

# Islamic Beliefs

## Aqida

**Level 4**

*(Ages 8-9)*

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## **Lesson one (1)**

### **Articles of Iman**

There are seven articles of Iman; the basics are as follows:

1. To believe in Allah (The Almighty).
2. To believe in His Angels.
3. To believe in His Books.
4. To believe in His Messengers.
5. To believe in The Day of Judgment.
6. To believe in Destiny.
7. To believe in Life after Death.

**Exercise - Please fill in the missing letters:**

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## **Lesson two (2)**

### **Allah Almighty**

1. Allah is The One.
2. He alone is worthy of worship.
3. None is equal to Him in essence (Zaat-His-self), attributes (Siffat)<sup>1</sup>, commands, deeds and names.
4. He knows all hidden and evident things. Past, present and future are equal to Him.
5. He has power and authority on everything. He does whatever He wishes.
6. He alone is the Creator of the Universe.
7. He alone is the real Owner of everything.
8. The benefit and loss of the entire world is in His hand.
9. Everything is bound to His orders.
10. He helps the oppressed and takes revenge on the oppressors.
11. Life and death are in His hand.
12. He provides sustenance for all creatures. He himself does not eat and drink. He tries nor does he sleep.

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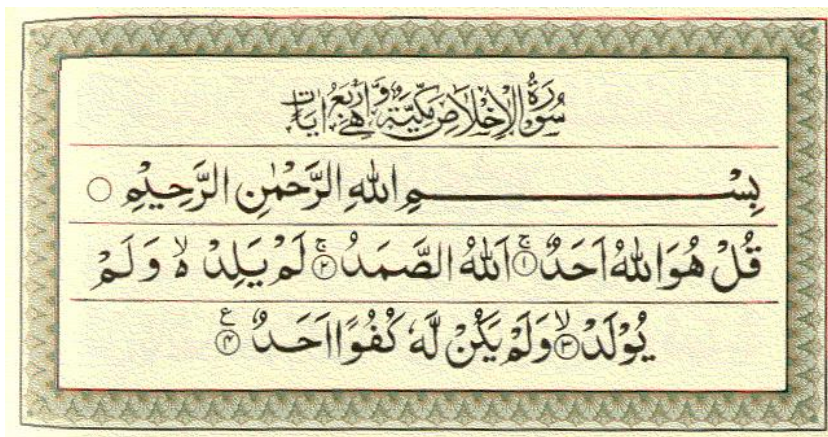
<sup>1</sup>i.e. He is Merciful, Generous, Forgiving etc.

13. He has always existed and He will always exist.

14. He created everything. He was not created by anyone.

### Exercise

Recite Surah Al-Ikhlās with the meaning. All students to learn the Surah with meaning.



### Meaning (from Kanzullmaan)

#### Surah Al-Ikhlās

*Proclaim (O dear Prophet Mohammed - peace and blessings be upon him), "He is Allah, He is One."*

*“Allah is the Un-wanting.” (Perfect, does not require anything.)*

*“He has no offspring, nor is He born from anything.”*

*“And there is none equal to Him.”*

**Recite Surah Al-Ikhlās regularly to obtain great blessings and rewards**

اِيْمَانٍ مُّفَصَّلٍ اٰمَنْتُ بِاللّٰهِ وَمَلٰئِكَتِهٖ وَكُتُبِهٖ  
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مِنَ اللّٰهِ تَعَالٰى وَالْبُعْثِ بَعْدَ الْمَوْتِ ۝

Recite and learn by heart – Imaan-e-Mufasssal

*I believe in Allah and His angels and His Books and His Messengers and The Last Day and Destiny and Life after death.*

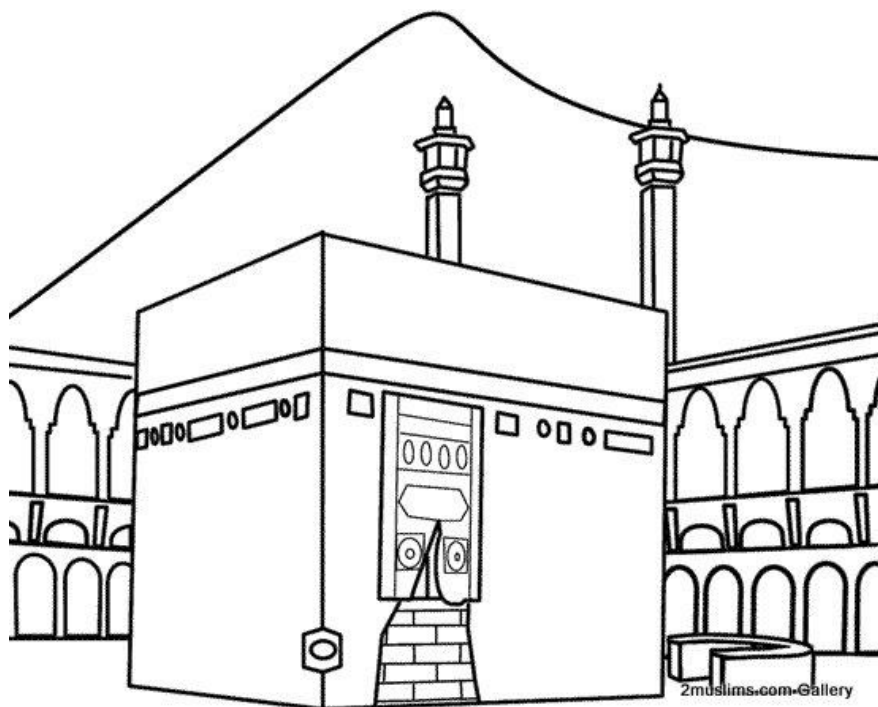
## **Lesson three (3)**

### **Allah Almighty**

1. Allah Almighty did not give birth to anyone nor was He born.
2. He has no kinship. He has no mother, father, son, daughter, brother, sister or wife.
3. There is no comparison to Him. He is unequalled and there is no being like Him.
4. He is free from imperfection, weakness and faults.
5. He has no body.
6. He is Independent. He does not depend on anything. Everything depends on Him.
7. He possesses every good quality.
8. All of His deeds are full of wisdom.
9. No one can see Him with their physical eyes in this life.
10. Our beloved Prophet Sayyidina Muhammad (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam) saw Him on the night of Mi'raj with his physical eyes and it is his unique privilege.
11. Muslims shall see Him in the hereafter.
12. His personal name is 'Allah'. He has many other attributive names. These names are called the Asma-e-Husna (the beautiful Names).

