

Outline of Curriculum – Levels 1, 2 and 3

Each year the curriculum begins with a few topics on Allāhﷻ, the Qur’ān, the Nabīﷺ, the Hadīth, or Sunnah. In the early years, emphasis is placed on the five-pillars, and each year, this emphasis increases. Every year, a history of some of the messengers is introduced in an age-appropriate manner. Several lessons are devoted to Islamic manners, values, and morals so that children grow up with a good understanding of Islamic culture. Each lesson includes a short homework assignment.

Level 1
Unit 1: Aqaid: Our Belief
Allāhﷻ: Our Creator
Islam
Our Faith
Nabi Muhammadﷺ
The Qur’ān
Unit 2: Knowing Allāhﷻ
Allāhﷻ Loves Us
Remembering Allāhﷻ
Allāhﷻ Rewards Us
Unit 3: Our Ibadat
Five Pillars of Islam
Shahadah: The First Pillar
Salah: The Second Pillar
Zakat: The Third Pillar
Fasting: The Fourth Pillar
Hajj: The Fifth Pillar
Unit 4: Messengers of Allāhﷻ
Adam (A): The First Nabi
Nuh (A): Saved From Flood
Ibrahim (A): Never Listen to Shaitan
Musa (A): Challenging A Bad Ruler
Isa (A): A Great Nabi of Allāhﷻ
Unit 5: Other Basics of Islam
Angels: They Always Work for Allāhﷻ
Shaitan: Our Enemy
Makkah and Madinah
Eid: Two Festivals
Unit 6: Akhlaq and Adab in Islam
Good Manners
Kindness and Sharing
Respect
Forgiveness
Thanking Allāhﷻ

Level 2
Unit 1: The Creator–His Message
Allāhﷻ: Our Creator
How Does Allāhﷻ Create?
Allāhﷻ: What Does He Do?
What Does Allāhﷻ Not Do
The Qur’ān
Hadīth and Sunnah
Unit 2: Our Ibadat
Shahadah: The First Pillar
Salāt: The Second Pillar
Zakāt: The Third Pillar
Sawm: The Fourth Pillar
Hajj: The Fifth Pillar
Wudū: Keeping Our Bodies Clean
Unit 3: Messengers of Allāhﷻ
Ibrāhīm (A): A Friend of Allāhﷻ
Ya’qūb (A) and Yūsuf (A)
Mūsā (A) and Hārūn (A)
Yūnus (A)
Muhammadﷺ: Rasūlullāh
Unit 4: Learning About Islam
Obey Allāhﷻ, Obey Rasūlﷺ
Day of Judgment and the Hereafter
Our Masjid
Common Islamic Phrases
Food that We May Eat
Unit 5: Akhlaq and Adab in Islam
Truthfulness
Kindness
Respect
Responsibility
Obedience
Cleanliness
Honesty

Level 3
Unit 1: Knowing About Allāhﷻ
Who is Allāhﷻ?
What Allāhﷻ Is and Is Not
Allāhﷻ: The Most-Merciful
Allāhﷻ: The Best Judge
What Does Allāhﷻ Want Us to Do?
Unit 2: Teachings of Islam
We Are Muslims: We Have ‘Imān
Belief in the Qur’ān
Belief in the Messengers
Hadīth and Sunnah
Jinn
Muslims in North America
The Straight Path: The Right Path
Unit 3: Life of Nabi Muhammadﷺ
Kindness of Rasūlullāhﷺ
How Rasūlullāhﷺ Treated Others
Our Relationship with Rasūlullāhﷺ
Unit 4: Messengers of Allāhﷻ
Ismā‘īl (A) and Ishāq (A)
Shua‘ib (A): A Nabi of Allāhﷻ
Dāwūd (A): A Nabi of Allāhﷻ
‘Isā (A): A Nabi of Allāhﷻ
Unit 5: Learning About Islam
Ka‘bah
Masjid Nabawi
Bilāl ibn Rabāh
Zaid ibn Harithah
Unit 6: Akhlaq and Adab in Islam
Ways To Be a Good Person
Kindness: A Virtue of the Believers
Forgiveness: A Good Quality
Good Deeds: A Duty of the Believers
Perseverance: Never Give Up
Punctuality: Doing Things on Time

Outline of Curriculum – Levels 4, 5 and 6

By Level 5, students have learned the biography of the Nabi Muhammad ﷺ, including a summary of the events that shaped his life and early Islam. By Level 6, students will have read the biographies of most of the prominent messengers. At this stage, students will have learned all the fundamental principles and key concepts of Islam. Even if students do not attend weekend schools after Level 6, they have already gained significant knowledge about Islam.

