Allah



sent down

Angels



who carried

Books



to His

Messengers

The four main Books revealed by Allah are:

The Tawrah



Revealed to
Musa
عليه السلام

The Zabur



Revealed to
Dawud
عليه السلام

The Injil



Revealed to
'Isa
عليه السلام

The Qur'an



Revealed to
Muhammad
صلى الله عليه وسلم



Task 2

1. What is the holy book of the Jews? _____
2. What is the holy book of the Christians? _____

The books before the Qur'an are no longer in their original form. Changes were made to them.

As for the Qur'an, Allah promised that He will protect it until the Day of Judgement and will never be changed. It remains in its original form, just as it was revealed to our beloved Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم.





Task 3

Can you help Musa answer his little sister Asiya's questions?



Why did Allah send down Messengers?



Why did Allah send down Books?



How did Allah send down the Books?



I Act On What I Learn I will thank Allah for sending us amazing Prophets!

P Progress Check



1. Mention two miracles Allah gave to His Messengers.

2. Name four Books revealed by Allah.

3. Why did Allah send down Messengers and Books?

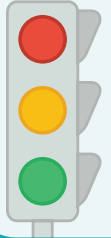
Lesson 13

The Miracles of the Prophet ﷺ



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



- Define what a miracle is
- Recall one of the miracles of the Prophet ﷺ
- Explain how miracles supported the Prophet ﷺ



Key Words

Miracle - مُعْجَزَةٌ
Sign
Witness

T Thinking Starter

Allah gave the Prophets many miracles. Which one is your favourite miracle?



Miracles

A **miracle** (mu'jizah) is an extraordinary event which Allah gives to the Prophets.

Allah gives the Prophets miracles to support them. Miracles show the people that the Prophets have truly been sent by Allah. They are a **sign** for the people to believe in the Prophets.

Our beloved Prophet ﷺ was given many miracles. When we learn about the miracles of our Prophet ﷺ, it makes us realise that he was most definitely a true Prophet.



There is a miracle of the Prophet ﷺ that is still with us. Do you know what it is?



Task 1

Trace and define:



A miracle (mu'jizat) is...

Remember!

The Arabic word for miracle is mu'jizat (مُعْجَزَةٌ).

IT'S STORY TIME!

The Thirsty Companions & The Miraculous Fingers

The Prophet ﷺ and his Companions had left Madinah. They were travelling to Makkah to perform 'umrah. They stopped at an empty land called Hdaybiyyah.

There was no water and the Companions رضي الله عنهم started to feel thirsty. They went to the Prophet ﷺ, who had just finished making wudu. He رضي الله عليه وسلم had noticed something was wrong, so he asked his Companions, "What is the matter?" They replied saying, "We have no water for performing wudu or drinking water."

Something amazing then happened. The Prophet ﷺ placed his hand in a pot and all of a sudden, **water started flowing freely from his fingers** like a fountain. The Companions all quenched their thirst with this water and also made wudu with it.

Do you know how many Companions drank from the water and made wudu with it? Over 1,500!

And do you know what's even more amazing? Jabir رضي الله عنه said that "Even if there were 100,000 companions, the water flowing from the Prophet's fingers would have been enough for them!" SubhanAllah!



Wow! Miracles are awesome.

The Moon Miracle

One day, the stubborn disbelievers from the Quraysh went up to the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم and challenged him to show them a miracle; they wanted to mock the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم. However, Allah is the best of planners. He had another plan.

The moon had just split into two halves - one half was behind one mountain and the other was behind another mountain.

Everyone's eyes were glued to the sky; they had never seen anything like this before. They were baffled and mesmerised.

The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم then told the people to 'bear **witness**' to this miracle. However, the arrogant disbelievers would still not believe. In fact, they started accusing the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم of casting a spell on them.

"He may have managed to cast a spell on us, however he wouldn't have been able to put a spell on everyone," remarked one of the disbelievers.

They quickly sent the fastest riders to go to the neighbouring areas around Makkah asking them whether they had also seen the moon splitting into two. Much to their surprise, the people outside of Makkah had also seen the miracle.

The proud disbelievers still did not accept and believe in the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم even though they had seen a miracle with their very own eyes.



Did You Know?

The greatest miracle given to our Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم is the Noble Qur'an.



Task 2

Which of these are miracles of the Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم?
Tick all the correct answers.





Can you guess which Messengers were given each of the other miracles?



Task 3

Can you help Hawa answer Musa's question?



Why do miracles help people to believe in Allah and His Messenger صلى الله عليه وسلم؟

Miracles support the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم by...



In the next lesson, you will learn about another miracle: The Weeping Tree!



I Act On What I Learn

I believe in the miracles of my Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم!



P Progress Check



1. What is a miracle?

2. Describe one of the miracles of the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم.

3. How did miracles support the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم؟

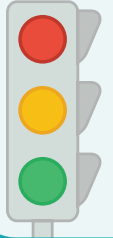
Lesson 14

I Love My Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Recognise that Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم was a mercy for everyone

Recall how even the trees loved the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم

Explain why I love my Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم



Key Words

Mercy - رَحْمَةٌ

The worlds - الْعَالَمِينَ

Minbar (pulpit) - مِنبَرٌ

T Thinking Starter

Which living human being do you love the most? Why?



A Mercy for the Whole World

Our beloved Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم was sent by Allah to teach us how to live our best lives and to guide us to Jannah. He was sent as a mercy for the whole world: not just for humans, but also for animals and even trees!

Allah سبحانه وتعالى said to the Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم:

وَمَا أَرْسَلْنَاكَ إِلَّا رَحْمَةً لِّلْعَالَمِينَ

“We have sent you only as a mercy for the whole world.” (21:107)

Everyone and everything loved the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم. He was the nicest, kindest and the best of all people.



Did You Know?

You cannot be a believer (a mu'min) unless you love and respect the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم!



Task 1

What does رَحْمَةً لِّلْعَالَمِينَ mean? Circle and colour in the correct answer.

A mercy for Muslims

A light for all the people

A mercy for the whole world

IT'S STORY TIME!

The Weeping Tree

Every week there is a special day: the Day of Jumu'ah. On this day, the Prophet ﷺ would lean on the trunk of a palm tree and would deliver the khutbah (special sermon) to all the Companions.

One day, an Ansari Companion asked the Prophet ﷺ: "Shall we make you a **minbar** (pulpit)?" He agreed and so they decided to build a minbar for the Prophet ﷺ so that he could give the khutbah more comfortably.

The day had arrived. It was time to deliver the sermon on the new minbar. The room was quiet. Everyone was eager to listen to the beautiful words of the Prophet ﷺ. Suddenly, they could hear sounds which sounded like a crying baby. Everyone's heads turned to see where the noise was coming from. It was the tree which the Prophet used to lean on. The Companions were astounded and waited to see the reaction of the Prophet ﷺ.

The Prophet ﷺ climbed down the minbar and went to the tree. He softly stroked it and gave it a hug to comfort it. To everyone's surprise, the tree immediately stopped crying. The Prophet ﷺ then said, "It was crying because it missed hearing the remembrance of Allah near it."



How do you think the tree used to feel when the Prophet ﷺ would lean on it to deliver the khutbah?



Task 2

Are the following sentences true or false?

- | | True | False |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 The Day of Jumu'ah is Tuesday. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 2 The khutbah is a special type of speech given before the Jumu'ah salah. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 3 At the time of the Prophet ﷺ, Abu Bakr رضي الله عنه used to give the khutbah. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 4 Even the trees and animals loved the Prophet ﷺ! | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 5 The Prophet ﷺ did not care about the feelings of other people. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 6 You can only be a believer if you love the Prophet ﷺ. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| 7 The tree was crying because it missed the Prophet ﷺ and hearing the words of Allah being recited by him. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |



Can you remember a story which shows that even the animals loved the Prophet ﷺ?

The Companions Loved The Prophet ﷺ !

The Companions رضي الله عنهم loved the Prophet ﷺ. They loved him more than they loved their own children and their parents! They respected the Prophet ﷺ, and they would not raise their voices when they were in his company.

If he told them to do something, they would rush to carry it out. They would always obey him, and they tried their best to be like him. They were ready to give their lives for him.



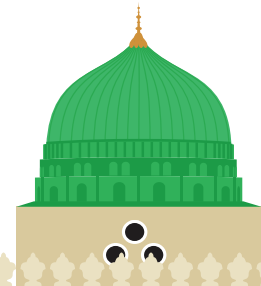
Task 3

Can you think of **two** reasons why the Companions of the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم loved him so much?

1. _____

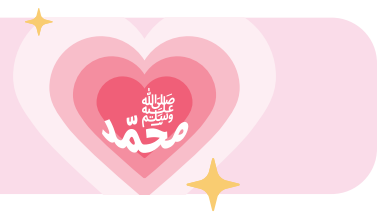
2. _____

Even though we have never met the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم, we also love him!
Write down why you love the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم.



I Act On What I Learn

I love and I obey my Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم!



P Progress Check



1. Who was the Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم a mercy for?

2. How did a tree once show love for the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم?

3. Why do you love the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم?

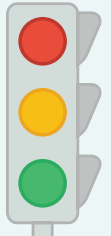
Lesson 15

I Love The Ummah of My Prophet



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define Ummah

Identify what unites us

Explain how to strengthen my Ummah



Key Words

Ummah (Community) - أُمَّةٌ

Brotherhood - أُخُوَّةٌ

Unity

T Thinking Starter

In your family, what is one thing you all have in common?



Allah sent down thousands of Prophets. Each Prophet had their own **Ummah** (community of followers). We belong to the Ummah of Muhammad ﷺ, because we are his followers. The Ummah of Muhammad ﷺ is the best Ummah. It will be the first Ummah to enter Jannah.

Today, the Ummah of Muhammad ﷺ is spread all over the world.

We live in different countries, we speak different languages and we all look different. However, we are all **united** by the same belief. The belief that Allah is the One and Only True Lord. We are united by our beloved Prophet ﷺ and the Noble Qur'an.

Unity: Being together with someone or something. It's the opposite of being divided.



Did You Know?

There are over 2 billion Muslims in the world!
Do you know how many zeros there are in a billion?





Task 1

Can you identify the cities where these young Muslim children live?

- Lahore Makkah Timbuktu Madinah Jerusalem



Khadijah
prayed in
al-Masjid
al-Haram.

Abdurrahman
prayed in
al-Masjid
al-Nabawi.