**Exercise:** All class repeat recitation of Surah Al-Ikhlās, with meaning

**Colouring activity**





## Lesson four (4)

### Angels

1. Angels are created from light.
2. They do not have to eat or drink.
3. Their food is to worship Allah Almighty and to praise Him.
4. They can take any form they choose.
5. They are obedient to Allah Almighty.  
They do not disobey His orders, knowingly or unknowingly.
6. They are innocent of all major and minor sins.
7. They are assigned different duties (i.e. give life, death, rain, food etc.)
8. They are neither male nor female.
9. Only Allah Almighty knows their exact number.
10. The slightest disrespect to them is kufr.
11. To deny their existence is also kufr.
12. Generally, Angels are invisible. Select people (Awliya) see them on special occasions.
13. There are four famous Angels  
Sayyidina Jibreel  
Sayyidina Mikaeel  
Sayyidina Israfeel  
Sayyidina Izraeel

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ANGELS  
LIGHT  
INVISIBLE  
JIBREEL  
MIKAEEL  
ISRAFEEL  
IZRAEEL

**Exercise: Please find the following words:**

## Lesson five (5)

### Angels

1. The four Angels are superior to all other angels. (Mentioned in last lesson).
2. Sayyidina Jibreel conveyed the message of Allah Almighty to His Prophets.
3. Sayyidina Mikaeel regulates the rain and distributes the sustenance (food) of all creatures.
4. Sayyidina Israfeel will blow the trumpet on the Day of judgement.
5. Sayyidina Izraeel withdraws the souls of the living things.
6. 70,000 Angels descend to the Green Dome every morning and evening. They recite Durood upon the Prophet (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam) and it will continue until The Day of Judgement.  
*(Let's all recite Durood!)*
7. An Angel is appointed on the Green Dome, who is endowed with the power to hear all creatures. Wherever Durood is recited he conveys it to our Prophet (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam)

## **Exercise – Colouring**

ANGELS ARE  
MADE  
FROM LIGHT  
(NOOR)

## **Lesson six (6)**

### **Angels**

1. Every person is accompanied by two Angels. They record his good and bad deeds. They are called Kiraman Katibeen.
2. Two Angels visit each person in the grave. They ask different question, they are called Munkar and Nakeer.
3. Thousands of Angels took part in Muslim armies and fought against non-believers during the life of our beloved Prophet (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam) to manifest his greatness.
4. The angels have lots of power. One angel can do the work of thousands of men.
5. A group of angels remain in search of Dhikr gatherings on the earth. On finding it, they join in happily.
6. When the gathering ends they return to the court of Allah Almighty and mention their activities to Him.
7. On hearing their activities Allah Almighty says: O my Angels! Be my witness! I have forgiven all the people in that gathering.

**Exercise – Please answer the following questions:**

1 – How many angels descend to the Green Dome every morning and evening, in Madinah?

Answer:

2 – How many Angels are there with every human being?

Answer:

3 – An Angel can do the work of how many men?

Answer:

## **Lesson seven (7)**

### **Divine Books**

Allah, The Almighty, revealed many scriptures including four major books for the guidance of mankind.

1. Ten scriptures to Sayyidina Adam.
2. Fifty scriptures to Sayyidina Shees.
3. Thirty to Sayyidinaldrees.
4. Ten or thirty to Sayyidinalbraheem.
5. The Towrat to Sayyidina Musa.
6. The Zaboor to Sayyidina Dawood.
7. The injeel to Sayyidina Isa.
8. The Qur'an to our beloved Prophet (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam).

All of these books were full of knowledge and wisdom. Muslims believe in these books and respect them. They no longer exist in their original form. These books have been changed and altered. The Qur'an has abrogated all these scriptures, so Muslims only act upon the Qur'an.



**Exercise – Please fill in the boxes below, by putting in the number of books revealed:**

Sayyidina Isa	Sayyidina Adam	Sayyidina Musa	Sayyidina Idrees	Sayyidina Ibraheem	Sayyidina Dawood	Sayyidina Shees

## **Lesson eight (8)**

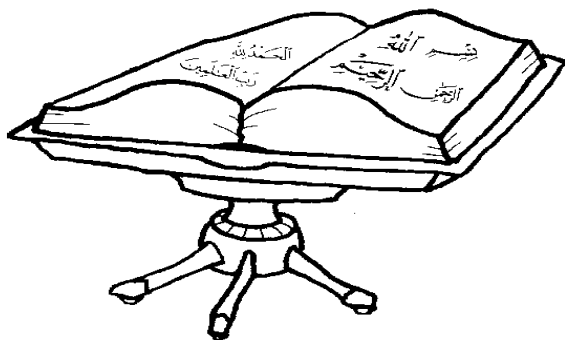
### **The Qur'an**

1. The Qur'an is the final Revelation of Allah (The Exalted). It was revealed to our beloved Prophet (May Allah bless him and grant him peace).
2. The Qur'an exists in its original form. It will remain protected forever. Allah (The Exalted) Himself took the responsibility to protect it.
3. Any type of alteration or modification in its text has neither occurred nor it will occur.
4. The Qur'an is a unique and unmatched book.
5. To produce a book like it is impossible.
6. It was revealed gradually (slowly not all at once).
7. Its revelation was completed over a 23 year period.