Level 4
Unit 1: Knowing the Creator
Rewards of Allāh ﷻ: Everybody Receives Them
Discipline of Allāh ﷻ
Names of Allāh ﷻ
Books of Allāh ﷻ
Unit 2: How Islam Changed Arabia
Pre-Islamic Arabia
The Year of the Elephant
Early Life of Muhammad ﷺ
Life Before Becoming a Nabi
First Revelation
Makkah Period
Hijrat to Madīnah
Madīnah Period
Unit 3: The Rightly Guided Khalīfah
Abū Bakr: The First Khalīfah
'Umar ibn al-Khattāb
'Uthmān ibn 'Affān
'Ali ibn Abū Tālib
Unit 4: The Messengers of Allāh
Hūd (A): Struggle to Guide People
Sālih (A): To Guide the Misguided
Mūsā (A): His Life and Actions
Sulaimān (A): A Humble King
Unit 5: Fiqh of Salāt
Preparation for Salāt
Requirements of Salāt
Mubtilāt us-Salāt
How to Pray Behind an Imām
Unit 6: General Islamic Topics
Compilers of Hadīth
Shaitān's Mode of Operation
Day of Judgment
Eid: Its Significance
Truthfulness: A Quality of Muslim
Perseverance: Keep on Trying

Level 5
Unit 1: The Creator, His Message
Tawhīd, Kāfir, Kufr, Shirk, Nifāq
Why Should We Worship Allāh ﷻ?
Revelation of the Qur'ān
Characteristics of the Messengers
Unit 2: The Battles, Developments
Pledges of 'Aqabah
The Battle of Badr
The Battle of Uhud
The Battle of the Trench
The Treaty of Hudaibiyah
Liberation of Makkah
Unit 3: The Messengers of Allāh
Adam (A): The Creation of Mankind
Ibrāhīm (A) Debate with Polytheists
Ibrāhīm (A): Plan Against Idols
Luqmān (A): A Wise Man's Lifelong Teachings
Yūsuf (A): His Childhood
Yūsuf (A): His Righteousness
Yūsuf (A): Dream Comes True
Ayyūb (A): Patience, Perseverance
Zakariyyāh (A), Yahyā (A)
Unit 4: Islam in the World
Major Masājid in the World
Unit 5: Islamic Values, Teachings
Upholding Truth: A Duty for All Believers
Responsibility and Punctuality
My Mind My Body
Kindness and Forgiveness
The Middle Path: Ways to Avoid Two Extremes
Salāt: Its Significance
Sawm: Its Significance
Zakāt and Sadaqah: Similarities and Differences

Level 6
Unit 1: The Creator-His Message
Attributes of Allāh ﷻ
The Promise of Allāh ﷻ
Why Study the Qur'an?
Compilation of the Qur'ān
Hadīth: Compilation and Its Narrators
Unit 2: Messengers of Allāh
Nūh (A)
Tālūt, Jālūt, and Dāwūd (A)
Dāwūd (A) and Sulaimān (A)
Mūsā (A) and Fir'awn
Mūsā (A) and Khidir
'Isā (A) and Maryam (ra)
Unit 3: Islamic Character
Shirk - How to Guard from it
Achieving Taqwā
Putting Trust in Allāh ﷻ
Maintaining Justice
Avoiding Jealousy
Greed and Dishonesty
We are Responsible for Our Own Actions
Unit 4: Women of Islam
Khadījah (ra)
'A'ishah (ra)
Fātimah (ra)
Unit 5: The Invisible
Rūh and Nafs
The Angels and Jinn
Shaitān: The Invisible Enemy
Unit 6: Human Interaction
Rasulullah's ﷺ Interactions with Non-Muslims
My Friend Is Muslim Now
Muslims Around the World
People of Other Faith

Outline of Curriculum – Levels 7, 8 and 9

In these levels, the application of knowledge is increasingly emphasized by offering carefully selected topics. Specific details about some of the messengers are introduced to highlight the abiding morals in their lives. In Level 8, early Muslim struggles are discussed in detail. Increased depth and information in the lessons require focused attention from students. Age-appropriate moral lessons are also covered including gossip, friendship, peer pressure, dating, indecency, encouraging good and forbidding evil.

Level 7
Unit 1: The Creator
Why Islam? what is Islam?
Belief in Allāh ﷻ
The Qur'ān: Its Qualitative Names
Istighfar: Seeking Forgiveness of Allāh ﷻ
Allāh ﷻ: Angry or Kind
Unit 2: Stories of the Messengers
Ādam (A): Trial of the Messenger
Life of Ibrāhīm (A)
Sacrifice of Ibrāhīm (A)
Lūt (A): Message for Modern Societies
Yūsuf (A)—The Will to Overcome Temptation
Unit 3: Stories from the Qur'ān
Companions of the Cave
Dhul Qurnain: Journey of a King
Effective Debate and Negotiation Styles in the Qur'ān
Unit 4: Two Companions
Abū Sufyān
Khālīd Ibn Walīd (R)
Unit 5: Knowledge Enrichment
The Character of the Messengers
Rasūlullāh's ﷺ Marriages
Lailatul Qadr
Fasting During Ramadan
My Family is Muslim Now
Science in the Qur'ān
Lessons from Past Civilizations
Unit 6: Teachings of the Qur'ān
Amr Bil Ma'rūf
Guard Your Tongue
Islamic Greetings
How to Achieve Success
Permitted and Prohibited
Types of Behavior Allāh ﷻ Loves

