

The Holy Qur'an

- 1 5 mins Introduction to the Unit and Work**

- 2 5 mins Discuss all the Holy Books**

- 3 15 mins Students to answer multiple choice question based on Etiquettes of the Holy Quran**

- 4 3 mins Highlight the respect and etiquette that should be shown to the Holy Quran**

- 5 27 mins Read the extract from Golden Deeds of Muslims and answer the questions. The answer should be put in to the crossword.**

- 6 10 mins Go through Surah Fatiha & it's translation.**

Learning Objectives/Aims

- 1 Understand the etiquettes of The Holy Qur'an**
- 2 Understand the importance of The Holy Qur'an**
- 3 Understand and learn the basics of Surah Fatiha**

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Holy Books of Religions

Allah the Almighty has sent different messengers with different scriptures or holy books. The Holy Quran says:

(Al-Nisa') [Verse : 137](#)

O ye who believe! believe in Allah and His Messenger and in the Book which He had revealed to His Messenger, and the Book which He revealed before it. And whoso disbelieves in Allah and His angels, and His **Books** and His Messengers and the Last Day, has surely strayed far away.

It is essential for a Muslim to believe in all the books of Allah which came about in different religions.

What are the other books which have come in different religions?

Etiquettes of the Holy Quran

Answer the multiple choice questions

- 1) Where should you store the Holy Quran?
 - a) on the floor
 - b) in a high place
 - c) anywhere
- 2) How should you cleanse yourself before reciting the Quran?
 - a) have a bath
 - b) go swimming
 - c) perform ablution
- 3) Complete the following Hadith: 'One who does not recite the Quran in a:
 - a) pleasant voice
 - b) loud voice
 - c) low voice
 is not from among us' (Bukhari)
- 4) The best way to recite the Holy Quran has been described by Allah in the Quran itself is: **وَرَتَّلِ الْقُرْآنَ تَرْتِيلاً** – which of the following is the correct meaning:
 - a) And recite the Quran quickly
 - b) And recite the Quran silently
 - c) And recite the Quran slowly and thoughtfully

- 5) When the Holy Quran is being recited which of the following should you do:
- a) start talking b) keep silent c) start eating
- 6) On the subject of listening to the Holy Quran while it is being recited, Allah says: **وَإِذَا قُرِئَ الْقُرْآنُ فَاسْتَمِعُوا لَهُ وَأَنْصِتُوا لَعَلَّكُمْ تُرْحَمُونَ**
- Complete the correct translation:
- 'And when the Qur'an is recited, give ear to it and keep silence
- a) that you may be given money' b) that you may be given food'
- c) that you may be shown mercy'
- 7) So that we can understand the Quran better we should also read its:
- a) translation b) cover
- 8) The practice of '*itikaf*' is observed in the last ten days of Ramadan in remembrance of Allah and His worship. The Holy Quran is recited regularly in this period. The Holy Prophet ﷺ enjoined to recite the Holy Quran during '*itikaf*' in:
- a) a lower voice so as to not disturb the other worshippers
- b) a high voice so that everyone could hear
- 9) Hadhrat Hafez Raushan Ali رضى الله تعالى عنه , was one of the companions of the Promised Messiah عليه السلام . It is said that he used to recite the Quran in a:
- a) angry voice b) soft voice c) melodious voice
- 10) A person who has committed the Holy Quran to memory is called a:
- a) Maulana b) Hafiz c) Imam

Word of God (excerpts taken from Golden Deeds of Muslims)

The word 'Quran' literally means that which is recited, announced or proclaimed. It is the collection of the verbal revelation bestowed upon the Prophet ﷺ during a period of about 22 years and is the very word of God. The first revelation comprising only a few verses, was revealed to the Holy Prophet ﷺ on the mount of Hira. Thereafter, it continued until his death. Whenever any portion of the Quran was revealed to him, he committed it to memory. Many of his followers did the same as they heard it. Some of them even wrote the verses on anything available like pieces of leather, bark of trees or stones. In order to safeguard it, the Prophet ﷺ had also appointed several persons who recorded in writing as soon as a revelation was received.

The Holy Quran is the book most often recited and quoted throughout the world. It is obligatory for every Muslim to participate in five Prayer Services during the day. The greater part of these prayers is composed of portions of the Holy Quran. Thus a Muslim recites a portion of the Holy Book every day. In addition most of them start their day with a recitation from it.