Maryam
prayed in
al-Masjid
al-Aqsa.

Imran
prayed in the
Badshahi
Mosque.

Moussa
prayed in the
Djinguereber
Mosque.

Brotherhood

Allah سبحانه وتعالى says,

إِنَّمَا الْمُؤْمِنُونَ إِخْوَةٌ

“All believers are but brothers...” (49:10)



I am a Mu'min
and I love my
Ummah!

The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم told us that **we should live as brothers**: we should not be jealous of each other, we should not hate each other, and we should not hurt each other. We should always help each other and not abandon our brothers in times of need.

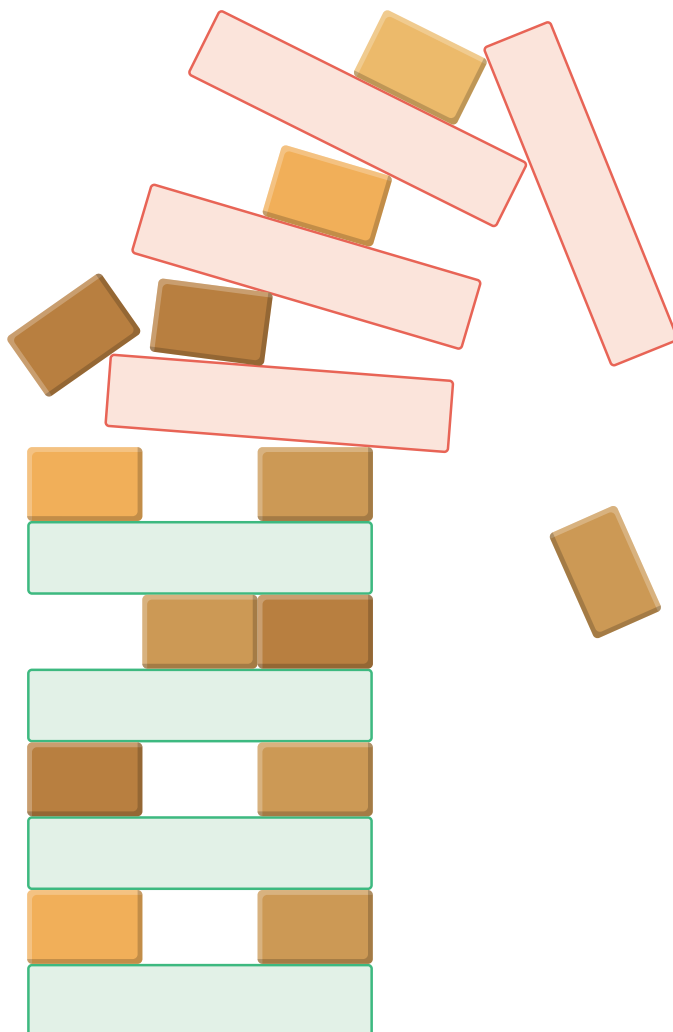
The believers are like one body: if one part feels pain, the rest of the body also feels pain. This means that if a Muslim in China is in pain, a Muslim in Ghana should feel their pain and do their best to help them.



Task 2

The believers are like one building. Each believer is like one brick in the wall. They help to keep each other standing and firm.

Write down the actions that will make the building **strong** in the green boxes and the actions that will make it **collapse** in the red boxes.



Being jealous

Saying salam to each other

Smiling at each other

Being proud

Helping each other

Following the Prophet's Sunnah

Fighting with each other

Being stingy

Shaytan and the enemies of Islam want us to fight amongst ourselves. Let's not give in to them!



Task 3

Write a list of 5 du'as for our Ummah. You may use some of the words below to help you.

Forgive

Help

Victory

Unity

Love

1. *O Allah,* _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

I Act On What I Learn

I will work hard to strengthen my Ummah.



P Progress Check



1. What does the word Ummah mean?

2. What unites the Muslim Ummah?

3. How can we strengthen our Ummah?



I Learn, I Act, I Share

ONE UMMAH

LEARNING FOR A

Life With Allah

Our beautiful din is not just about ideas. We have to try our best to put into practice what we learn.

We have learnt about brotherhood and the Ummah. We are so lucky to be part of the Ummah of the best Prophet Muhammad ﷺ **!صلى الله عليه وسلم**

ONE UMMAH Assembly

Prepare for a class assembly on the topic of 'ONE UMMAH'. Your teacher will help you.

Here are some ideas:

- ★ **Carry out a nashid performance of 'Sing, Children of the World' (on p. 67).**
- ★ **Perform a role play, in which you interview some of the children around the Ummah. Maybe they are all meeting each other in Makkah! You can dress up as children from different parts of the world.**
- ★ **Prepare a short speech. Come up with one idea that you can all do as a school/madrasah that will help you to become a strong Ummah.**



IT'S NASHID TIME!

Sing, Children of the World

Walking through the crowded streets of a market in Morocco
 Sitting on a smiling camel in the desert of Arabia
 Chasing 'round the bamboo trees abandoned in Indonesia
 Gathering brightly coloured leaves in a forest of Canada
 Napping beneath the date palm shade under blue skies of Tunisia
 Sweeping out his parents' shop on a side street in Pakistan
 Planting rows of beans and maize on a small farm in Uganda
 Laying back to count the stars from somewhere in Afghanistan

[Chorus] Oh sing children of the world
 Come together and hear the call
 Sing children of the world
 Islam will unite us all
 Sing children of the world
 Come together and hear the call
 Sing children of the world
 Islam will unite us all

SubhanAllah, wAlhamdullillah wAllahu Akbar!
 Subhanallah, wAlhamdullillah wAllahu Akbar!

Splashing through the pouring rain in a village of Guyana
 Nibbling cakes from picnic plates on a mountaintop in Switzerland
 Tending to a flock of sheep down under in Australia
 Greeting morning with a prayer on the golden Egyptian Sand

Chorus

Crying himself to sleep with no hope left for dreaming
 Begging in the burning sun, holding out her hand
 Palms held tightly on his ears to muffle all the screaming
 Sitting where her house once stood trying hard to understand

See the Children of the World (SubhanAllah)
 All the Children of the World (SubhanAllah)
 Sing for the Children of the World (SubhanAllah)
 Pray for the Children of the World (SubhanAllah)

Chorus

By Dawud Wharnsby

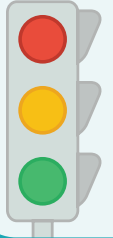
Lesson 16

I Believe in the Last Day



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Recall what happens after death

Describe the Last Day

Explain the key features of the **hawd**



Key Words

The Last Day - **الْيَوْمُ الْآخِرُ**

Scale

Hawd (Pond) - **حَوْضٌ**



T Thinking Starter

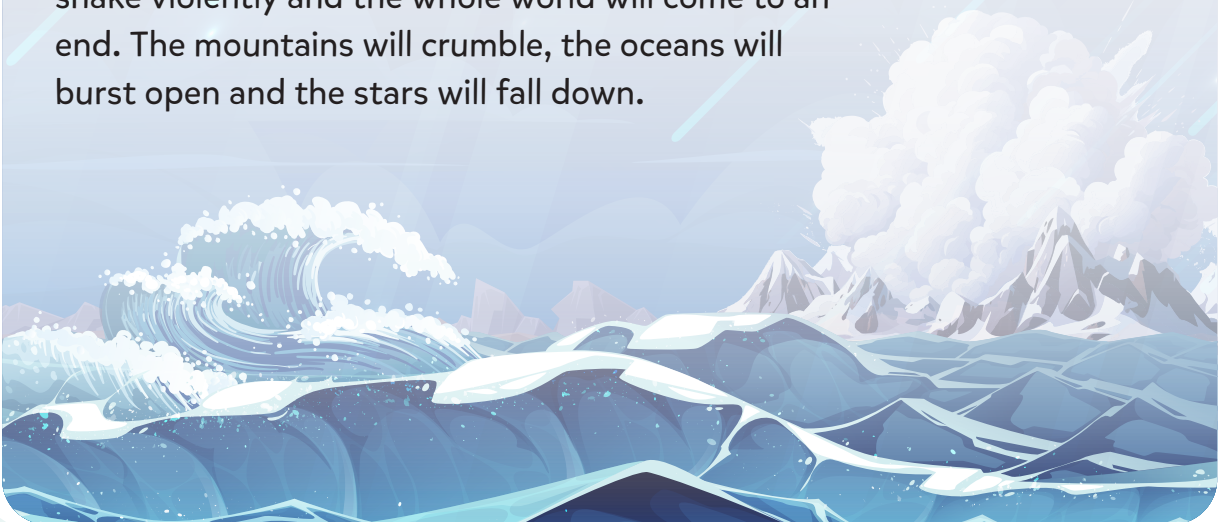
What are the three questions the Angels ask the person in the grave?

In this world, we are on a journey. We are on a journey to our real home in **the Next World**. We will only live in this world for a short amount of time. But in **the Next World**, we will live forever and ever!

The Last Day

The Last Day is when life on Earth will come to an end. Only Allah knows when exactly this day will happen.

It will be on the Day of Jumu'ah. A special Angel will blow into a trumpet. The deafening sound of the trumpet will make the entire earth shake violently and the whole world will come to an end. The mountains will crumble, the oceans will burst open and the stars will fall down.





What is the name of the Angel who will blow into the trumpet?

[Hint: Think back to the lesson on the Angels]

After some time, Allah will then bring everything back to life again, including the people in their graves.

Everyone will then be gathered on a huge white land and they will all be judged on this day. This day is known as **the Last Day** (الْيَوْمَ الْآخِرُ).



Can you think of another name in Arabic for this Day?

[Hint: Surah al-Fatihah]



Believing in the Last Day is one of the pillars of iman.



Task 1

Tick (✓) the cards that show the correct information.

On the Last Day...

