

Islamic Knowledge Competition: Study Notes Age 6 & 7

(Participants of this group must learn the contents of Study Notes for Group A)

Recitation from memory:

sooratul FatiHa and Shahaadah (Compulsory):

Shahaadah

Ash-hadu an LA ILAHA ILLA-Ilaah wa

ash-hadu-anna-muhammadan Abduhu wa rasooluhu

Recitation-soorah

(Will be asked to recite randomly 2 from the following suwar):

Al-Asr, An-Nas, Al-Kawsar, Al-Ikhlās, Al Falaq, Al-Lahab, Al-Nasr & Al- Kafiiron

Recitation- adhkaar/duAa

(Parents/Teacher: teach the participants to memorize the dhikr/duAa & the occasions. The meanings are for understanding only. Participants will be asked to say randomly from the following dhikr and duAa)

dhikr: *The best way to remember Allaah all the time is to say some phrases which remind us of Allaah during different times of the day.*

Bismillaah *In the name of Allaah*

We say this when we begin something. eg. before reciting the Qur'aan, eating, getting into a car, etc.

Alhamdulillah *Praise be to Allaah We say it to thank Allaah. We also say it when we sneez.*

Yarhamuka-Allaah *May Allaah bless you*

We say it when we hear someone sneeze.

Assalamu Alaikum *Peace be on you*

We say it when meeting a Muslim.

Walaikum Assalam *Peace be on you too*

We say it in reply of Assalamu Alaikum

Insha'-Allaah *If Allaah wishes*

We say it when hoping to do something in the future or make a promise.

Subhan-Allaah *Glory be to Allaah*

We say it to praise someone or when we see something amazing.

Masha-Allaah *Allaah has willed it*

We say this in happy occasions, when hearing good news or when giving appreciation to someone.

Fi Amanillaah *In the protection of Allaah*

We say it when we say farewell to someone.

Jazak-Allaahu Khairan *May Allaah give you the best reward*

We say it to thank someone.

Astaghfirullaah *I seek Allaah's forgiveness.*

We say it when we feel sorry for something bad we thought, said or done.

aOodhubillaahi minash-shayTaan-nir-Rajeem *I seek refuge in Allaah from shayTaan We say it before reciting the Qur'aan. We also seek Allaah's protection from shayTaan (devil) by saying it so that shayTaan cannot trick us.*

duAa (Supplication):

To seek guidance, help and benefit from Allaah, the All-Mighty.

Before going to bed

Bismika Allaahummah amootu wa aHyaa *In the name of Allaah we die (go to sleep) and get life (wake up again).*

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After waking up in the morning

Alhamdulillah-hilladhee aH-yaanaa ba'da maa amaataanaa wa ilayhin-nushoor. Praise and thanks to Allaah who gave us life after having given us death and to **Him** is our final return.

Before entering the washroom

Allaahumma inni 'aOodhubika minal KHub-thi wal KHabaa'ith

Oh Allaah! I seek refuge in You from male or female devils.

duAa for Leaving the washroom

Ghufraanak

I seek your forgiveness.

duAa For knowledge

Rabbi Zidni Ilma

Oh Lord, increase our knowledge

duAa For parents

Rabbir hamhuma kama rabbayani sageera

My Lord! Bestow your mercy to them (my parents) like that they were with me when I was in my childhood.

Verbal Quiz:

(Will be asked to answer 10 questions randomly from the following over the phone)

Learn the meaning

Allaahu Akbar- Allaah is the Greatest

Subhan Allaah - Glory be to Allaah

Bismillaah- In the name of Allaah

Alhamdulillah - All praises are for Allaah

Astaghfirullaah I seek Allaah's forgiveness

aOodhubillaahi minash-shayTaan-nir-Rajeem I seek refuge in Allaah from shayTaan

Learn about Allaah

Allaah is one.

Allaah made us.

Allaah made the mountains, the rivers and the flowers.

Allaah made the Sun, the moon, the stars and the sky.

No one created Allaah.

Allaah has no partners.

Allaah has no father or mother.

Allaah has no sons or daughters.

We cannot see Allaah.

Allaah sees us all the time.

We are Allaah's servants.

Allaah is our Lord and Master.

Allaah will be pleased with us if we do the following:

- Pray Salaah 5 times daily.
- Respect our parents.
- Remember Allaah at all times.
- Read the Qur'aan.
- Help the needy.
- Be kind to everyone, including animals.
- Always keep promises.