All Muslims learn to read the Holy Quran in Arabic, even if that may not be their own language. Almost every Muslim knows some chapters of the Book by heart and in each generation there are hundreds of thousands of people who can recite the whole Book from beginning to end from memory.

The Holy Quran has been translated into all the major languages of the world and the work continues to be carried on. The Quran has 114 chapters, called 'Suras'. Each chapter, except the ninth begins with the invocation 'In the name of Allah, Most Gracious, Ever Merciful'.

A Muslim has to believe not only in the Quran but also in all the Books sent by God to previous Prophets from time to time. Unfortunately, none of the previous Books retained its original text intact.

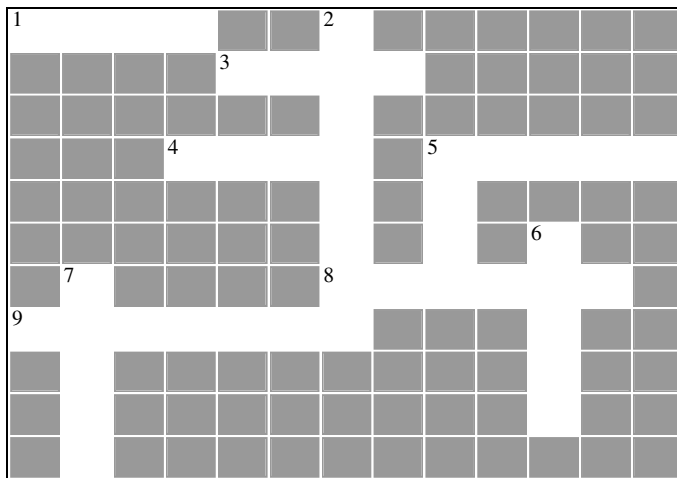
In the Holy Quran, mention has been made of Adam, Abraham, Joseph, David, Solomon, Jesus and several other Biblical Prophets (Peace be upon them all). They are honoured as true Messengers of God.

The Holy Quran contains several prophecies relating to later times, some of which have already been fulfilled. For example, it prophesied about the time when quicker means of conveyance would be used. It also mentioned about the extension of the earth, a prophecy which is fulfilled in a way when man set his foot on the moon. It claims that all heavenly bodies revolve round in different orbits. Even the sun is moving towards a definite goal.

The Holy Quran provides a solution for every problem of the world. It is a Book of guidance for the people of all ages.

Put the answer of each question in the crossword.

Holy Quran Crossword Puzzle



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| <p>1. What is the name of the first biblical Prophet mentioned?</p> <p>3. Where did man travel to outside the earth about which the Holy Quran refers to?</p> <p>4. On which mount were the first verses revealed?</p> <p>5. At what point of the day do most Muslims recite the Quran?</p> <p>8. In what language is the</p> | <p>2. Which prophet was the Quran revealed to?</p> <p>5. What is another word for chapter?</p> <p>6. Which chapter does not begin with 'In the Name of Allah, Most Gracious, Ever Merciful?'</p> <p>7. What is the name of the last Biblical Prophet mentioned?</p> |
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Holy Quran read?
9. What does the word
Quran actually mean?

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Learn Surah Fatiha & its translation

The Holy Quran : Chapter 1: Al-Fatihah

[1:1] In the name of Allah, the Gracious, the Merciful

بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ ①

[1:2] All praise belongs to Allah, Lord of all the worlds,

الْحَمْدُ لِلَّهِ رَبِّ الْعَالَمِينَ ②

[1:3] The Gracious, the Merciful,

الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ ③

[1:4] Master of the Day of Judgment.

مَلِكِ يَوْمِ الدِّينِ ④

[1:5] Thee alone do we worship and Thee alone do we implore for help.

إِيَّاكَ نَعْبُدُ وَإِيَّاكَ نَسْتَعِينُ ⑤

[1:6] Guide us in the right path --

اهْدِنَا الصِّرَاطَ الْمُسْتَقِيمَ ⑥

[1:7] The path of those on whom Thou hast bestowed Thy blessings, those who have not incurred Thy displeasure, and those who have not gone astray.

صِرَاطَ الَّذِينَ أَنْعَمْتَ عَلَيْهِمْ ۗ غَيْرِ الْمَغْضُوبِ عَلَيْهِمْ وَلَا الضَّالِّينَ ⑦