Card 1: A bell will be rung

Card 2: Everyone will be asked what they did in their life

Card 3: A trumpet will be blown

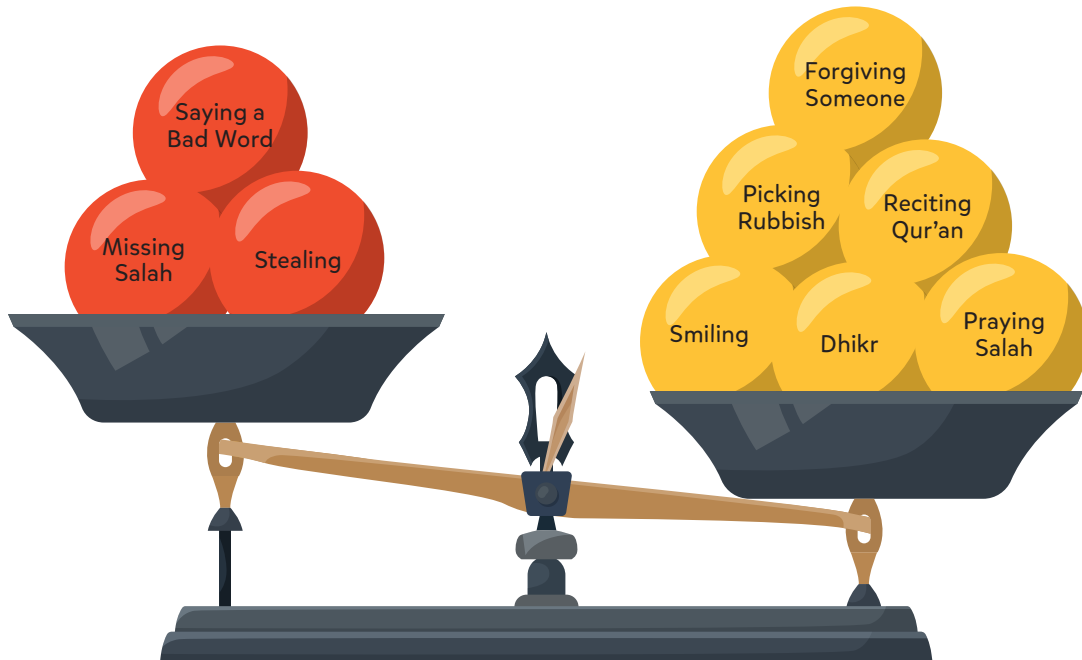
Card 4: Only humans will be brought back to life

Allah will ask everyone about what they did in the world. Everyone's deeds will be weighed on a huge **scale**. If the scale is heavy with good deeds, they will enter Jannah. But if the scale is light, they will enter Jahannam.



Task 2

Let's see how scales work.



Does it show more good deeds or more bad deeds?

What will happen to this person on the Day of Judgement?

A Special Meeting

The Day of Judgement will be a really long and tiring day. The sun will be so close and people will be sweating so heavily. Their mouths will be so dry and they will be extremely thirsty. However, there will be a relief for the good believers. It will be a special pond, which is known as the **hawd** (حَوْضٌ) in Arabic.

The hawd will be HUGE. The water in the hawd will be sweeter than honey and it will smell better than musk; anyone who takes a sip from it will never be thirsty again. Not only that, the jugs at the hawd will be so magnificent: they will be made from gold and silver and there will be so many that you won't even be able to count them.

And the most amazing thing of all - you will get to meet the best of mankind: the Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم! He will be waiting to welcome and meet his Ummah.



Task 3

Write as many words as you can inside this pond to describe the 'hawd'.



Can belief in the Day of Judgment solve the problems of the world today?

I Act On What I Learn

I will ask Allah to allow me to drink from the special Pond of the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم



Progress Check



1. What happens after a person dies?

2. What will happen on the Last Day?

3. What is so special about the hawd?

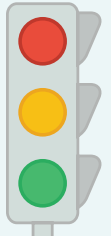
Lesson 17

Jannah: The Best Life



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



- Describe the gardens of Jannah
- Imagine my palace in Jannah
- Explain what al-Firdaws is



Key Words

Jannah (Paradise) - الْجَنَّةُ
al-Firdaws
Hereafter

T Thinking Starter

If you could ask Allah for anything, what would you ask for?



The Gardens of Paradise

Jannah is the Arabic word for Paradise. Jannah is huge: it will be full of beautiful gardens with lots of streams and rivers flowing through them. Allah سبحانه وتعالى says,

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا الصَّالِحَاتِ لَهُمْ جَنَّاتٌ تَجْرِي مِنْ تَحْتِهَا الْأَنْهَارُ
ذَٰلِكَ الْفَوْزُ الْكَبِيرُ

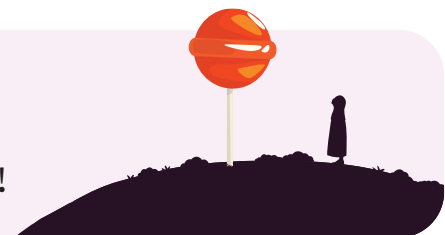
“Indeed those who believe and do good deeds will have Gardens under which rivers flow. That is the greatest success.” (85:11)

We can't imagine how beautiful Jannah is. There will be huge majestic trees, and their trunks will be made of gold. Its fruits will be juicy and scrumptious and they will never run out. Each bite will taste better than the last. And it's all going to be free!

Ooo, so delicious!



Jannah is the place where dreams come true. Whatever you wish for in Jannah will appear right in front of you, and you will get to enjoy it!



The Palaces of Jannah

The palaces of Jannah will be humongous and full of luxuries. Its bricks will be made of gold and silver, and the cement in between them will be made of musk. The pebbles on the walls will be made of shining pearls and sapphires which will dazzle your eyes. There will be rivers and streams running through the gardens of the palaces: rivers of milk and honey.

As you enter the palace, you will be met with the most **spectacular** of views. Magnificent thrones decorated with rubies and pearls. On the thrones, you will feel the softest of cushions and will sit on the comfiest couches. You will be able to relax and have fun with all your favourite people: your best friends, family members and even those people who you never met in this life!

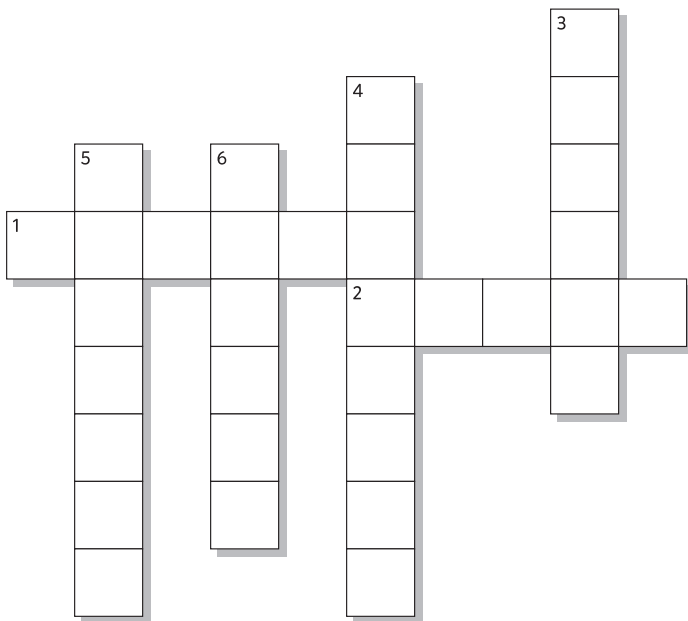
Spectacular:
Extremely beautiful and amazing.



Task 1

Complete the crossword below.

In Jannah there will be...



Across

1. Scrumptious and juicy f_____.
2. Rivers of milk and h_____.

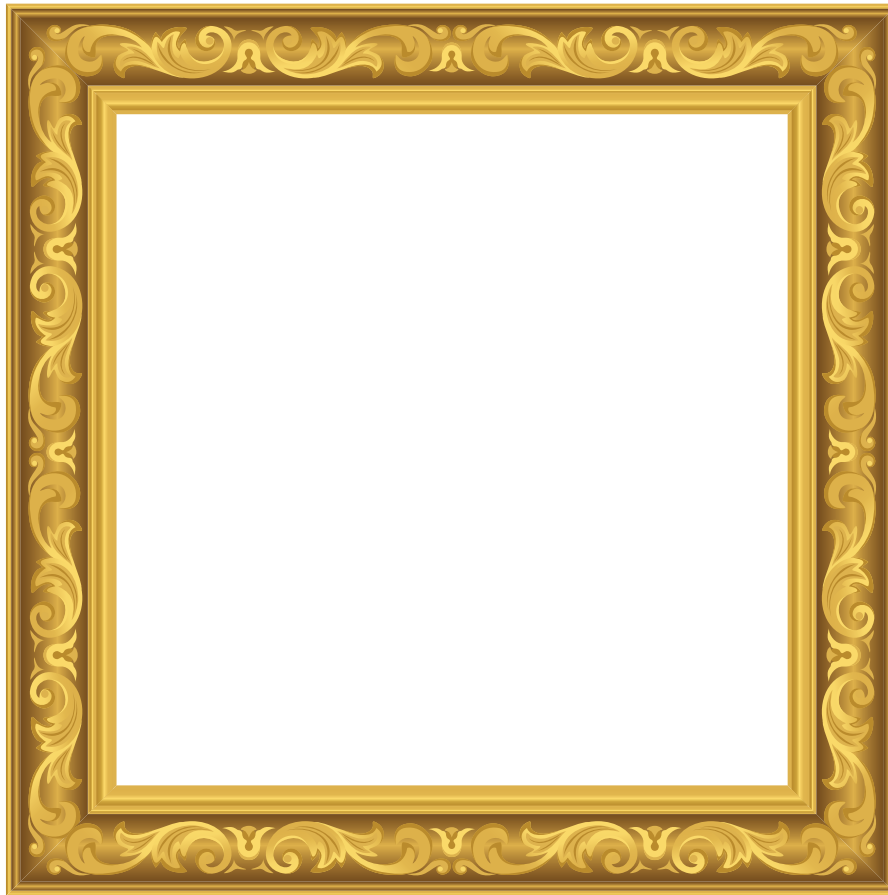
Down

3. Palaces of gold and s_____.
4. Soft couches with c_____.
5. A chance to meet the P_____!
6. Gardens with r_____ and streams.



Task 2

Draw your dream palace of Jannah.



Write 3 sentences to describe your dream Jannah palace. **Don't forget to use the 'wow' words.**



Did You Know?

Life in this world is very short and it will end very soon. The **Next World** is also known as the **hereafter**. The hereafter is the most important life, because it is forever and ever.



The Best Jannah

Our beloved Prophet ﷺ told us that when we ask Allah, we should ask Him for **al-Firdaws**. Al-Firdaws is the best and highest level of Paradise. This teaches us that we should always aim for the best! The Throne of Allah سبحانه و تعالى is above al-Firdaws, and the rivers of Jannah flow from al-Firdaws.



