



**AL-ABRAAR
ACADEMY**

QURANIC MEMORIZATION PROGRAM (TAHFEEDH AL QUR'AN/HIFZ PROGRAM)

The act of committing the Holy Qur'an to memory holds profound significance in Islam, bestowing esteemed recognition upon those who achieve this milestone as Huffaz, garnering elevated respect within the Muslim community.

Ibn 'Amr, narrates the Prophet (Sallallahu Alaihi wasallam) said: "It will be said to the companion of the Qur'an after he has entered Paradise, 'Recite, and rise!' For every verse he recites he will rise one level (in Paradise), until he recites the last verse with him (i.e., in his memory)."
(Abu Dawood)

STRUCTURE OF THE PROGRAM

The Hifz program is meticulously designed to enable students to commit the entire Qur'an to memory while ensuring the continuity of progress in other academic domains. The pace of advancement in Hifz is tailored to individual capacities. Nonetheless, as a guiding principle, all students enrolled in the Hifz class are anticipated to complete the course within four academic years.

At Al Abraar Academy, the Hifz classes are divided into two levels: the Preliminary Hifz class and the Hifz class. Each level has distinct expectations, outlined below :

Preliminary Hifz Program Expectations:

- * Aim to complete 1 Juz every 2 months, encompassing both memorization and comprehensive revision, culminating in a Juz test.
- * Ideally, the objective is to memorize 4.5 Juz within a year.
- * Mandatory participation in both morning and evening classes, including Saturday morning sessions.
- * Maintain a minimum attendance rate of 95% throughout the year.
- * Unauthorized absences will result in stringent consequences.
- * Establish and adhere to a consistent routine of daily revision and recitation.

Hifz Program Expectations:

- * Strive to complete 1 Juz every 6 weeks, involving both memorization and thorough revision, culminating in a Juz test.
- * Ideally, the goal is to memorize 6.5 Juz within a year.
- * Compulsory participation in both morning and evening classes, including sessions on Saturday mornings.
- * Uphold a minimum attendance rate of 95% throughout the year.
- * Unauthorized absences will be met with stringent consequences.
- * Cultivate and maintain a consistent routine of daily revision and recitation.
- * Establish and adhere to a consistent routine of daily revision and recitation.

Daily Presentation to the Teacher Each day

Students present three aspects of their memorization to the teacher:

- * Newly memorized lessons (sabaq) – Morning only
- * Lessons from the recent past (sabaq para) – Morning / Evening
- * Revision (dohr) – Evening Only

ASSESSMENTS

The teacher assesses each of these three elements on a daily basis. Upon successfully completing a Juz, a compulsory Juz test is conducted, and progression is permitted only upon passing this test. Additionally, two formal examinations are held annually to assess students' advancement.

HIFZ COMMITMENT

Attaining success in the Hifz course requires unwavering commitment from students, complemented by active support from their parents. To foster a common understanding and ensure the fulfillment of responsibilities, specific terms are jointly established. It is paramount that both parents and the student comprehend the level of dedication – often necessitating significant sacrifices – essential to attain this esteemed privilege.

Parents and students must also appreciate the need to strike a harmonious balance between the Hifz Course and the National Curriculum subjects to safeguard the student's academic progress from any adverse effects caused by undertaking the Hifz Course.

To successfully complete the memorization of the entire Qur'an, students are expected to diligently memorize the specified amounts detailed in the Expectation section on a daily basis throughout their Hifz journey. These targets may be subject to revision following consultation with the Head of the Hifz teacher for students who may encounter challenges in completing the entire Qur'an.

It's imperative for parents to recognize that acceptance into their preferred option remains at the discretion of the Head Teacher, who retains the authority to withdraw a student from the program in consultation with parents if adequate progress is not being achieved or if continuing with the preferred option is found to detrimentally impact a child's academic advancement.

HIFZ RECORD BOOK

Each Hifz student receives a Hifz record book containing essential information about the program, academic objectives, and daily progress records. This book serves as a tool for teachers to document progress and is available for parents to review

LEARNING REVIEW SESSIONS

Will be held with the student and parent/guardian every three months. This will provide opportunity for you and your son to receive feedback and update on his progress, consolidate his learning and address any concerns and issues with his teacher and the Madrasha

ADMISSION

Requirements Due to high demand, securing a place in the Hifz class is competitive. All students undergo assessments with the Head Teacher in Tajweed and Qur'anic recitation before being considered for admission. Only those students demonstrating competence in Tajweed and recitation are eligible for enrollment in the Hifz class.

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