8. The first revealed verses were of Surah 'Alaq verses 1-5.(Find in Qur'an)
9. The final verse to be revealed was of Surah Maa'idah verse 3.(Find in Qur'an)

### **Exercise – Colouring**

**Allah ﷻ asked Rasulullah ﷺ to  
teach everyone Allah's words  
in the Qur'an.**



## **Lesson nine (9)**

### **The Qur'an**

1. The longest chapter of the Qur'an is Surah Baqarah (2<sup>nd</sup> Surah in Qur'an).
2. The shortest chapter of the Qur'an is Surah Kowthar.
3. The Qur'an has 30 parts (Para) and 114 Chapters (Surahs).
4. It has two orders of succession; the sequence of revelation and the sequence arranged in book form. Both of them are revelation from Allah (The Exalted). It was not revealed in the order we have it in today.
5. The memorising of the Qur'an by common people is its miracle. Other divine books were memorised by the Prophets alone.
6. Previous books were revealed to certain people and areas. However, the Qur'an is guidance for all humanity. People of all times, areas and nations can benefit from its teachings.

### Exercise – word search.

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QURAN  
REVEALED  
SURAH  
MIRACLE  
FINAL  
UNIQUE  
PROTECTED  
WISDOM

## **Lesson ten (10)**

### **The Prophets**

1. A Nabi is a person to whom Allah Almighty gifted Divine Revelation for the guidance of Mankind.
2. All of them were human beings. They were neither Jinn nor Angels.
3. All of them were men. None of them were women.
4. Divine revelation only came to them.
5. Their dreams are also divine revelations.
6. No one can become a Nabi by his own effort or worship. It is only through the grace of Allah Almighty.
7. They remain free from disgusting things in their ancestry (family), body, speech, practises, habits and customs.
8. Prophethood cannot be taken away. To believe so is kufr.
9. They are absolutely sinless. They remain free from major sins entirely and from minor sins intentionally, before and after the announcement of their Prophethood.

10. They have conveyed the commandments of Allah Almighty to His servants completely. They did not conceal any of them for any reason.
11. Allah Almighty gifted them the knowledge of the unseen.
12. They are superior to all creatures.

**Exercise: Please complete the following sentences:**

<b>1</b>	<b>A Nabi is a person to whom Allah Almighty gifted Divine Revelation for.....</b>	
<b>2</b>	<b>All of them were men. None of them were.....</b>	
<b>3</b>	<b>Their dreams are also.....</b>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Prophethood cannot be.....</b>	
<b>5</b>	<b>Allah Almighty gifted them with.....</b>	



## **Lesson eleven (11)**

### **The Prophets**

1. No one can equal them in their status.
2. To show them due respect is obligatory.
3. Their slightest disrespect is kufr.
4. Allah Almighty sent many Prophets, from Sayyidina Adam, to our Beloved Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace).
5. Assuming their exact number is not permissible.
6. Allah Almighty created Sayyidina Adam without a father or mother.
7. Sayyidina Adam is the first human being.
8. Sayyidina Isa was born without a father.
9. Prophets have distinct grades.
10. Allah has bestowed them with miracles.

11. All of them are very esteemed and dignified in Allah Almighty's court.
12. To mention their lapses other than during the recitation of the Qur'an and narration of Ahadith is strictly forbidden.
13. They are alive in their graves and worship their Lord.
14. Allah Almighty has forbidden the earth to cause harm to their blessed bodies.

**Exercise: Please complete the following sentences**

<b>1</b>	<b>No one can equal a Nabi.....</b>	
<b>2</b>	<b>The slightest disrespect.....</b>	
<b>3</b>	<b>Allah Almighty created Sayyidina Adam without .....</b>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Allah has bestowed them.....</b>	
<b>5</b>	<b>They are alive in their graves and .....</b>	

## **Lesson twelve (12)**

### **The Prophets**

The following Prophets are mentioned in The Qur'an:

1. *Sayyidina Adam*
2. *Sayyidina Idrees*
3. *Sayyidina Nooh*
4. *Sayyidina Ibraheem*
5. *Sayyidina Isma'il*
6. *Sayyidina Is'haaq*
7. *Sayyidina Ya'qoob*
8. *Sayyidina Yoosuf*
9. *Sayyidina Moosa*
10. *Sayyidina Haroon*
11. *Sayyidina Shu'aib*

- 12. Sayyidina Loot*
- 13. Sayyidina Hood*
- 14. Sayyidina Dawood*
- 15. Sayyidina Sulayman*
- 16. Sayyidina Ayyoob*
- 17. Sayyidina Ilyas*
- 18. Sayyidina Al-Yasa*
- 19. Sayyidina Salih*
- 20. Sayyidina Yunus*
- 21. Sayyidina Zul-Kifl*
- 22. Sayyidina Yahya*
- 23. Sayyidina Zakariyya*
- 24. Sayyidina Isa*
- 25. Our beloved Prophet Sayyidina Muhammad  
(Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam)*

***Exercise – How many of the 25 names can you learn off by heart?***

### **Lesson thirteen (13)**

#### **Our Prophet (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam)**

1. He is superior to all the Prophets.
2. The Prophethood of other Prophets was limited to specific people but his Prophethood is for all Mankind and in fact for the whole universe.
3. The period of Prophethood of other Prophets was limited but his Prophethood is for all times.
4. His Light was created from the Light of Allah Almighty directly and the rest of creation came into being through him (not part of Allah).
5. He is the very first creation and existed before all else. Allah Almighty created his light before anything else. His Light remained in His presence until a prescribed time as He willed. Then it was transferred to Sayyidina Adam. This light continued transferring to succeeding generations. Until finally it appeared in the house of Sayyidina Abdullah.