Task 3

Trace and memorise.

اللَّهُمَّ إِنِّي أَسْأَلُكَ الْفِرْدَوْسَ أَعْلَى الْجَنَّةِ

O Allah, I beg you for al-Firdaws, the loftiest abode of Paradise.



I aim for the best!

I Act On What I Learn

I will always ask Allah for al-Firdaws.



P Progress Check



1. What will the gardens of Jannah be like?
2. What will your palace in Jannah look like?
3. What is al-Firdaws?

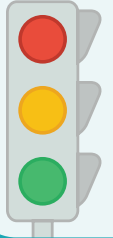
Lesson 18

Race to Jannah



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Describe the key characteristics of the people of Jannah

Discuss how to attain Jannah

Explain how a Companion raced for Jannah



Key Words

Gold - ذَهَبٌ

Silk - حَرِيرٌ

Race

T Thinking Starter

If you had a party, which one person who is no longer alive would you like to invite?



The People of Jannah

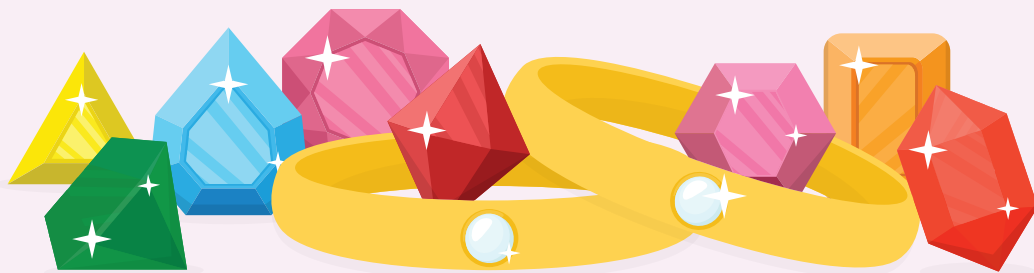
Everyone in Jannah will be extremely beautiful. Nobody will grow old and instead everyone's faces will be shining brightly. The people of Jannah will wear the most dazzling jewellery and the most luxurious clothes.

Allah سبحانه وتعالى says,

يُحَلَّلُونَ فِيهَا مِنْ أَسَاوِرَ مِنْ ذَهَبٍ وَلُؤْلُؤًا وَلِبَاسُهُمْ فِيهَا حَرِيرٌ

“There they will be adorned with bracelets of gold and pearls, and their clothing will be silk.” (22:23)

In Jannah, there is no stress. There is no pain, no bullying and no negative feelings. There is no backbiting, no gossip and no nasty words. In Jannah, there is peace and happiness everywhere.



In Jannah, you will get to spend time with all of the people you love: friends, families and teachers. You will even get to meet people you never met in this life like your great-great grandparents or the super sahabah or the best of all humans: Prophet Muhammad ﷺ.

Best of all, you will get to meet Allah سبحانه وتعالى!



Task 1

Unjumble these words about Jannah. The first one has been done for you.

E₁ A₁ C₃ P₃ E₁

Peace

R₁ E₁ I₁ R₁ V₄

T₁ E₁ Y₄ B₃ A₁ U₁

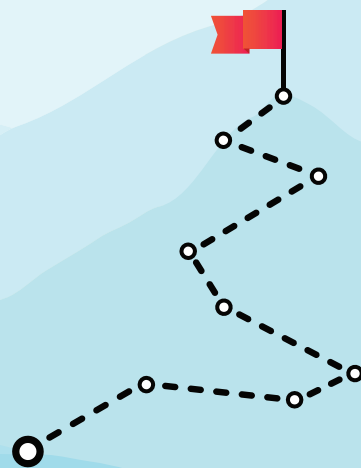
I₁ T₁ S₁ F₄ R₁ U₁

I₁ L₁ K₅ S₁

S₁ L₁ E₁ R₁ A₁ P₃

How To Attain Jannah

Allah wants us to go to Jannah where we can live happily forever. He sent down the Qur'an and our beloved Prophet Muhammad ﷺ to guide us to Jannah. We have to work hard in this life to follow the right path so that we can enter Jannah inshaAllah.



What can we do in this life to gain Jannah?



Task 2

Colour the **true** sentences to get to Jannah!



Jannah is on this Earth.	In Jannah, you can have whatever you wish for.	You can meet Allah in Jannah!
Jannah is very small.	You can stay in Jannah forever.	Jannah is very cold.
Jannah is very big.	You will never feel pain in Jannah.	There is no shade in Jannah.



IT'S STORY TIME!

Racing to Jannah

The Battle of Badr was a difficult battle. The disbelievers were huge in number and had the best weapons. On the other hand, the Muslims were much smaller in number and did not have as many weapons.

However, the Muslims' biggest weapon was their extra strong iman.

One such example was the great Ansari Companion Umayr ibn al-Humam رضي الله عنه. As the disbelievers from Makkah were approaching the battlefield, Umayr heard the Messenger of Allah صلى الله عليه وسلم say, "Get ready and march forth towards a Paradise as wide as the heavens and the Earth!"

Umayr was super impressed. "As wide as the heavens and the Earth?!" Umayr asked.

The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم replied, "Yes." Umayr was even more amazed and said, "Bakhin Bakhin (Wow! Wow!)"

The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم was intrigued and so he asked him, "What made you say Bakhin Bakhin?"

So Umayr replied, "Wallahi, only the hope that I could be one of the People of Paradise."

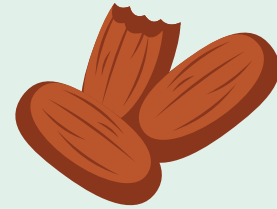
So the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم gave him the best news ever.

"Indeed you are from its people," he told him. The Prophet had just told him that he had won the golden ticket: the ticket to Jannah!



Umayr was so overjoyed at this news. He had some dates with him and so, he took some out from his pouch and began to eat them, so he could muster up all his strength for the battle. But then he thought of what the Prophet had just said, so he said to himself, "If I live until I have eaten these dates, then it will definitely be a very long life!"

He couldn't wait any longer: he wanted to become a shahid, and enter Jannah. So he threw the dates down, and joined the battle. He fought very bravely, until he was killed in the Path of Allah.



 **Task 3**

Answer these questions about Umayr رضي الله عنه.

1 What news did the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم give to Umayr رضي الله عنه?

2 How did Umayr رضي الله عنه race to Jannah?

I Act On What I Learn

I will race to do good deeds so that I can enter Jannah.



P Progress Check



1. What will the people of Jannah look like? What will they wear?

2. How can you attain Jannah?

3. How did Umayr رضي الله عنه race to Jannah?

IT'S NASHID TIME!

Jannah

I know that this life is only finite
The good and the bad times
Will all be left behind
As we make our way through this journey
To the finest place for infinity
Allah don't deny me
Your Paradise

[**Chorus**] Jannah, Jannah
(Paradise, Paradise)
It's all I ever wish for
This life is not eternal
But the next will last forever
Jannah, Jannah
It's all I ever wish for
O God, please don't deprive me
A blissful life eternally

Oh how I long for
 The moment I see You Allah
 And meet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم
 With all his companions
 In the place no eye has ever seen
 Filled with love, peace and tranquillity
 Don't deny me Your Paradise

Chorus

One day all my deeds will be shown in front of You
 No one will be beside me, I'll be standing on my own
 Blessing me with Your mercy is all I'm hoping for
 O Allah, make my wishes come true

Chorus

By Maher Zain



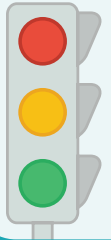
Lesson 19

Jahannam



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Describe Jahannam

Identify the food and drink of Jahannam

Explain how we can protect ourselves from Jahannam



Key Words

Jahannam - جَهَنَّمَ

Choke

Protect

T Thinking Starter

What will happen to bad people when they die?



Jahannam

Jahannam is one of the names of the Hell-fire. Whoever does not believe in Allah and disobeys Him in this world will be punished in Jahannam.

Allah سبحانه وتعالى says,

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ كَفَرُوا مِنْ أَهْلِ الْكِتَابِ وَالْمُشْرِكِينَ فِي نَارِ جَهَنَّمَ
خَالِدِينَ فِيهَا أُولَئِكَ هُمْ شَرُّ الْبَرِيَّةِ

“Indeed, those who disbelieve from the People of the Book and the polytheists will be in the Fire of Hell, to stay there forever.

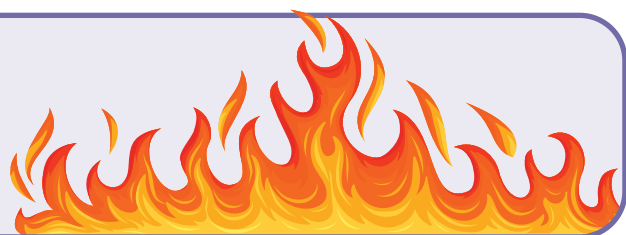
They are the worst of creation.” (98:6)

Jahannam will be blazing with huge fires, flames and black smoke. It will be scorching hot, and anything that enters it will immediately burn.



Did You Know?

The fire of Jahannam is 69 times hotter than the fire of this world!



In Jahannam, there will be no shade and no cold water to drink. There will be no window, or a small opening from which you can catch some fresh air and breathe easily. There will be no cold breeze.

Jahannam is huge. If a stone was to be thrown into it, it would take seventy years for it to reach the bottom. Allahu Akbar! Can you imagine how big it is?



If you were to throw a stone from the window of the highest floor of a 10 storey building, how long do you think it would take to reach the bottom?



Task 1

Circle the Arabic word for Hell Fire.

