

SALAAM ACADEMY's Quran and Qaai'dah Curriculum

Qai'dah:

Simple Steps in Quran reading book and Graded steps in Quran reading book.

Quraan:

Juzz A'mma (Beginners)

Suratul Baqarah onwards (Intermediate and Advance).

Tajweed:

Basic Rules of Tajweed (Makhaarij, Sifaat, Ghunnah, Madd, Qalaqalah, Tafkheem and Tarqeeq)

AIM:

To equip all Salaam Academy students with sufficient knowledge of Tajweed and to be competent enough to recite Quran in the manner it was revealed upon the Prophet Muhammad (Sallallahu Alyhi Wasallam).

Qaai'dah Intermediate level's Curriculum

Qaaidah: Graded steps in Quran reading

Unit 22 – Unit 37

Units to cover in the 1st Term: Autumn (12 September - 20 December)

Unit 22 – Unit 27

Units to cover in the 2nd Term: Spring (9 January - 28 March)

Unit 28 – Unit 32

Units to cover in the 3rd Term: Summer (17 April – 25 July)

Unit 33 – Unit 37

OBJECTIVES:

- Recognition of the letters.
- Correct pronunciation of the letters.
- Familiarity of the vowels both name and sound.
- Capable of reading the word with the correct spelling method.
- Knowledge of the Madd letters and how they work.
- Ability to distinguish four counts and six counts Madd letters.
- Huroof Muqatta'h.
- Knowledge of Hamzatul Wasl rules.
- Reading the word of Allah correctly and knowing the rules.
- Awareness of special signs.

Note: Some students may have covered unit 22,23 in Qai'dah beginner level, still they have to repeat from unit 22.

Guidelines for Qa'idah/Quran teachers

- Primarily purpose of the class is to focus on Quran recitation and tajweed lessons but no harm to cover general manners/tafseer of the ayat if the teacher has covered the bulk of the lesson.
- Taking the attendance register at the beginning of the class is of the upmost importance.
- Please keep the parents up to date by sending the homework on the Parents WhatsApp group.
- Feel free to inform the administration regarding any issues related to a particular student/class/online class for example a student who is underperforming, bad attitude or any other concerns.
- Second last and last week of each term is for revision/assessment for both Quran and Tajweed.
- The first 10/15 minutes of the lesson is an excellent time to explain the Tajweed/Qai'dah rulings and to establish the objectives of the lesson.
- Tajweed lessons are bi-weekly. (first week for the new lesson and following week for the revision of the same lesson).
- Group reading of the lesson by the students at the beginning of the lesson.
- Please do listen to each student.
- Variation in listening, for example allow a student to read throughout the whole lesson in one go, or sometimes rotating the lesson between the students by letting them read one or two lines/ayaat.
- Repetition is the key for Qai'dah and Quran lessons, so therefore it is better to have a lesson as whole group rather dividing the students into mini groups.
- It is very important that the students follow the one who is reading rather than being pre-occupied in reading individually.
- New lesson for the next week should be read by the teacher in a bite size fassion and the students should read after the teacher.
- To cover the curriculum in each term, it is recommended to have homework consisting of the following:
 - 5-7 lines at the beginner level.
 - 10 lines at intermediate level.
 - A page at advance level.
- With the aim of incentivising the students, it would be a good idea to have a 'winner/best student of the class' in each lesson.
- To keep students, interact and more engage, it is better to have five minutes break whenever it is needed during the lesson and have some light stuff to share such as manners, common sense questions, funny quiz etc.
- To maintain optimum levels of student interaction and engagement, it would be better to have a 5 minute break whenever it is needed during the lesson and allow the students the luxury of some light knowledge based interaction such as points on manners, common sense questions or a funny quiz etc.
- Qai'dah is taught with spelling method at the beginner and the intermediate levels.
- Qai'dah is taught without spelling method at the advance level.
- In Qaidah book, line number 9 of the following lessons should be left, (unit 8,9,18,19,21,24) and should be covered at the advance level.