



ARAB UNITY SCHOOL

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

YEAR-8

2019 – 2020

A guide for Parents and Students

SUBJECT: Islamic Education

Overview of the year: 8

Islamic Education curriculum focuses on personality and character development. It helps students to learn all the important principles and practices of Islam, study of the Qur'an, the Hadith (saying of the Prophet). As it is very important for the Muslim students to find the correct resources to enlighten them about Islam.

Themes and standards of the Islamic Education Curriculum is set by the Ministry of Education in the United Arab Emirates as follows.

1.Divine Revelation.

Students demonstrate excellent memorization of the Holy Quran with application of Tajweed rules. Students also demonstrate understanding and application of the Quran and Hadith.

2.Islamic Beliefs.

Students demonstrate awareness and belief of the foundations of the belief in Allah. His attributes, His angles, His Books, and His Messengers. Students also demonstrate awareness of the value of the mind and the importance of thinking to reach the truth.

3.Islamic Rulings and Aims.

Students demonstrate knowledge of jurisprudence of worship and perform the rituals of worship correctly. Students also demonstrate knowledge of the jurisprudence of transactions and understand its impact on the community.

4.Islamic Values and Manners.

Students demonstrate understanding and implementation of the individual and social Islamic values and manners.

5.Biographies.

Students draw out the most important principles and lesson learnt from the biography of the Prophet Muhammad (Peace and blessings of Allah be upon him). Students also show commitment to following the example of the prophetic personality and to some prominent Muslim figures who have had a positive impact on Islam and the Muslim society.

6.Identity and Contemporary issues.

Students demonstrate pride in their own personalities, identities and homeland(s).

Students show appreciation of their own heritage and culture. Students show their commitment to customs and traditions. Students show their understanding of contemporary issues and challenges.

Domain /Theme	Topics	TERM -1 -Content	BYOD
Divine Revelation (Holy Quran)	Honesty of the Prophet (Surah Yaseen)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infer the wisdom of sending Messengers. • Figure out the evidences of the truthfulness of the message of our Prophet. • Clarify the positions of people towards the message of Islam. • Explain Allah’s protection towards Qur’an from alterations and distortions. 	Prepare Docufiction on the story of Honesty of the Prophet. (PBUH)
Divine Revelation (Holy Quran)	Rules of Madd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain the concept and letters of Madd. • Distinguish between the types of Madd. • Recite the verses while observing Rules of Madd. • Figure out the examples from the Quran. 	Find in the verses of Surat Ya-Sin (1 – 12) six examples of the rules of madd and indicate their type. (1) Types of madd (2) Example from the Holy Quran or Prepare Docufiction on the types of madd.
Islamic Values and Manners	Sincerity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outline the concept of sincerity. • Explain the virtues of sincerity. • Figure out some real-life examples of sincere people. • Deduce the effects of sincerity on individual and society. • Find out the ways that leads to sincerity. 	Make a Role-play on the topic Sincerity. (2) Make a chart on sincerity: 1) Methods for acquiring it (2) its fruits (3) its indicators (4) its importance (5) its concept.
Identity and contemporary issues	The gift of security	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain the concept of security in Islam. • Infer the importance of security for the individual and society. • Clarify the role of Islam in achieving security of societies. • Deduce the effect of security and stability on the civilization of countries. • Figure out the ways that help to maintain the security. 	Make a short film on the “Awareness of Water”. (2) Research on the positive effects arising from the United Arab Emirates adoption of the values of tolerance in dealing with non-Muslims inside and outside the country.
Islamic Beliefs	Belief in Divine decree and predestination	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clarify the concept of Divine Decree and Predestination. • Infer the importance of belief in Divine Decree and Predestination for the Muslim. • Explain the concept of trust in Allah. • Illustrate the effect of positivity in life. 	We prepare a sermon about Divine Decree and predestination to correct the wrong concept of Divine decree and predestination.

Islamic Rulings and Aims	Prayers for the certain purposes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outline the concept of eclipse, rain and Istihikara prayers. Explain the wisdom of such Sunnah prayers being permitted. Find out the benefits of reverting back to Allah all the time. Demonstrate how eclipse, rain and Istihikara prayers are performed. 	Investigate on the official entity in the United Arab Emirates, which I can consult when I am in doubt regarding a certain jurisprudential rule.
Biographies	Al-Shifa bint Abdullah Al-Adawiya	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the characteristics of the personality of Al-Shifa Figure out the lessons to be learnt from the biography of Al Shifa. Infer the importance of the role of women in serving society. Find out the national models from the UAE of leading women in various fields of life. 	Sheikh Zayed may Allah have mercy upon him said: "women are full partners of men in all fields of life; there is no difference between a man and a woman except in terms of their work." Prepare a presentation with photos that shows the efforts made by UAE in preparing leading cadres and the roles of women in public life.
Domain /Theme	Topics	Term -2 Content	
Divine Revelation (Hadeeth)	The Holiest Mosques	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read and memorize the noble hadeeth. Explain the significance of the hadeeth Explain the qualities of the three mosques. Enumerate the manners that must be observed by the Muslim in the three mosques. 	Research on the efforts made by the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to serve the Holy Mosques and its visitors in the past and present.
Islamic Values and Manners	Travel Manners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outline the benefits of travel in Islam. Enumerate the manners of travel. Deduce the benefits of observing travel manners. Read and memorize travel supplications. 	Design an e-leaflet with photos on safety and security measures that travelers must observe when travelling by land or by air.
Islamic Rulings and Aims	Umrah Rules	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the concept of Umrah. Enumerate the merits of Umrah. Demonstrate how to perform Umrah rituals as well as the associated rules. (2 lessons). 	Make an outline map of Saudi Arabia and mark the Miqats of Umrah
Divine Revelation (Holy Quran)	Secondary Madd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the types of secondary Madd based on Sukoon. Differentiate between the types of original madd and secondary madd based on sukoon. Recite the verses while observing rules of secondary madd. Find out the examples of secondary madd from Quran. 	Search for the madd of difference (Madd Al-Farq) in books of Tajweed, write a summary about it including examples of its application.