6. He is a human being unlike us, he is the Best of Humanity and the leader of Humanity.

**Exercise – Recite Naat Sharif**



## **Lesson fourteen (14)**

### **Our Prophet (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam)**

1. He is a human being as well as Light.
2. He possesses the distinctions of all the Prophets.
3. Allah Almighty bestowed him with an abundance of unique privileges (specialities).
4. He alone saw Allah Almighty in this world.
5. He alone saw Sayyidina Jibreel in his actual Angelic form.
6. Allah Almighty, bestowed him the keys of all the treasures of the earth and the heavens.
7. All bounties bestowed in this world and the hereafter are realised in the universe through him.
8. His virtues are countless.

9. He is the Final Prophet of Allah Almighty.

**Exercise – Colouring**

THE FINAL AND  
MOST BELOVED  
PROPHET  
(May Allah bless  
him and grant  
him peace)



## **Lesson fifteen (15)**

### **Our Prophet (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam)**

1. Allah Almighty bestowed him with unlimited knowledge, more so than anyone in his creation.
2. It is obligatory for a believer to love him more than all else in the universe.
3. He will be first to Intercede on the Day of Judgement.
4. He will hold the Flag of Praise on the Day of Judgment. All of humanity shall be beneath it.
5. He will be elevated to glorious Station on the Day of Judgment. All humanity will praise him.
6. He will be the first to raise from his grave on the day of Resurrection.
7. He is the reason for the existence of creation. If he was not created, nothing would have been created.
8. It is essential to recite Durood upon hearing, writing and speaking his name.
9. It is forbidden to write the short form of Durood (e.g. S, SAW, and PBUH etc.) after his name.
10. It is desirable/a good deed (mustahab) to kiss the thumb nails and rub them over the eye lids out of love and respect, upon hearing his blessed name (Everybody do this!)
11. He is alive in his grave. He observes the universe. He can go wherever he wills.
12. Pious men see him in dreams and also while awake.
13. Shaytan cannot take his form.

14. He narrated prophecies in abundance (What will happen in future).
15. Offering his Waseelah (intercession) in the Court of Allah Almighty enable prayers to be accepted.

**Exercise – Please answer the following questions:**

1 – When hearing the name of Prophet Muhammad (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam), what must you recite?

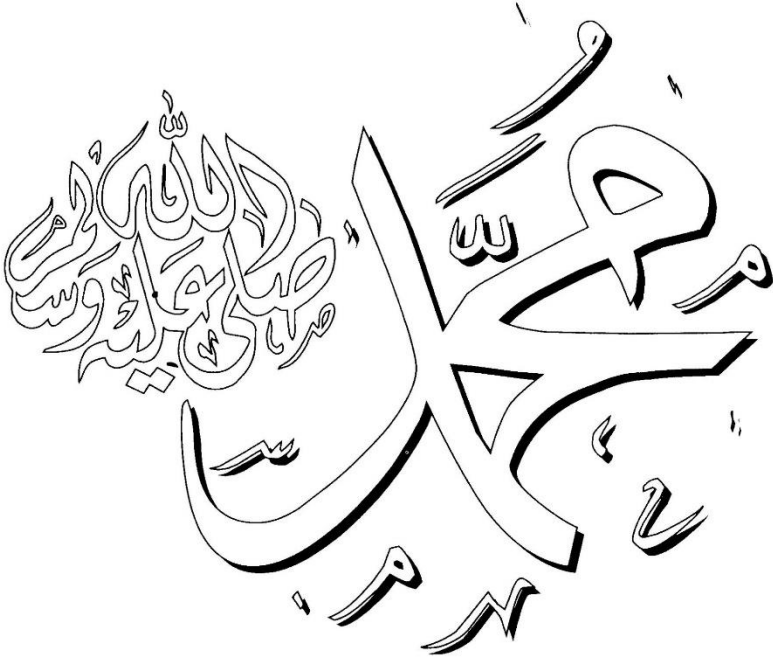
2 – Who can see Prophet Muhammad (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam) in dreams?

3 – Who cannot take the form of Prophet Muhammad (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam)?

4 – What is a desirable act when hearing the blessed name of Prophet Muhammad (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam)?

5 – Who does Allah Almighty love more than any other Nabi?

## Exercise: Colouring



MOHAMMAD ﷺ IS THE WAY TO PARADISE

جشنِ عیدِ میلادُ النبی

## **Lesson sixteen (16)**

### **The Family of the Prophet (Sallallahu Alayhi Wassallam)**

1. Sayyidah Faatimah is one of the daughters of the Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace). His children began only from her. Her descendants are called Aale Muhammad and Sayyid, Ale Rasool etc.
2. It is obligatory for Muslims to respect Sadaat-e-Kiram.
3. It is prohibited for Sadaat to take Sadaqah and Zakaah.
4. The Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) said: These Sadaqaat are dirt (of the wealth or hands) of people and they are not allowed for Muhammad (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) and his family. (Muslim)
5. Muslims should offer them gifts from their pure wealth.
6. The family, children and wives of the Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) are called the Ahle Bayt. They had two distinct qualities;
  1. Relationship to the Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace).

2. Companionship of the Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace). Allah Almighty mentioned their greatness in The Qur'an: O inhabitants of the Prophet's house! Allah Almighty intends to remove impurity from you and to purify you thoroughly." (Al Ahzab: 33)

The Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) mentioned their virtues as well: "The example of my Ahle Bayt is like that of the Ark of Sayyidina Nuh. Whoever embarks it will survive and whoever remains behind will perish." (Mishkat)

"My Ahle Bayt are the Aman (safe Keeping) for my Ummah."  
(KanzulUmmal)

"The first ones to drink from the Fountain of Kauthar will be my Ahle Bayt and those who loved me." (KanzulUmmal)

"The most-firm footed ones on the bridge on the Day of judgment will be those who love my Ahle Bayt and Companions the most."  
(KanzulUmmal)

The Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace), Sayyidina Ali, Sayyida Fatima, Sayyidiman Hasan and Sayyidina Imam Hussain are collectively called Panj Tan Paak (five pure ones). The wives of the Prophet are collectively known as Azwaaj e Muttahharaat (pure wives) or the Ummahaat ul Mu'mineen (mothers of the believers).