Level 8
Unit 1: Knowing the Creator
Divine Names
Sunan of Allāh ﷻ
Objectives of the Qur'ān
Sūrah Hujurat: Its Teachings
True Piety: Analysis of Verse 2:177
Ayātul Qudsi
Unit 2: The Messenger of Allāh
The Person Muhammad ﷺ
Farewell Pilgrimage
Finality of Prophethood
Hadīth: Collection, Classification
Unit 3: Challenges in Madīnah
Hypocrites
Banu Qaynuka
Banu Nadir
Banu Qurayzah
Mission to Tabūk
Unit 4: Islamic Ethical Framework
Friends and Friendship
Friendship With Non-Muslims
Dating in Islam
Golden Rules to Live By
Elements of Bad Life
Unit 5: Islamic Values, Teachings
Duties Toward Parents
Hope, Hopefulness, Hopelessness
Trials in Life
Permitted and Prohibited Food
Performance of Hajj
Parables in the Qur'ān
Unit 6: Islam After the Rasūl (S)
Origin and History of Shī'ah
Umayyad Dynasty
Abbasid Dynasty

Level 9
Unit 1: A Reflection on the Divine
Signs of Allāh ﷻ in nature
Pondering the Qur'ān
Preservation and Compilation of the Qur'ān
Ibadat—Easy Ways to Do It
Unit 2: An Islamic Perspective
Why Human Beings Are Superior
Is Islam a Violent Religion?
Shariah
Justice in Islam
Unit 3: Ethical Standard in Islam
Peer Pressure
Choices We Make
Islamic Perspective on Dating
Indecency
Alcohol and Gambling
Permitted and Prohibited Food
Food of the People of the Book
Family Values
Unit 4: Essays on Rasūlullāh ﷺ
Khadījah (ra)
Rasūlullāh's ﷺ Multiple Marriages
Marriage to Zainab (ra)
The Prophet: A Great Army General
Prophecy of Muhammad ﷺ in the Bible
Allegations Against Rasūlullāh ﷺ
Unit 5: A Reflection on Islam
God's Chosen People
Mūsā's Personality
Essentials of Salah
Life Cycle of Truth
How Ramadan Makes Us Better
Muslims in North America

Outline of Curriculum – Levels 10, 11–12

In Level 10 and 11–12, Islamic topics increasingly prepare youths to fine-tune their spiritual and social lives. Significant issues that have real-life implications are introduced. The application of knowledge continues to be emphasized. The lessons in the Level 11–12 book strongly promote the application of Islamic knowledge. This is achieved through carefully selected topics. All lessons teach core Islamic beliefs and understandings based on the Qur’ān and authentic Hadith.

Level 10	Level 11–12
Unit 1: Knowing the Creator	Unit 1: Understanding Our Belief
Understanding the Word “Allāh”	Islam
Al-Fātihah: An Analysis of its Message	Muslim
Al-Fātihah vs The Lord’s Prayer	Shahādah
Muhkam and Mutashābihat Āyāt	Belief in Allāh
Al-‘Asr: The Formula of Success	Belief in the Angels
Qur’ānic Calligraphy	Belief in the Revealed Books
Unit 2: Interfaith Studies	Belief in the Messengers
The Bible and the Qur’ān	Belief in the Hereafter
The Ten Commandments and Islam	Unit 2: The “Driver” Within Us
Our Faiths: Key Differences	Life’s Ultimate Purpose
Unit 3: Marriage and Family in Islam	Wealth Is The “Driver”
The Status of Women in Islam	The “Driver” Within Us
Marriage to Non-Muslims	Unit 3: A Heart for Allāh ﷻ
Marrying Four Women	When Allāh ﷻ Seems Distant
Difficult Questions on Marriage	Tawakkul: Trust in Allāh ﷻ
A Muslim Family	Du’ā: How Does Allāh ﷻ Respond?
Unit 4: General Islamic Topics	A Heart for Allāh ﷻ
Who are the Khalīfah on Earth?	Unit 4: Controlling Our Thoughts
False Piety	Controlling Your Thoughts
Superstition	Maintaining a Relationship
Do Not Transgress Limits	The Power of Forgiveness
Secular and Religious Duties	Reading the Qur’ān
Islamic Views on Racism	Afraid to Think, Forbidden to Ask
Unit 5: Principles of Finance in Islam	Unit 5: A Review of Key Concepts
Public Finance in Early Islam	Lower Your Gaze
Wealth in The Qur’an	‘Ā’ishah (ra): The Child Bride
Islamic Investment	“Strike” in Sūrah An-Nisā’
Language of Investment	The Myth About the Satanic Verse
Faith-Based Wealth Building	How Jesus Became Christ
Managing Earning and spending	Rūh and Nafs
Leading an Interest Free Life	Unit 6: Faith-Based Wealth Building
Unit 6: Islam and the World	Taking financial control early
Islamic Architecture	Fundamental of Finance
Islam in Spain and Portugal	Islamic Investment