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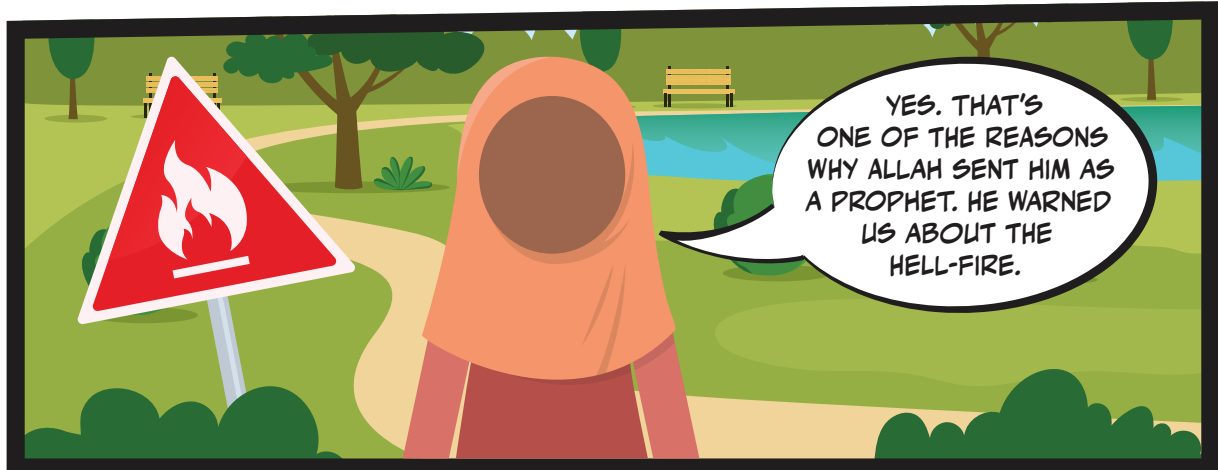
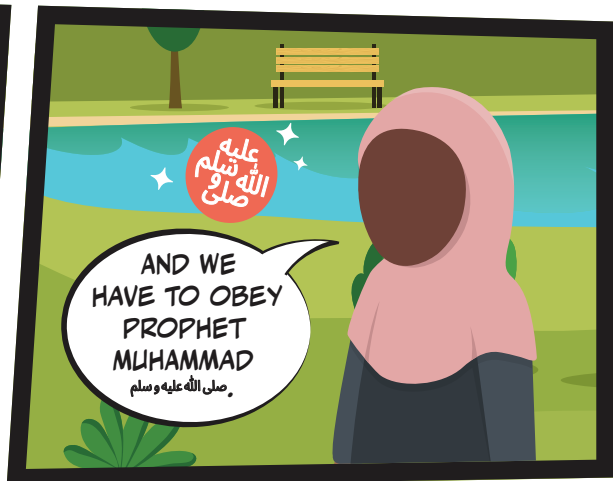
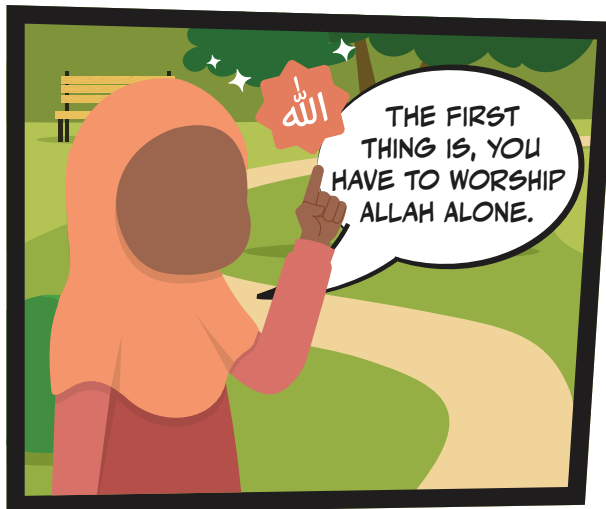
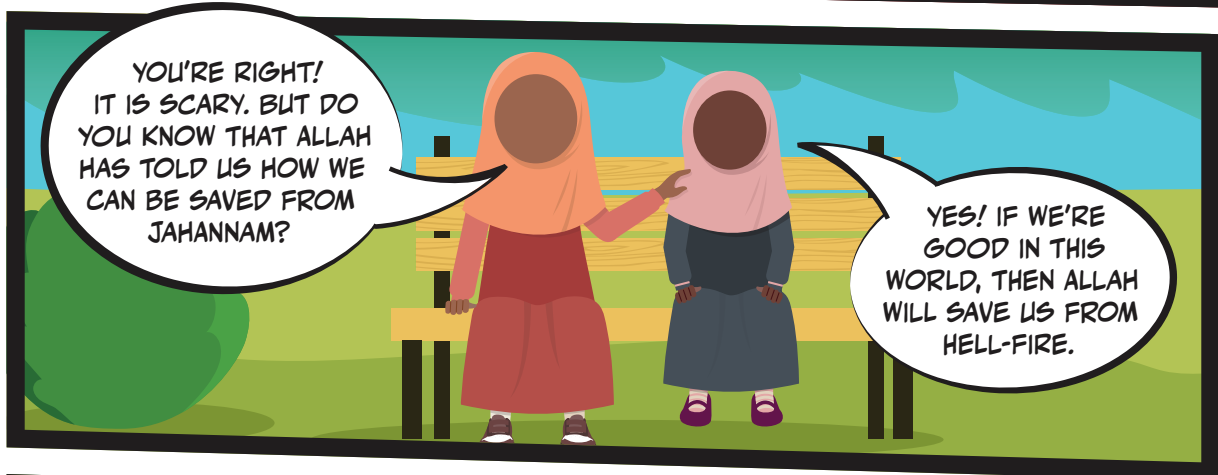
Food and Drink

There will be ugly trees in Jahannam. The food will be bitter and it will smell nasty. And it will make you **choke**. Once the people of Jahannam have eaten this, they will still feel hungry.

After they eat, they will feel thirsty. So they will be given boiling water to drink. This water will burn their insides. They will also have to drink other nasty fluids which will taste horrible and smell disgusting.



O Allah, save me from Jahannam.





Task 2

Trace and memorise this du'a:

اللَّهُمَّ أَجِرْنِي مِنَ النَّارِ

O Allah, protect me from the Hell-fire.

It is sunnah to say the above du'a after Fajr and Maghrib 7 times. If you say it and you die on that day/night, you will be protected from Jahannam!

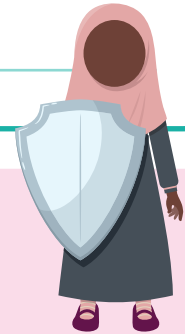


Task 3

Describe two things that Maryam can do to protect herself from Jahannam.

1. _____

2. _____



I Act On What I Learn

I will ask Allah to protect me from Hell-fire every day.

P Progress Check



1. What will Jahannam be like?

2. What will be the food and drink of Jahannam?

3. How can we protect ourselves from Jahannam?

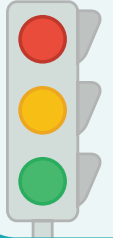
Lesson 20

I Believe in Al-Qadar



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define al-Qadar

Describe what Allah knows

Explain how to react when something bad happens



Key Words

Al-Qadar (Divine Decree) - الْقَدْرُ

Good - خَيْرٌ

Evil - شَرٌّ

T Thinking Starter

Do you know what you will be doing in 5 years?



The 6th Pillar of Iman

The 6th pillar of iman is belief in **al-Qadar**. This is to firmly believe that everything that happens, whether it is good or bad, only happens with the permission and knowledge of Allah.

Before Allah سبحانه وتعالى created us, He wrote down everything that was going to happen.



Task 1

Trace and learn the meaning.

أُؤْمِنُ بِالْقَدَرِ خَيْرِهِ وَشَرِّهِ

I believe in al-Qadar, the good and the bad.

Allah Knows Everything



Allah knows everything. He knows the past, present and the future. One of Allah’s Beautiful Names is **al-ʿAlīm - The All-Knowing**. This means that He knows everything.

Everything happens by the permission and decree of Allah.


Allah is the Creator of all things. Allah سبحانه وتعالى has written down everything that is going to happen. At the same time, He has also given us a choice. We can choose to be either good or bad.



Task 2

Fill in the following timeline with something that happened, is happening and will happen in your life:



Name	Past	Present	Future
 Maryam	<i>Yesterday, Maryam went to her grandmother’s house</i>	<i>Maryam is at school, learning about the beautiful mountains Allah has made.</i>	<i>Tomorrow, Maryam will attend Jumū’ah salah, inshaAllah.</i>
[Write your name here]			



Can you be 100% sure about what you will do tomorrow?



Why should we say ‘InshaAllah’ when referring to the future? What does this have to do with al-Qadar?



What do you do when something happens that you don't like?

When Something Bad Happens

Some people get angry and shout. Some people may even use foul language and swear. Some people may even slam doors. Some might even hit people or break things.



But our Prophet ﷺ taught us something far better. When the Messenger of Allah ﷺ saw anything which displeased him, he used to say:

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ عَلَى كُلِّ حَالٍ

“All praise and thanks are for Allah in every situation.” (Ibn Majah)

Even when the Prophet ﷺ saw something upsetting, he would STILL thank Allah and praise Him.

M Memorise

Let's memorise this phrase. Tick the circle when you have memorised it.

Arabic with Meaning	Memorised
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Task 3

Write some 'bad' news that your parent may tell you. What are the two ways that you can respond?

Mother/Father says:

A **good** way in which you can respond:

A **bad** way in which you can respond:

I Act On What I Learn

Whatever happens to me, good or bad, I will always thank and praise Allah!

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ

P Progress Check



1. What is al-Qadar?

2. What does Allah know?

3. What should you do when something bad happens?

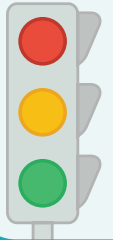
Lesson 21

Being Patient for Allah



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define sabr

Discuss how I can apply sabr in my life

Reflect on the sabr and steadfastness of Khabbab رضي الله عنه



Key Words

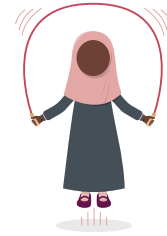
Sabr (Patience) - صَبْرٌ

Difficulties

Steadfast

T Thinking Starter

Can you think of something you did which was difficult, but it was good for you?



Sabr for the Sake of Allah

In this life, we will face **difficulties**. We may lose our good health. Some people may be really nasty to us. We may even lose someone who we really love.

Sabr (patience) is to be strong and firm and to never give up. In this life, we will all go through difficult times. But as believers, we must have sabr. We should not moan and groan. Instead, we should have sabr for the sake of Allah.

We also have to have sabr in order to do good deeds and be true believers. For example, waking up for fajr very early in the morning will require you to have sabr. To be strong and push your duvet away, especially when it is freezing cold is sabr!



Can you think of another action which you may find difficult and requires you to have sabr?



Task 1

Work in groups of three and recite the following Surahs.