**Exercise – Please answer the following questions:**

1 – What two qualities did the Ahle Bayt have?

2 – Please provide one virtue of the Ahle Bayt?

3 – Who are the five pure ones (Panj Tan Paak)?

## **Lesson seventeen (17)**

### **The blessed Companions (Sahaba)**

1. A Sahabi is a person who met our beloved Prophet Muhammad (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) in his physical life whilst awake and in the state of Iman and he remained a Muslim until his death.
  2. All blessed sahabah were just, pious and respectable.
  3. The Prophet said: Respect and honour my sahabah because they are more excellent and better than you. (Mishkat)
  4. The blessed sahabah are criterion for faith and guidance.
  5. Whoever follows their path is on the path of true guidance.
  6. Whoever disregards their path goes astray.
- The Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) said:

“My Companions are like the stars. Whoever you follow from them, you will surely find guidance.” (Mishkat)

7. Sayyidina Abu Bakr Siddique has the highest rank amongst them, then Sayyidina Umar-e-Farooq, Sayyidina Uthman-e-Ghani and Sayyidina Ali.

8. These four blessed sahabah also called the four friends (Chaar Yaar).
9. In this order they are the first four Caliphs of Islam.

### Exercise: Word Search

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Sahabi  
Pious  
Respected  
Guidance  
AbuBakr  
Uthman  
Umar  
Ali



## **Lesson eighteen (18)**

### **The blessed companions (sahaba)**

1. After the Companions such as Sayyidina Talha, Sayyidina Zubair, Sayyidina Abdur Rahman bin Auf, Sayyidina Da'd bin Abi Waqqas, Sayyidina Sa'id bin Zaid and Sayyidina Ubaidah bin Jirah have great rank and superiority.
2. The aforementioned ten blessed sahabah are also called Ashrah Mubasharah (10 guaranteed Paradise). The Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) gave them glad tidings of Paradise during their life at once.
3. The Caliphate remained on the Prophetic way for 30 years.
4. Debates about the disputes between sahabah are strictly forbidden.
5. All blessed sahaabah will enter Paradise. Causing insult to any of the blessed sahabah results in harm to the beloved Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace).
6. Insolence towards any Sahabi is strictly forbidden.

7. A non sahabi can never be equal to a sahabi in status regardless of how great a saint he is.
8. The fortunate Muslims who lived with the blessed sahabah are called Tabi'een. The privilege Muslims who saw the Tabi'een are called the Tab'e Tabi'een.

**Exercise: Please complete the missing words**

<b>A sahabi is a person who...</b>	
<b>The blessed Sahaba are criterion for....</b>	
<b>Whoever disregards the path of the Sahaba...</b>	
<b>The Prophet(may Allah bless him and grant him peace)said, "My companions are like....."</b>	

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## **Lesson nineteen (19)**

### **The Saints (Awliya)**

1. Wilaayat (sainthood) is a special gift of Allah Almighty which He bestowed upon His unique and beloved servants.
2. This status can also be obtained through the pursuits of knowledge, excellence, worship and thought.
3. Awliya is plural of Wali.
4. Wali is a special servant of Allah Almighty who sacrifices all his desires in order to show utmost sacrifices to Allah Almighty and His Prophet and obeys their orders throughout his life.
5. A wali can never be ignorant of essential Islamic in his life.
6. His deeds can never oppose Shari'ah.

7. A person who considers himself exempt from the laws of Shari'ah cannot be a Wali. The Awliya-e-Kiram the true heirs of the Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace). Allah Almighty grants them special spiritual powers.
8. They have ability to perform miracles (Karamat).
9. They help people, with the permission of Allah Almighty before and after their death.
10. The needs of others are fulfilled through their blessings. Respect and admiration for them leads to success in this world and the next. To seek the help of Allah Almighty through invoking them is permissible in Islam.

**Exercise – Write 3 sentences to explain what you have learnt this lesson.**

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## **Lesson twenty (20)**

### **The Saints (Awliya**

1. They are alive in their graves.
2. Visiting their shrines is a source of great blessings.
3. To convey the reward of good deeds to them is a liked act in Islam and a source of blessings.
4. This leads to their special spiritual attention towards us.
5. Remembrance of their greatness and dignity is an act full of the blessings of Allah Almighty.
6. We should try our best to follow in their footsteps.
7. Thus we can achieve the pleasure of Allah Almighty.

8. Here are the names of some famous saints.

- Shaykh Abdul QadirJilani,
- Khaja Muinud din Chishti,
- Shaykh Baha ud Din Naqashbandi,
- Shaykh Shihabud Din Suharwardi,
- Data Ganj Bakhsh Ali Hujweri,
- Sultan ul Aarifeen Sultan Bahu.

**Exercise: Please answer the following questions:**

1 – What is the plural of Wali?

Answer:

2 – The Awliya have the ability to perform what?

Answer:

3 – Visiting the shrines of Awliya is a source of what?

Answer:

4 – Name one wali of Allah.

Answer:

## **Lesson twenty-one (21)**

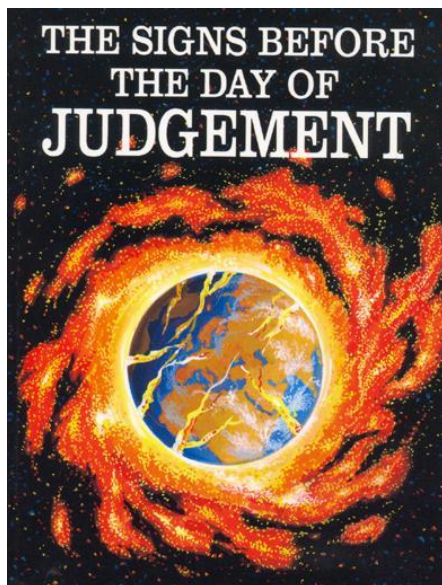
### **The Day of Judgment.**

Our beloved Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) mentioned the signs of the Day of Judgement in detail.

