LESSON 16: Organisation of Jamaat

GOALS: - to gain knowledge of the key auxiliaries i.e. Lajna, Nasirat, Atfal, Khuddam, and Ansar

- -to understand the role of each department within the auxiliaries, i.e. Finance, Talim,
- -to gain more confidence in the Jamaat

*It is important to note that depending on the converts' background, these words and the system of Jamaat may all be very new and difficult for them to grasp. It will take a long time for the convert to use the words in the right context and possibly to pronounce them correctly.

The format for approx. 30-40 min session.

TIME	ACTIVITY	SUGGESTIONS	RESOURCES
5 min	Icebreaker. Use this time to check in with the convert, see how things are going, address any concerns.	A strong connection is key to a successful relationship with the convert. Ask about: -school/university -children/family -remember points previously discussed -remind about any upcoming events	Nasirat Syllabus
10-15 min	Explain the main auxiliaries, Lajna, Nasirat, Atfal, Khuddam and Ansar. And the separate departments.	Keep it simple and use visuals i.e. whiteboard or PowerPoint or diagrams. *take the opportunity to mention Lajna Chanda	Page 172
15-20 min	Ask the Nau Mubai'at to complete the attached quiz, at least 10 questions, for the convert to do which is designed to make the convert think and identify who performs which roles in the Jamaat. After completing the quiz once, you can change the questions but following the same theme.	-Have realistic expectations. Although the Jamaat system will be covered in this lesson, it will take time to fully learn, understand and remember. It will take effort and patience.	

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Quiz for the Nau Mubai'at

Question 1: I am aged 25 and female, to which auxiliary organisation do I belong?

- a) Lajna
- b) Nasirat
- c) Atfal
- d) Khuddam

Question 2: At what age does my daughter become a Nasirat?

- a) 7
- b) 15

Who Am I?

Question 1: I am responsible for the young girls in my Majlis, that are aged between 7-15.

- a) Local Sadr
- b) Nasirat Secretary
- c) Isha'at Secretary

Question 2: I am responsible for the 'religious education and training' for all Lajna in my Majlis.

- a) Talim Secretary
- b) Tarbiyat Secretary
- c) Isha'at Secretary

Question 3: I am responsible for all female members in my Majlis.

- a) Health and Fitness Secretary
- b) Sadr Sahiba
- c) Lajna

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Question 4: I run the monthly meetings if my Sadr Sahiba is absent.

- a) General Secretary
- b) Naib Sadr
- c) Talim Secretary

Question 5: I am the female president.

- a) Sadr Sahiba
- b) Sadr Sahib

Financial Contribution

Question 1: If I am not working, am I required to pay Chanda Aam?

- a) Yes
- b) no

Question 2: I need to pay my contribution towards Tehrik-e-Jadid, to whom should I give it?

- a) Local Sadr
- b) Tehrik-e-Jadid Secretary
- c) Finance Secretary

Question 3: I need to pay my contribution towards Membership Chanda, to whom should I give it?

- a) Local Sadr
- b) Finance Secretary
- c) Tehrik-e-Jadid Secretary