Student 1

سُورَةُ الْاٰخِرٰتِ
Surah al-Ikhlās

Student 2

سُورَةُ الْكَوٰثِرِ
Surah al-Kawthar

Student 3

سُورَةُ الْاَسْرِ
Surah al-Asr

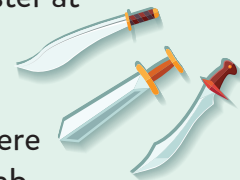
Now tick which Surah contains the word ‘sabr’.

IT'S STORY TIME!

Khabbab: The Steadfast Swordsmith

In the bustling city of Makkah, Umm Anmar wandered through the market looking to buy a slave. Her eyes landed on a young boy whose seller was shouting: “Who wants to buy this boy? His bones are very strong and he is very healthy!” Umm Anmar purchased him immediately.

The boy’s name was **Khabbab**. Umm Anmar noticed there was something special about this boy - not only was he strong, he was intelligent too. She trained him to become a swordsmith so he could become a master at making sharp shiny swords. Before long, he became famous throughout Makkah for his brilliant skills and his honesty.



Something serious was stirring in Makkah at this time. There were whispers of a new Prophet who had been sent by Allah. Khabbab was intrigued - he wanted to hear things for himself. So he went to meet the Prophet. He was so inspired by the teachings of the Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم that he immediately accepted Islam - he was one of the first 10 people to do so.

Upon hearing this news, Umm Anmar raged with fury. “How dare he do this without my permission?!” Hurriedly, she went to her brother demanding he gather a group of young boys to go and confront him. Khabbab رضي الله عنه stood firm saying: “I only believe in One God who has no partner. I reject your idols and I believe that Muhammad is the servant of Allah and His Messenger.”

The gang jumped on him. They punched him with iron bars and kicked him with so much force that blood was oozing from his wounds - he became unconscious!

They did not stop there. The torture became worse.

Under the scorching summer heat, they would repeatedly drag Khabbab to the desert. At mid-day, when the sun was at its hottest, they would take off his clothes and make him wear iron clothes to melt his skin.

When it seemed like he had lost all his strength, they would come up and ask him: “What do you think about Muhammad?”

“He is the servant of Allah and His Messenger. He came to guide us and show us the truth, leading us from darkness to light,” Khabbab would reply. This would infuriate them even more and they would beat him harder and harder.

Khabbab would experience extreme pain. But he would never give up. He remained strong in his belief. He remained **steadfast**.

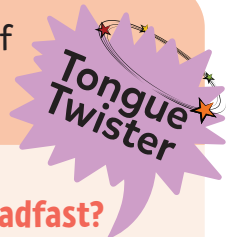
Steadfast: To never give up and always stay strong.

After many years of difficulties, Khabbab رضي الله عنه finally managed to escape the clutches of his evil mistress, Umm Anmar. He migrated (made hijrah) to Madinah, where he no longer had to worry about the nasty disbelievers of Makkah torturing him.

As for Umm Anmar, she was struck with a very strange illness - no one in Makkah had ever heard of it before. She used to act as though she was attacked by something wild. Her children looked everywhere for help, and they were told the only way to help her was to pour very hot iron on her head - the same thing she used to torture Khabbab with!



Try saying the tongue twister below as quickly as you can. See if you can say it three times in a row without getting tangled up!



Did you see the sabr of the skilled, strong swordsmith who stayed steadfast?



Task 2

Answer these questions about Khabbab رضي الله عنه.

1 What was the difficulty that Khabbab رضي الله عنه went through?

2 How did Khabbab رضي الله عنه show sabr?



Task 3

Tick (✓) the 'thoughts' that might have helped Khabbab رضي الله عنه to remain patient and steadfast during his difficulty.

Cross (X) the thoughts that would make it harder for Khabbab to have sabr.

I thought of the reward from Allah that awaits me.

I started to panic and feel helpless.

I focused on the countless blessings that Allah has already given me.

I started to think of Allah's great power - only He can stop this difficulty from happening.

I will use this as a chance to ask Allah for help. Allah loves those who ask Him.

If Allah does not remove the difficulty straight away, it means that this might be a test.

I want to take full control of the situation myself.

I thought about how the Angels will send 'salam' to those who are patient.

I accept what Allah has planned for me as I am His servant.



Being patient and having sabr will make my heart shine.

I Act On What I Learn

I will stay strong and be patient, no matter how difficult it is!



P Progress Check



1. What is sabr?

2. How can you apply sabr to your life?

3. What does the story of Khabbab رضي الله عنه teach you?

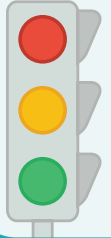
Lesson 22

The Shining Heart



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Differentiate between the physical and spiritual heart

State why we have to polish our hearts

Describe how to polish our hearts



Key Words

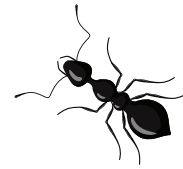
Heart - قَلْبٌ

The Spiritual Heart

Polish

T Thinking Starter

Can you think of something that you cannot see, but is there (it exists)?



The Spiritual Heart

Have you ever met a really amazing person, someone who reminded you of the Prophet ﷺ? Someone so kind and gentle, and always helping others? Someone who always recited the Qur'an and remembered Allah? Maybe his or her face was shining with nur (light).

You might wonder what is so special about this person. The answer is: they have a **shining heart**.

We all have two kinds of hearts:

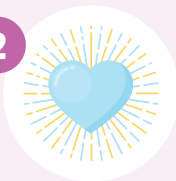
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The Physical Heart

This heart pumps blood around the body carrying oxygen to our organs. If the physical heart stops working, the person dies.

2



The Spiritual Heart

This is a heart that we can't see – it is **invisible**. It is a special type of heart that Allah has given to every human being.

Although we cannot see our spiritual hearts, it is the most important part of us. It makes us who we **truly** are. The spiritual heart allows us to know and love Allah. The spiritual heart controls how we behave. If we want Allah to love us, and if we want to enter Jannah, then we have to make our spiritual hearts shine.



A shining spiritual heart is the key to Jannah!



Task 1

Colour the physical objects that you can see with your eyes:

YOUR BACKPACK
 LOVE
 FRIENDSHIP
 A CAR
 THE MASJID BUILDING
 ANGER

Cleaning & Polishing Our Hearts

Which one would you rather drink from?

This mug?



Or this mug?



When our bodies become dirty, we have a bath and make ourselves clean so that Angels like to come near us. Similarly, our hearts also get dusty. If we don't take care of them, they can become really dirty.

Each time we do something bad, a dot appears on the heart. This dot is like rust. For example, if we lie, then one dot appears. Then if we show off with our new toys, another dot appears. We have to make sure we polish and clean our hearts all the time, before the heart becomes really dirty and rusty.

I polish my heart!





Task 2

Sort the following actions into the correct hearts:



Whining and complaining a lot

Being kind to others

Thanking Allah

Loving Allah

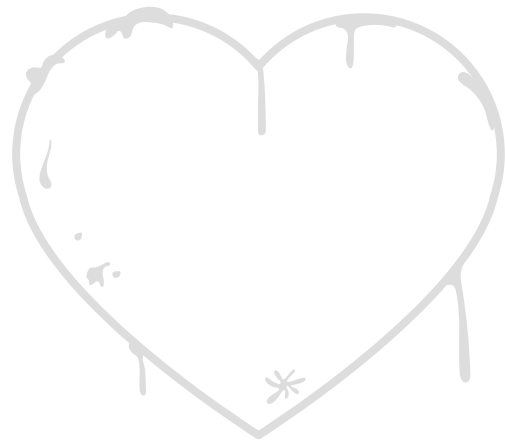
Being selfish with my toys and stationery

Being jealous of others

Saying the truth

Obeying Allah

Getting angry



What is the opposite of **whining** and **complaining**?

How Can I Polish My Heart?

We have to clean and polish our hearts until they shine and sparkle. We should:

- 1 Learn about all the 'dots' which make the heart dirty. We should try our very best to not do these things. These 'dots' include bad thoughts and actions which we have to stay away from, for example feeling jealous or being proud.
- 2 Always ask Allah to polish our hearts and make them shine like a sparkling jewel.
- 3 Good deeds - We have to do everything Allah سبحانه وتعالى has asked us to do.





How do we know what Allah wants us to do?

The Qur'an teaches us how to polish our hearts. Allah sent down the Qur'an to our beloved Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم! He sent down the Qur'an with Angel Jibril عليه السلام who is very pure. And Prophet Muhammad صلى الله عليه وسلم had the purest of hearts!



I try to polish my heart like my Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم!



Task 3

Fix and re-write this sentence in the box.

I have to make sure that I am always painting my physical heart before it becomes really loud and furry.



I Act On What I Learn

I will always think about how to make my heart shine.



P Progress Check



1. What is the difference between the physical and spiritual heart?

2. How do we polish our hearts?

3. Why do we have to polish our hearts?

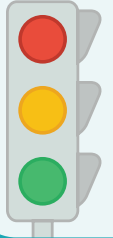
Lesson 23

Shirk



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



- Define shirk
- Recall that shirk is the worst sin
- Describe how to purify my heart from shirk



Key Words

Shirk - الشِّرْكُ
Associate
Tawhid - التَّوْحِيدُ

T Thinking Starter

What is the worst sin someone can do?



A long, long time ago, there was a very pious man named Luqman عليه السلام. He loved his son and he wanted the best for him. So he gave him some beautiful advice. The first piece of advice was:

يَبْنَى لَا تُشْرِكْ بِاللّٰهِ إِنَّ الشِّرْكَ لَظُلْمٌ عَظِيمٌ

“My dear son! Never associate anything with Allah, for associating partners with Him is truly the worst of all wrongs.” (31:13)

Shirk is to associate (make) partners with Allah, or to think that anyone is equal to Him. The Arabic word ‘sharik (شَرِيكٌ)’ means partner.



Why would someone need a partner?

Allah is the Most Powerful and He does not need anyone. There is nobody like Allah. Everything in the heavens and the earth is in the full control of Allah. He does not have a partner, helper or even any family to help Him to run the universe.

The opposite of shirk is tawhid. **Tawhid** is to firmly believe in and worship Allah Alone. It is the most important teaching of our din.

There is nobody like

Allah.

Allah is One and Truly Unique.



Task 1

Write a definition for both words in the lines below:

Shirk

Tawhid

The Ugliest Action

There are different actions which make the heart dirty. The worst one of these is **shirk**.