They are two types;

1. The minor signs
2. The major signs.

**Exercise: Class discussion on what was learnt from last year about the major and minor signs before moving onto the next lesson (teacher to write on board).**





## **Lesson twenty-two (22)**

### **Minor Signs of Qiyamah**

Some minor signs are below;

1. Knowledge will disappear. Ignorant people will become leaders.
2. There will be an abundance of ignorance.
3. Adultery will be very common. It will be performed like animals.
4. Females will outnumber males.
5. There will be an abundance of wealth.
6. It will be difficult to act upon the teachings of Islam.
7. Times will pass very quickly (difficult).
8. It will be a burden upon people to pay Zakaah.
9. Religious knowledge will be sought for the sake of worldly benefits.
10. Husbands will become obedient to their wives.
11. Children will prefer their friends over their parents.

12. Children will disobey their parents.
13. People will shout in the mosques.
14. Dancing and singing will be very common.
15. Descendants will curse their forefathers.
16. Animals will speak.
17. Immoral people will be respected.
18. Those worthy of respect will be insulted.
19. Shepard's will live in palaces.
20. Women will be naked despite wearing clothes.
21. Women will adopt the lifestyle and appearance of men.
22. Men will adopt the lifestyle and appearance of women.
23. There will be successive chaos.
24. Breaking of promises will become common.
25. Evil people will be respected for their oppression (evil).

**Exercise: Please fill in the boxes below, with minor signs of Qiyamah  
– 10 from the 25 listed above**

<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b>	
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## Lesson twenty-four (24)

### Major Signs of Qiyamah

#### Dajjal

This is an individual with a devilish character. He will bring severe chaos. He will make a journey of the entire earth except Makkah and Madinah in just forty days.

He will be accompanied by a fake Hell-fire and Paradise. Those who believe in him will enter into his Paradise, and those who disbelieve in him, will enter into his Hell. He will show amazing things. He will command the earth and it will grow plants. He will order the clouds and it will rain. He will even give life to the dead.

He will be unable to enter Makkah and Madinah. There will be three earthquakes during that time in Madinah. Only those people will leave Madinah who will believe in Dajjal according to the knowledge of Allah Almighty.

It will be clearly written on his forehead "Kaaf Faa Raa." It will be visible only to the true Muslims. At the end of his journey, he will reach Syria.

**Exercise: Please answer the following 4 questions**

1 – What kind of character will Dajjal have?

Answer:

2 – Which two cities will Dajjal not be able to enter?

Answer:

3 – Where will Dajjal reach at the end of his journey?

Answer:

4 – How many earthquakes will there be in Madinah during the time of Dajjal?

Answer:

DAJJAL =  
EVIL

## **Lesson twenty-five (25)**

### **Major Signs of Qiyamah**

#### **Sayyidina Isa**

At the same time, Sayyidina Isa will appear on the eastern minaret of the mosque of Damascus. Dajjal will begin to dissolve with the fragrance of Sayyidina Isa's blessed breath as salt dissolves in water. Dajjal will try to flee. Sayyidina Isa will chase him and launch a spear into his back. Thus he will be killed.

In the age of Sayyidina Isa, everybody will become wealthy. There will be plenty of wealth. There will be love and affection everywhere. Sayyidina Isa will break the Cross and will kill the swine (pig).

People of the Book (Christians and Jews) will believe in him. There will be only Islam everywhere. There will be true peace. Children will play alongside snakes. Lions and goats will graze at one place.

Sayyidina Isa will live for forty years. He will marry and have children. He will be buried inside the shrine of the Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) in Madinah.

#### **Imam Mahdi**

Due to kufr everywhere, all friends of Allah Almighty, will migrate to Makkah and Madinah. It will be the month of Ramadhan. The Awliya who are amongst a group called the Abdaal will be performing

Tawaaf of the Kaba. Imam Mahdi will be among them. The friends of Allah Almighty will recognise him. They will request to pledge allegiance to him. He will refuse.

Suddenly, a voice will be heard from the unseen. "This is Imam Mahdi; a deputy of Allah Almighty. Hear and obey him."

The people will pledge their loyalty to him and he will lead them to Syria. Simultaneously, at dawn, Sayyidina Isa will appear. Sayyidina Isa will follow him in the fajr prayer. Sayyidina Imam Mahdi will be called Muhammad. His father will be called Abdullah and his mother will be called Aminah.

Then Sayyidina Isa will take all Muslims to Mount Toor at the order of Allah Almighty.



**Exercise: The following statements apply to Sayyidina Isa or Imam Mahdi – please circle the correct answer**

.....will appear on the eastern minaret of the mosque of Damascus	<b>SAYYIDINA ISA</b> <b>IMAM MAHDI</b>
..... will be among them. The friends of Allah Almighty will recognise him.	<b>SAYYIDINA ISA</b> <b>IMAM MAHDI</b>
“This is .....; a deputy of Allah Almighty. Hear and obey him.”	<b>SAYYIDINA ISA</b> <b>IMAM MAHDI</b>
People of the Book (Christians and Jews) will believe in him.	<b>SAYYIDINA ISA</b> <b>IMAM MAHDI</b>
He will be buried inside the shrine of the Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) in Madinah.	<b>SAYYIDINA ISA</b> <b>IMAM MAHDI</b>

In the age of ....., everybody will become prosperous. There will be abundance of wealth. There will be love and affection everywhere.	<b>SAYYIDINA ISA</b>  <b>IMAM MAHDI</b>
The people will pledge their allegiance to him and he will lead them to Syria.	<b>SAYYIDINA ISA</b>  <b>IMAM MAHDI</b>
..... will be called Muhammad.	<b>SAYYIDINA ISA</b>  <b>IMAM MAHDI</b>

## **Lesson twenty-five (25)**

### **Major Signs of Qiyamah**

#### **Yajooj and Majooj**

When the Muslims reach Mount Toor, Yajooj and Majooj will appear. They will be in such large numbers that just a group of them will drink and finish the water of a river ten miles long. They will cause destruction and murder everywhere. Once they finish causing chaos on the earth, they will say: "We have killed the residents of the earth; let us now kill the residents of the skies."