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Learn about Prophets

Prophets of Allaah are:

Aadam عليه السلام, Idrees عليه السلام, Nooh عليه السلام, Hood عليه السلام, SaaliH عليه السلام, Ibraheem عليه السلام, Haroon عليه السلام, IsmaEel عليه السلام, IsHaaq عليه السلام, Loot عليه السلام, YAQoob عليه السلام, Yousuf عليه السلام, Shu'aib عليه السلام, Ayyub عليه السلام, Moosa عليه السلام, Dhul kifl عليه السلام, Daawood عليه السلام, Sulaymaan عليه السلام, Ilyaas عليه السلام, Al-YasAر عليه السلام, Younus عليه السلام, Zakariyyah عليه السلام, YaHyaa عليه السلام, Eisaa عليه السلام & Muhammad (s).

Aadam عليه السلام is the first Prophet.

Muhammad (S) is the last Prophet of Allaah. We have to say Sallallaahu Alayhi Wasallam after the name of Prophet Muhammad.

We have to say Alayhis salaam after the name of the other Prophets.

Our prophet is Muhammad (S).

Muhammad was born in Makkah.

His mother's name was Aminah.

His father's name was Abdullaah.

Learn about the Qur'aan

The Qur'aan is the book of Allaah.

Allaah sent Qur'aan to Prophet

Muhammad (s) through Angel Jibreel عليه السلام. The first soorah of the Qur'aan is Sura Fatiha. The last soorah is Sura Nas.

Smallest soorah is soorah Al Kawthar.

Other small suwar are soorah Ikhlas and soorah Al Asr.

Verbal questions on performing Salaah

Participants will be asked to answer basic things regarding Salaah, wuDoo' & Azan

Learn how to pray.

Learn the steps for performing wuDoo' (ablutions) and Salaah

Learn the timings for five-time prayers

Learn how to call Azan

[Click for details of wuDoo' and Salaah.](#)

[Click for details of Azaan.](#)

Guide for Parents and Teachers

Teach the participants to memorize the dhikr & the occasions.

- The meanings are for understanding only. Participants will be asked to say randomly 'what to say when'

Discuss with your children:

- Read books for your children related to Basic of Islam.
- Suggested Book: Islam for Young People • Give the children specific words/phrases to help them to verbalize their prayers. Practice this throughout the year.

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Example: Words/phrases of Sura Nas

Bismillaahi-(a)r-Rahmani-(a)r-Rhahim,

In the name of Allaah, most gracious, most merciful, *Qul'a'udhu*

bi-Rabbi-(a)n nas,

I seek refuge with the lord and cherisher of mankind,

Maliki-(a)n-nas

the king of mankind,

'Ilaahi-(a)n-nas the judge of mankind,

Min-Sharri-(a)l-wasasi-(a)l-khannas,

from the mischief of the Whisperer of evil,

'Alladhi yuwaswisu-fi suduri-(a)n-nas,

who whispers in the hearts of mankind,

Mina-(a)l-jinnati wa-(a)n-nas.

among Jinns and among men.

• Hadith to Discuss:

Abi Musa Al-Shaarai narrated that Prophet

Muhammad said:

"Allaah created Aadam from a handful of dust taken from different lands, so the children of Aadam have been created according to the composition of the land. Therefore, from mankind we have white, red, black, and yellow ones; we have good and evil, ease and sorrow, and what comes in between them."

- **Basic knowledge about Allaah, our creator.**
- **Why and how Aadam عليه السلام was created.**
- **About Iblees and the reason he did not bow down to Aadam عليه السلام.**
- **Take a trip through the woods, a garden, or your own backyard and stop and study the beautiful creations of**

Allaah. Discuss that the earth is beautiful, but paradise is far more beautiful than the earth.

- **Ask the child to imagine the beauty of paradise. Have the child draw or paint of picture depicting how they imagine the Garden of paradise may have looked.**

- **Review Prophet Aadam's عليه السلام story focusing on his message, his life in Paradise, creation of Hawa, eating from the forbidden tree, sent to Earth.**

- **The early boyhood of Prophet Muhammad (S)**
- **Listen to The Creator song on Muslim children Songs or visit: [Muslim children Songs](#)**

Discuss the importance Salaah:

Give the children specific words/phrases to help them to verbalize their prayers. Practice this throughout the Ramadan.

Example: Words/phrases of Salat

- **Allaahu Akbar: Allaah is Most Great.**
- **A'oozu Billaahi Minash shaytaa-nir Rajeem: I seek refuge with Allaah from the accursed devil.**
- **Bismillaahi-(a)r-Rahmani-(a)r-Rhahim: In the name of Allaah, most gracious, most merciful.**
- **Subhaana Rabbiyal Azeem: I am narrating the Glory of my GREAT PROTECTOR.**
- **Saami 'Allaahu Liman Hamidah: Allaah listens to him who Praises HIM.**
- **Subhaana Rabbiyal 'Alaa: I am declaring the Glory of my OWNER, the MOST-HIGH.**