Islamic Values and Manners	Social cohesion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain the concept of social cohesion. • Define the fields of social cohesion. • Infer the means that help to achieve social cohesion. • Deduce the benefits of social cohesion on individual and society. 	Research on things done by the Messenger of Allah in Madinah to build a strong cohesive society. Also write short note Madinah charter.
Biographies	I am the best of you to my wives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enumerate the manners of the Prophet when dealing with his family members. • Explain the role of the messenger in the stability of his family. • Infer the importance of family stability for a balanced society. • Assess how individual character is associated with family stability. 	Write a poster introducing the happy family and talk about the contribution of the UAE to building a happy family.
Domain /Theme	Topics	Term -3- Content	
Divine Revelation (Hadeeth)	Modelling good deeds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read and memorize the hadeeth. • Explain the importance of the independent personality of the Muslim. • Figure out the positive qualities of the personality of the Muslim. • Distinguish between following and Imitating. • Identify the dangers of imitation and extremism. 	Search in the Holy Quran for the story of the Yes-men who imitated others who had gone astray and, as a result, went astray themselves
Identity and Contemporary issues	My health is my responsibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain the importance of health. • Explain the Islamic principles concerning prevention of diseases. • Deduce the role of purity in preventing diseases. • Infer the importance of moderation in the consumption of food and drinks. • Figure out the effects of sports in preventing diseases. • Enumerate the UAE's efforts for providing healthcare services. 	Research on the ways for preventing diseases, which the Messenger of Allah has taught us write based on Quran and Hadith. (2) Make a short film on the basis "Awareness of Health".
Islamic Rulings and Aims	Oath and vows	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain the rules concerning oaths. • Determine oath expiation. • Figure out the types of vows. • Find out the situation in which the rules of oaths and vows apply. 	Research on (1) The concept of the oath (2) Oath types (3) The concept of the vow (4) Vow types.
Islamic Beliefs	I read in the name of my lord	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain the merits of reading in Islam. • Infer the importance of reading in the life of the Muslim. • Explain the importance of writing for the reader and the learner. • Figure out the ways for dealing with various sources of reading. 	Research on Electronic means of reading are a double-edged sword.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deduce the role of reading in building human civilization. • Outline the UAE's efforts in strengthening the culture of reading society. 	
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Useful Website links & Islamic Centers in UAE

Website Links	List of Islamic Centers in Dubai:
www.muqith.wordpress.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid centre for Cultural and Social Understanding (women) 04-3455563 • Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid centre for Cultural Understanding 04-3536666 • Islamic Information centre 04-3986950 • Kalemah centre 04-2644115 • Manahel Al Khair centre 04-2862979 • Jumeira Islamic learning centre 04-3949461 • Al Farooq Omar bin Khatab centre 04-3941444 • Indian Islahi centre 04-3939361 • Sunni Cultural centre 04-2669800 • Sunni centre for Islamic Education 04-2685822 • Abu Bakr As Siddiq Islamic centre 04-2973999 • Jamia Saadiya Arabiya Indian centre 04-2719253 • Dubai Kerala Muslim centre 04-2274899 • Dubai Indian Islamic centre 04-2616989 • Anjuman-E-Najmi 04-2717272 • China Islamic Centre 04-4285401 <p>2. Prominent Centers of Islamic Learning, including Qur'an Memorization, in Dubai:</p> <p>1. Al Manar Qur'an Study Centre: An organization aiming at imparting Islamic education to all those who seek the spring of the Holy Book. It is functioning under the patronage of HH Sheikha Hind Bint Maktoum Bin Juma Al Maktoum, wife of HH Sheikh Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President and Prime Minister of UAE and the Ruler of Dubai, and under the supervision of Islamic Affairs and Charitable Activities Department, Dubai. Tel : 00971 4 3394464: http://almanarcentre.com/index.html</p> <p>2. Maktoum Centers for Memorizing the Qur'an, Dubai</p> <p>3. Dar al Ber Society, Dubai</p> <p>This Society has good facilities for learning the Qur'an by heart, Mashaa'Allah. They have separate provisions for men, women and children. Tel 04-3185000 or 04-3306336</p> <p>4. Markaz Al Huda, Twar</p>
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http://almanarcentre.com/index.html	
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