A person can be kind, generous and loving. But if they do not believe in Allah and they commit shirk, then they will not enter Paradise. Shirk is the only sin that Allah will never forgive.



Did You Know?



Shirk is the worst crime and sin a person can commit.



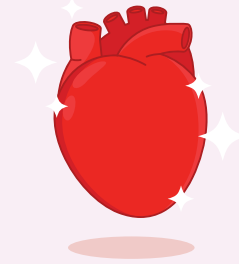
If you want to make your heart shine, purify it from shirk!

Polish Your Heart From Shirk

We have to be very careful that we do not let shirk enter our hearts. We should always purify our hearts from shirk. We can do this by:

- 1  Worshipping Allah Alone. He is the Only True God. There is no one like Him, and He does not need anyone.
- 2  Always thinking about Allah and doing everything good only for His sake.

A shirk-free heart is a shining heart!



Task 2

Purify Yourself From Shirk.

Trace and memorise:

لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ، لَهُ الْمُلْكُ
وَلَهُ الْحَمْدُ، وَهُوَ عَلَى كُلِّ شَيْءٍ قَدِيرٌ

Fill in the blank word:

There is no god worthy of worship except Allah. He is Alone and He has no _____ whatsoever. To Him Alone belongs all kingdom and all praise. He is All-Powerful over everything.



Did You Know?

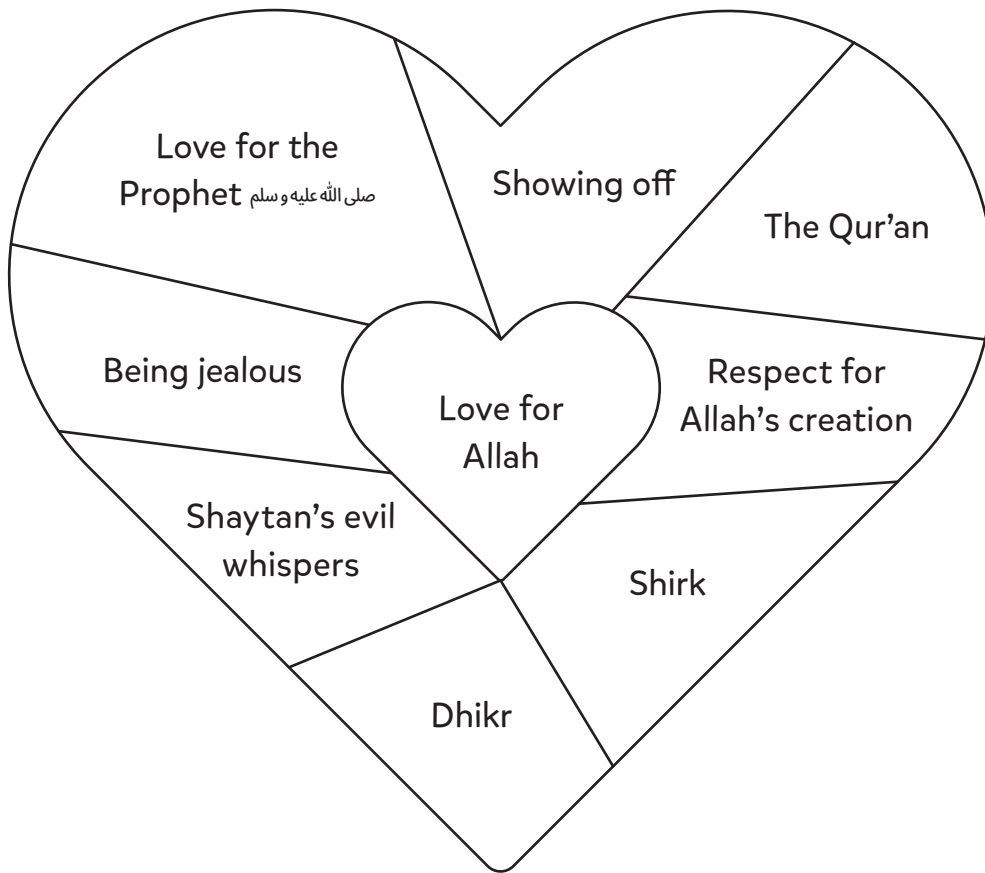
Our beloved Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم told us that this dhikr is the best statement that he and all the Prophets have ever made!





Task 3

Cross out (X) the things that we need to keep out of our hearts:



Can you replace the things that you have crossed out with something that will make your heart shine instead?



I polish my heart!

I Act On What I Learn

I will recite the above dhikr everyday.



P Progress Check



1. What is shirk?

2. What is the only sin that Allah will not forgive?

3. How can you purify your heart from shirk?

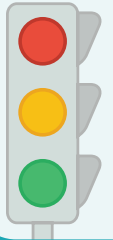
Lesson 24

Envy



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



Define envy

Identify the harms of envy

Explain how to polish my heart from envy



Key Words

Envy/Jealousy - حَسَدٌ

Envious

MashaAllah (This is what Allah willed) - مَا شَاءَ اللَّهُ

Thinking Starter

What happens when you are jealous? How does it feel?



Envy

Envy is when you want something that another person has and you are not happy that the other person has this. It is similar to jealousy.

Envy makes the heart dirty, and it is a major sin. The Prophet صلى الله عليه وسلم said:

إِيَّاكُمْ وَالْحَسَدَ فَإِنَّ الْحَسَدَ يَأْكُلُ الْحَسَنَاتِ
كَمَا تَأْكُلُ النَّارُ الْحَطَبَ

“Beware of envy, for it eats away good deeds just as fire burns wood.”

(Abu Dawud)

This means that when we are jealous, it destroys our good deeds. A person who is envious wants the blessings that Allah has given the other person to disappear!

Sometimes we might really want something that a classmate or sibling has, but we have to remember that Allah knows what is best for us. He always gives us what is best for us. Allah سبحانه وتعالى has given each one of us so many different blessings.



What might a person your age be jealous of?

Always thank Allah for **your own** special blessings. Always say ‘Alhamdulillah’.



I will be happy with what Allah gives me.



Task 1

Colour the words to match how you feel when you're jealous.

When I'm jealous, I feel...

Upset Afraid Happy Hot
 Angry Cheerful Frustrated

Is jealousy a nice feeling? Does it feel peaceful and calm?

IT'S STORY TIME!

Habil & Qabil

Once upon a time, there were two brothers named Habil and Qabil. They were both the sons of Adam عليه السلام and Hawa عليها السلام. As the brothers became older and it was time to marry, a dispute arose.

Qabil wanted to marry the girl Habil was supposed to marry. To solve this problem, Adam عليه السلام suggested they both offer a special sacrifice for Allah. Whoever's offering was accepted could marry the girl.

So they both offered a sacrifice; Habil offered a generous sacrifice of a fat animal whilst Qabil offered the worst crops he had. Allah accepted the sacrifice of Habil.

Qabil was furious. "I am going to kill you!" he shouted.

"Allah only accepts from the pious people," replied Habil.

Even though Habil was stronger, he refused to kill his brother. "Even if you raise your hand to kill me, I am not going to. I fear Allah, the Lord of the worlds," he told Qabil.

Blinded by his jealousy, Qabil was overcome with fury and killed his own brother.








Qabil was the first person to commit murder on this earth. What made him commit this horrible crime?

Jealousy makes people argue and fight. It makes people say and do nasty things to each other. Jealousy makes the heart dirty. If we want to have a shining heart, then we have to polish it and clean it from jealousy.

Jealousy will harm us and harm others around us.

How To Polish Your Heart From Envy

Here are three things you can do to polish your heart from envy:

- 1  Be happy for other people. To have a shining heart, you need to have a big heart: with space for everybody. Say something nice to the person you feel jealous of.
- 2  Always think of all the good things Allah has given **you**. If you keep looking at what other people have, you will forget to look at what you have – what Allah has given **you!**
- 3  Say 'MashaAllah' or 'BarakAllahu Fik' when you see something you like.



Task 2

Match each speech bubble to the correct meaning.

BarakAllahu Fik

MashaAllah

Alhamdulillah

May Allah bless you.

All praises and thanks are for Allah.

This is what Allah willed.



Task 3

Write down the opposites:

	Feeling angry	<i>Feeling calm</i>
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	A shining heart	
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	Tawhid	
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	Sin	
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	Feeling envy when someone else wins the prize	
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I Act On What I Learn

I always want the best for everyone.



I polish my heart!

P Progress Check



1. What is envy?

2. What are the harms of envy?

3. How can you polish your heart from envy?

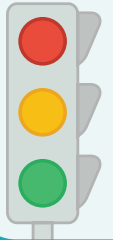
Lesson 25

Pride



Learning Objectives

In this lesson, I will:



- State how pride leads to a rotten heart
- Reflect on the story of Qarun
- Explain how to polish my heart from pride



Key Words

Pride - كِبْرٌ
Humble
Arrogant

T Thinking Starter

Have you ever met someone who boasts a lot. How did it feel like to be around them?



Pride Leads to a Rotten Heart

Pride makes the heart rusty and dirty. A proud person is someone who thinks they are better than others. They want all the attention for themselves. They might think that they are smarter than others, or that they are richer. They might think they are more beautiful than others.

Pride is a horrible sin. Our beloved Prophet Muhammad ﷺ said:

لَا يَدْخُلُ الْجَنَّةَ مَنْ كَانَ فِي قَلْبِهِ مِثْقَالُ ذَرَّةٍ مِنْ كِبْرٍ

“The one who has the weight of a seed of pride in his heart will not enter Paradise.” (Muslim)

The opposite of a proud person is a **humble** person. A humble person always remembers that all of the blessings they have been given have come from Allah – so they will never feel proud and will always thank Him.





Task 1

Musa has just scored a goal during a game of football!

Draw two lines to show which response shows pride and which shows humility.

Anything good that I achieve can only happen if Allah allows it to.

Pride

Humility

I am so good at football.
No one in my class is better than me.

Some people are so proud that they forget about Allah سبحانه وتعالى. They forget that it is Allah who created them, and Allah who gave them their blessings in the first place! Their pride leads them to rejecting Allah and disbelieving in him (kufr). This is the worst type of pride: when a person thinks they don't need the Lord of the heavens and the earth!

IT'S STORY TIME!

Swallowed By The Earth

At the time of Musa عليه السلام, there lived a super-rich man named Qarun. Allah blessed him with mountains and mountains of treasures and wealth. Even his strongest men would find it difficult to carry the keys to his rooms filled with piles of gold, silver and money.



