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TA'LIM LESSON PLAN

FEBRUARY 2025



1. STUDY OF THE HOLY QURAN WITH COMMENTARY

This month we will begin the study of Surah Al Buruj (Chapter 85) verses 1-12 of the Holy Quran.

As you study these verses and their commentary, consider the following questions:

- Who may The Buruj, or 'mansions of stars' mentioned in verse 2 represent?
- Verse 3 of this Surah refers to the Promised Day. What may this signify according to the commentary of this verse?
- In the commentary of verse 4, who does 'Shahid' and 'Mashhud' refer to?

Resource: Ta'lim Syllabus Pages 199 - 207

Five Volume Commentary of the Holy Quran – Volume 5, Page 3347

<https://files.alislam.cloud/pdf/Five-Volume-Commentary-Vol-5.pdf>

2. COMMANDMENT OF THE HOLY QURAN – SELF REFLECTION

Allah Almighty commands us in Surah Al Baqarah (Chapter 2) verse 239:

حَفِظُوا عَلَى الصَّلَوَاتِ وَالصَّلَاةِ الْوَسْطَى

“Watch over your Prayers And in particular the middle Prayer”

Citing this verse of the Holy Quran in his Friday Sermon of 15th February 2008, Beloved Huzur (aba) said that “various commentators have interpreted the term 'middle prayer' differently; it is an instruction in principle and 'middle prayer' can be applied to different people in accordance to their leanings towards worldly matters or their laziness that may make them negligent towards observing Salat. It can be the specific time for different people during a day when their attention diverts elsewhere by satanic enticements. If we can overcome this then consider that we safeguard our Salat and in turn Salat will indeed safeguard us. It is a continuous effort. This indeed is the condition of true obedience and one that brings about purification.”

Reflecting on this important commandment of the Holy Quran, consider how we can ensure we continually watch over our Prayers and overcome the challenges that lead to weakness or laziness in regularity and punctuality in Prayers.

Resource: Ta'lim Syllabus Page 213

Friday Sermon 15th February 2008

<https://www.alislam.org/friday-sermon/2008-02-15.html>

3. IQAMATUS SALAT: CURING INSPIDITY IN PRAYER – GENERAL MEETING TOPIC

As part of your General Meeting, discuss how one can find pleasure in offering Salat? What has the Promised Messiah (as) taught us in regards to this? To facilitate your discussion, utilise the resources listed below.

Resource: Ta'lim Syllabus Pages 220 - 221

Friday Sermon 16th December 2022

<https://www.alislam.org/friday-sermon/2022-12-16.html>

Q/A with Beloved Huzur (aba)

<https://www.alislam.org/question/how-can-one-attain-pleasure-delight-in-salat/>

4. MALFUZAT: MORALS ARE THE SIGN OF A PERSON'S VIRTUE – TALIM WORKSHOP

In your Talim workshop this month, please reflect on the writings of the Promised Messiah (as) in regards to what are morals, and the lofty morals of the Holy Prophet (saw) who was the most perfect model and example of every moral quality. What are the means to attaining high moral qualities? What do we learn from the life of the Holy Prophet (saw) about high moral excellence?

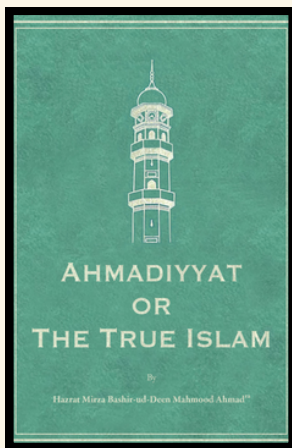
Resource: Ta'lim Syllabus Pages 226 - 230

5. BOOK OF THE YEAR – AHMADIYYAT OR THE TRUE ISLAM

As you continue to study this book, this month we will focus on the Second Objective of Religion (page 164). As part of self study, please reflect on the following points:

- What are the different stages of moral qualities?
- What are the means to acquire good morals and avoid evil ones as described in this book?

Resource: <https://www.alislam.org/book/ahmadiyyat-true-islam/>



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