On saying this they will fire their arrows into the skies. By the will of Allah Almighty their arrows will come back with blood on them.

Now by the supplication of Sayyidina Isa worms will infest their necks. Due to this, they will die. Sayyidina Isa will then come down from Mount Toor. Due to the foul smell of their decaying dead body. Sayyidina Isa will pray again.

Flocks of big birds will come and carry away their decaying corpse. Then it will rain and there will be greenery everywhere and an abundance of sustenance (food).

#### **Smoke**

After the death of Sayyidina Isa, once again ignorance will slowly begin to spread throughout the world. Then a specific type of smoke will begin to spread from the skies and it will spread over the earth.

This smoke will create darkness throughout the world. It will last forty days.

### **The rising of the sun from the west**

After the spreading of the smoke the eleventh night of Dhul Hijjah will be very long. The following day the sun will rise from the west with a very pale light. The sun will rise but before reaching its usual height it will begin to set again. After the sun will rise from the east as usual. Once the sun rises from the west the doors of forgiveness will close. From then on, nobody will be granted forgiveness.

### **Animal of the earth**

This will be a very large animal with amazing features. He will rise from Mount Safa the day following the rising of the sun from the west. It will travel the world very quickly.

It will have the staff of Sayyidina Musa in one hand and the ring of Sayyidina Sulayman in the other. It will make a shining mark on the foreheads of Muslims with the staff and a black mark on the foreheads of the Kuffar with the ring. Now Islam and kufr will become well-known. This sign will never change. This way the Muslims will become distinguished from the non-Muslims.

A long period will pass after the demise of Sayyidina Isa. Just 40 days before Qiyamah, a cool, fragrant breeze will blow, due to which all Muslims will die. Qiyamah will establish only on the Kuffar.

Exercise: Word Search

Y	S	D	F	G	M	E	R	Y	D
F	A	E	R	A	A	C	D	S	E
O	W	J	D	R	J	V	M	F	S
R	T	G	O	R	O	R	B	O	T
G	F	B	R	O	O	A	C	R	R
I	T	R	Y	W	J	I	I	E	U
V	G	E	C	S	V	N	F	H	C
E	N	E	F	G	H	J	T	E	T
N	I	Z	F	R	T	A	B	A	I
E	N	E	V	B	N	F	C	D	O
S	I	A	N	I	M	A	L	S	N
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R	S	T	Y	U	I	Y	V	B	N
X	S	U	N	F	O	R	T	Y	M
W	E	S	T	R	T	E	C	E	B
D	N	F	G	H	J	N	C	K	B
R	K	T	Y	U	G	E	B	O	B
C	R	V	B	N	H	E	U	M	E
W	A	C	X	B	I	R	D	S	T
S	D	T	N	A	R	G	A	R	F

- YAJOOJ
- MAJOOJ
- DESTRUCTION
- ARROWS
- WORMS
- BIRDS
- RAIN
- GREENERY
- SMOKE
- DARKNESS
- FORTY
- SUN
- WEST
- FORGIVENESS
- ANIMAL
- SAFA
- SHINING
- FOREHEADS
- FRAGRANT
- BREEZE

## Lesson twenty-six (26)

### Major Signs of Qiyamah

#### Qiyamah

No Muslims will remain at all. There will be kufr everywhere. People will be busy in their own work. Suddenly, Qiyamah will be established. Allah Almighty will order Sayyidina Israfil to blow the trumpet. He will comply. At first, the sound of the trumpet will be low. It will gradually increase. Until finally, it will become horrifying. Everyone will fall unconscious and then die.

An enormous earthquake will shake the earth. Mountains will float in the sky like cotton. The sun, moon and stars will all perish and become lightless. Everything in existence will become non-existent. Nothing will exist except Allah Almighty. On that day Allah Almighty will say:

***For whom is the Kingdom today?***

Allah Almighty then Himself will answer:

***“It is for non but Allah Almighty, The only One, The Destroyer.”***

#### Resurrection

Almighty Allah will revive Sayyidina Israfil and restore the trumpet, which will be blown again. After its blowing, everyone will re-exist.

First of all the Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) will come out from his grave holding the hand Sayyidina Abu Bakr in his right hand and Sayyidina Umar in his other right.<sup>2</sup>

All of mankind will go to the Field of Resurrection. It will be a fearful day. The earth will be of copper. The sun will be just one mile above the earth. We cannot even imagine the heat of that day. The degree of heat that is felt will depend on ones deeds. Everyone will be worried about their own suffering, that day will be equal to 50,000 years of worldly life. For pious people it will last just a few moments.

### **The great intercession**

In those circumstances, people will look for someone to present their case in the court of Allah Almighty, and intercede for them, they will approach Sayyidina Adam, Sayyidina Nuh, Sayyidina Musa, and Sayyidina Isa (peace be upon them). The people will declare the greatness and dignity of these Prophets and request for their intercession. All of them will proclaim: “We are worried about ourselves. We can’t present your case in the court of Allah Almighty.”

Finally, they will approach Our Beloved Prophet. He will announce, “Today, this Rank is only for me.” He will enter the Court of Allah Almighty and will prostrate in Sajdah before Him.

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<sup>2</sup> Out of respect the Awliya Allah did not refer the Prophet’s left hand but the other right hand.

Allah Almighty will say, "O Muhammad, Raise your head.  
Speak, you will be heard.  
Request, you will be granted.  
Intercede, your intercession will be accepted."  
Thus he will obtain the release from Hell for all believers.