However, Qarun was an extremely **arrogant** man and did not thank Allah. And even though he was from the Banu Isra'il (the people of Musa عليه السلام), he was mean to them.

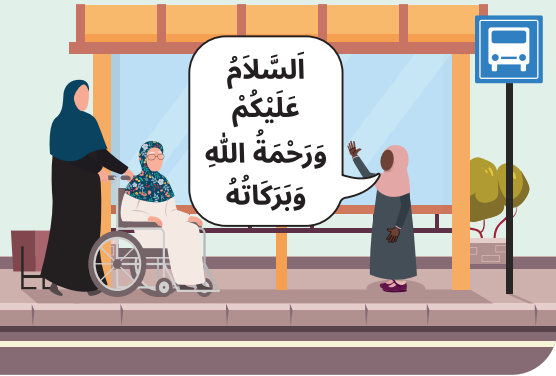
Arrogant: Overly proud of oneself or one's own opinions.

The believers around him started worrying. "Don't be arrogant! Allah does not like those who brag," they told him. They reminded him to not forget the Next World, and to be good to people just as Allah had been good to him.

"I've only got all this wealth because of my knowledge," replied Qarun. He foolishly thought he had gained all of these treasures because of how smart he was. He forgot that it was Allah who gives blessings!

How to Polish Your Heart From Pride

- 1 Remember that everything you have comes from Allah. Always thank Allah for all of your blessings.
- 2 Be the first to say salam to everyone you meet.
- 3 Always say sorry when you have made a mistake.



Task 3

Write complete sentences using the words in the first column.

Word	Sentence
Pride	<i>Pride leads to a rotten heart.</i>
Humble	
Bragging	
Sorry	
Heart	

P Progress Check



1. How does pride lead to a rotten heart?

2. What does the story of Qarun teach you?

3. How can you polish your heart from pride?



I Learn, I Act, I Share

THE SHINING HEART

LEARNING FOR A
Life With Allah

In this book, we have been learning about how we can polish our hearts (tazkiyah). Now it is time for you to put your learning into **action!**

Take part in the 7-Day Shining Heart Challenge, and try your best to polish your heart.

Complete a challenge each day. At the end of the week, **reflect** and **think** about what you have done. Strong believers always think and reflect, so they can always grow and become even closer to Allah!

The 7-Day Shining Heart Challenge

Day 2

Smile at someone you do not really like, and say a kind word to them.

Day 4

Be the **FIRST** one to say salam to at least 5 people.

Day 1

Think of one person you feel jealous of. Make a really nice du'a for this person, and ask Allah to give them even **MORE**.

Day 3

Thank Allah for at least 5 things He has given you. Sit down in a quiet place and say "Thank you Allah for...."

Colour in the hearts as you complete the challenges.

Day 6

Do one 'secret' good deed, and do not mention it to anyone. Keep it a 'secret' between you and Allah.

Day 5

Thank a humble caretaker or teacher for all their hard work.

Day 7

Clean the masjid or madrasah with your classmates.



Did You Know?

The person closest to Allah is the one who says salam **first**. This person is not proud.

Reflection

How do you feel after the 7-Day Shining Heart Challenge?

Can you feel your heart getting cleaner?

Which day did you find the most difficult? Why?

IMAN & TAZKIYAH

LEVEL 3

Word Bank

Aa

- Al-Firdaws
- Al-Qadar (Divine Decree)
- الْقَدْرُ
- Arrogant
- Associate

Bb

- Blessing
- Brotherhood - أُخُوَّةٌ

Cc

- Choke
- Constantly
- Cure - شِفَاءٌ

Dd

- Difficulties

Ee

- Evil - شَرٌّ
- Envious
- Envy/Jealousy - حَسَدٌ

Ff

- Firm belief - إِيمَانٌ

Gg

- Gift - هِبَةٌ
- Gold - ذَهَبٌ
- Good - خَيْرٌ
- Guidance

Hh

- Happy
- Harmony
- Hawd (Pond) - حَوْضٌ
- Heart - قَلْبٌ
- Hereafter
- Humble

Ii

- Inner thoughts

Jj

- Jannah (Paradise)
- الْجَنَّةُ
- Jahannam - جَهَنَّمَ
- Jugular Vein

IMAN & TAZKIYAH

LEVEL 3

Mm

- *MashaAllah* (This is what Allah willed)
- مَا شَاءَ اللَّهُ -
- Means
- Mercy - رَحْمَةٌ
- *Minbar* (pulpit) - مِنبَرٌ
- Miracle - مُعْجَزَةٌ
- *Mu'min* (Believer)
- مُؤْمِنٌ -

Nn

- Next World

Pp

- Polish
- Precious
- Pride - كِبْرٌ
- Protect
- Provision
- Purpose of life

Oo

- Original

Rr

- Race
- Record
- Reflect
- Roles

Tt

- *Tawhid* - التَّوْحِيدُ
- **The All-Hearing**
- السَّمِيعُ -
- **The All-Seeing** - البَصِيرُ
- **The Creator** - الخَالِقُ
- **The Ever-Giving**
- الوَهَّابُ -
- **The Ever Near** - القَرِيبُ
- **The Fashioner** - المَصَوِّرُ
- **The Healer** - الشَّافِي
- The Last Day
- اليَوْمُ الآخِرُ -
- **The Protector** - الحَافِظُ
- **The Responder**
- المُجِيبُ -
- The Spiritual Heart
- The worlds - العَالَمِينَ
- True religion

Uu

- *Ummah* (Community)
- أُمَّةٌ -
- Unique
- Unity
- Unseen - غَيْبٌ

Ss

- *Sabr* (Patience) - صَبْرٌ
- Scale
- *Shirk* - الشِّرْكُ
- Sign
- Silk - حَرِيرٌ
- Steadfast
- Strengthen
- Submission

Ww

- Witness
- Worship - عِبَادَةٌ

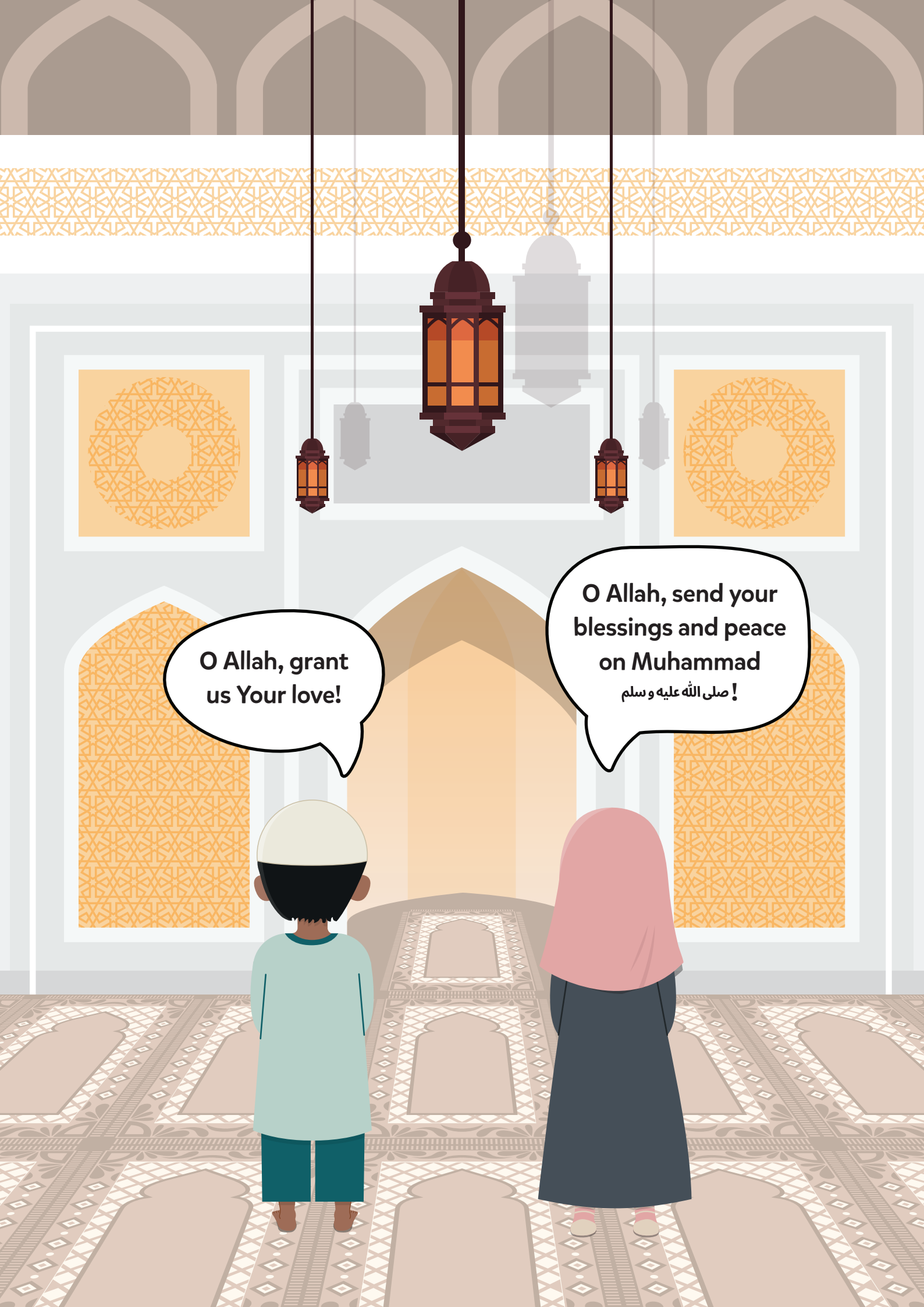
Allah سبحانه و تعالى says:

إِنَّ الَّذِينَ ءَامَنُوا وَعَمِلُوا الصَّالِحَاتِ
سَيَجْعَلُ لَهُمُ الرَّحْمَنُ وُدًّا.

**“Indeed those who believe and do
good, the Most Compassionate
will bless them with love.”**

(19:96)





O Allah, grant us Your love!

O Allah, send your blessings and peace on Muhammad
! صلى الله عليه وسلم

MY VALUES



I Am a Servant
of Allah



I Love Allah &
His Messenger

صلى الله عليه وسلم



I Am Strong in
My Belief



I Aim for the
Best



I Polish My
Heart



I Am Kind



I Help My
Ummah



I Am
Responsible



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