**Exercise: Exercise: Please circle the correct event, which applies to the statement**

The day when Our Beloved Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace) will announce, "Today, this Rank is only for me."	Qiyamah Resurrection Intercession
It will be a fearful day. The earth will be of copper. The sun will be just one mile above the earth.	Qiyamah Resurrection Intercession
Allah Almighty will say, "O Muhammad (may Allah bless him and grant him peace), Raise your head. Speak, you will be heard. Request, you will be granted. Intercede, your intercession will be accepted."	Qiyamah Resurrection Intercession

An enormous earthquake will shake the earth.	Qiyamah Resurrection Intercession
Everyone will be worried about their own suffering, that day will be equal to 50,000 years of worldly life.	Qiyamah Resurrection Intercession
Allah Almighty will order Sayyidinalsrafil to blow the trumpet. He will comply.	Qiyamah Resurrection Intercession

## **Lesson twenty-seven (27)**

### **Major Signs of Qiyamah**

#### **The books of deeds**

On the day of judgement, everyone will be given his books and deeds. Virtuous people will hold it in their right hands. Sinful people will hold it in their left hands. The chests of unbelievers will be ripped open and their hands will be taken out from their backs and then they will be handed their records.

**Dua: O Allah! Grant our teachers, us and our families and friends all the books of deeds in our right hand, Ameen!**

#### **Calculation of deeds**

This will be in many ways. Some peoples deeds will be counted secretly while others openly. Some of them will be treated very harshly. Some righteous people will enter Paradise without calculation.

**Dua: O Allah! Enter our teachers, us and our families and friends into Paradise without calculation, ameen!**

#### **The scale of justice**

This is a Divine balance. All good and bad deeds will be weighted on it. This scale will be unlike the scales of this world. Its plate of good deeds will rise upwards.

**Dua: O Allah! Make our teachers, us, our families and friends good deeds outway our bad deeds, ameen!**

## **Lesson twenty-eight (28)**

### **Major Signs of Qiyamah**

#### **The bridge over hell**

This has been spread over the Hell. It is finer than a hair and sharper than the edge of a sword. Everyone will have to pass over it. It will be the only way to reach Paradise. Our Prophet will cross it first. People will cross it at different speeds. Some of them at the speed of lightening. Some of them by crawling like ants. The speed will vary between these two extremes. Some people will fall into hell. Our Prophet will be present and will be praying for the salvation of his followers.

**Dua: O Allah! For the sake of Your beloved give us the ability to go pass the bridge without realising.**

#### **Paradise**

This is created for the believers. The beauty of its blessings is unimaginable. Everything it contains is extremely beautiful. It is made of gold, silver, musk, and precious stones. It has rivers of water, milk,

honey and heavenly wine. All kinds of foods and drinks will be available.

There will not be any type of un-cleanliness. People will have different grades according to their worldly deeds. They will have servants. They will have what they wish. The most respectable people of paradise will have the honour of seeing Allah Almighty and His beloved Prophet (may Allah bless him and grant him peace).

### **Hell fire**

It is fearful place. Its affliction and sufferings are unimaginable. Its flames will be the size of huge mountains. Its depth cannot be calculated. It is said in the Ahadith that if a stone is thrown into hell, it will take more than 70 years to reach its bottom.

There will be a punishment of fire and of coldness. Hell will contain snakes, scorpions and poisonous animals. Thirsty sinners will have to drink boiling oil. The people of Hell will be in different degrees of suffering according to their worldly deeds. Only non-believers will remain in hell forever. The sinners from among the believers will ultimately go to Paradise.

## **Lesson twenty-nine (29)**

### **Major Signs of Qiyamah**

#### **Destiny (Fate)**

#### **Taqdeer**

1. Allah (The Exalted) has the knowledge of everything before its creation.
2. Allah (The Exalted) has given human beings the will power and the ability of doing good or bad.
3. Allah's knowledge of what good or bad one would do even before one is created is called Taqdeer or Destiny. The reason it is written is because the person was going to do it and not because Allah has written it.
4. All favours are by Allah's will alone and no misfortune can happen except by the will of Allah (The Exalted).
5. Therefore we should not despair over any misfortune or boast over any favour. This teaches us that we should be thankful to Allah (The Exalted) for his favours and patients over any misfortune.

**Activity:** Discuss and write on board favours and misfortunes.

### **Lesson thirty (30)**

#### **Major Signs of Qiyamah**

#### **The Life After Death**

1. After the day of Judgement when everything will be destroyed, Sayyidina Israfeel will be ordered to blow the Soor (horn) for the second time.
2. Once again every person that lived on this earth from the time of Sayyidina Aadam up to the final day would be given new life.
3. They will all gather before Allah for judgement in field of resurrection (Maidan-e-Hashar).
4. They would have to give an account of their deeds.
5. The day on which this will be done is called:
  - a) Day of Resurrection (Yaum al Hashar).
  - b) Day of Judgement (Yaum al Jaza and Yaum al Deen).
  - c) Day of reckoning/account (Yaum al Hisab).
6. The good would be blessed and rewarded with Paradise (Jannah)
7. The evil ones would be punished in Hell (Jahannam)



8. Besides the Non believers (Kafir) and Polytheist (Mushrik) Allah (The Exalted) will forgive whomsoever He wishes.
9. Kuffar – Plural of Kafir meaning one who disbelieves in Allah (The Exalted).
10. Mushrikeen – Plural of Mushrik meaning one who associates with Allah (The Exalted) any partner in His being or attributes.

## Exercise

### Word search

I	S	R	A	F	E	E	L	J	Israfeel
Q	O	W	E	R	T	Y	J	A	Hashar
A	O	K	A	F	I	R	A	N	Mushrik
S	R	D	F	J	G	H	H	N	Soor
H	A	S	H	A	R	J	A	A	Jannah
Z	X	C	V	Z	B	N	N	H	Deen
I	H	I	S	A	B	K	N	M	Jahannam
P	O	I	D	E	E	N	A	U	
S	A	Q	W	E	R	T	M	Y	
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