Majlis Atfal ul Ahmadiyya UK National Online Ta'lim Class

Age 11-15 years

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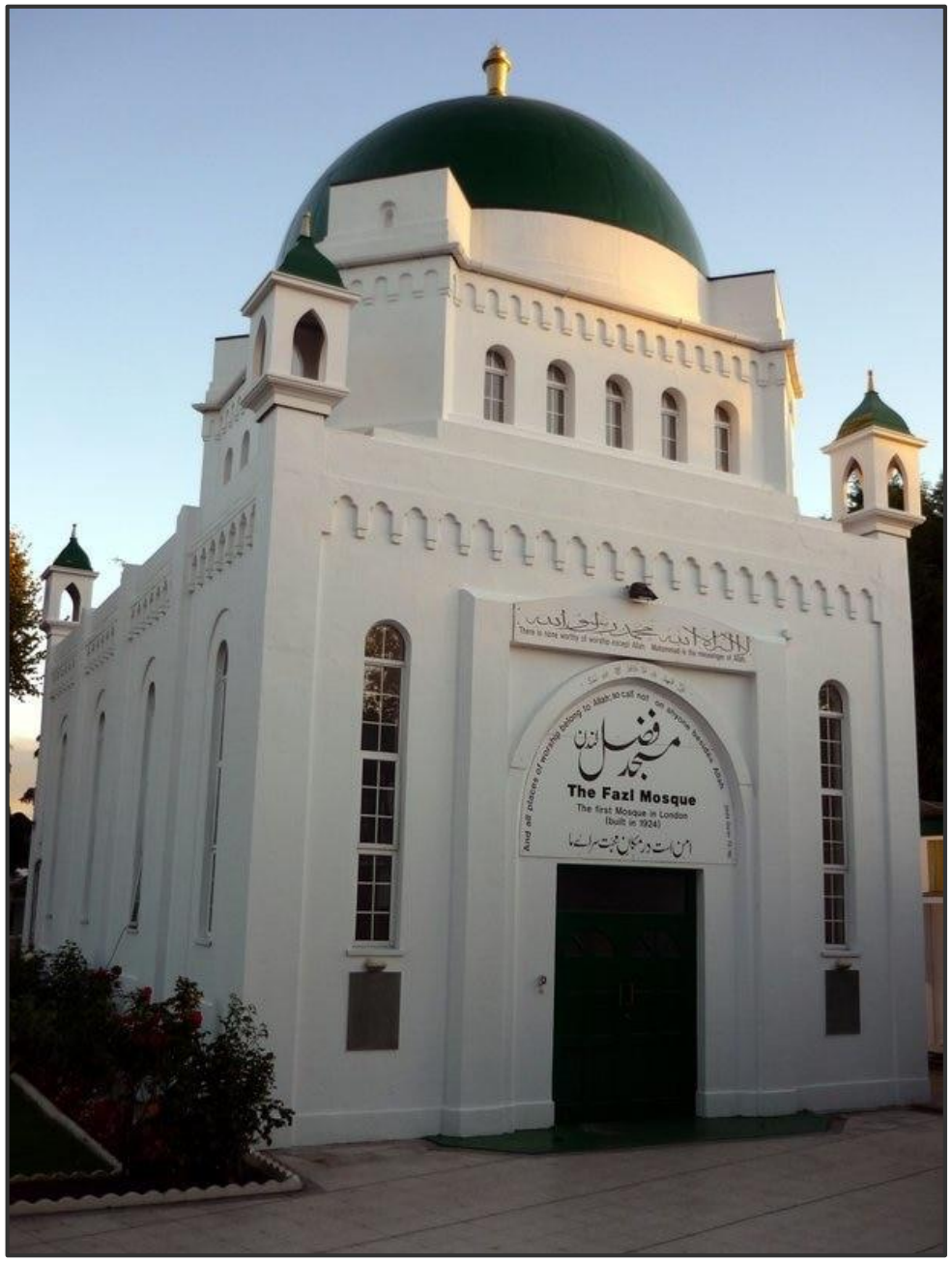

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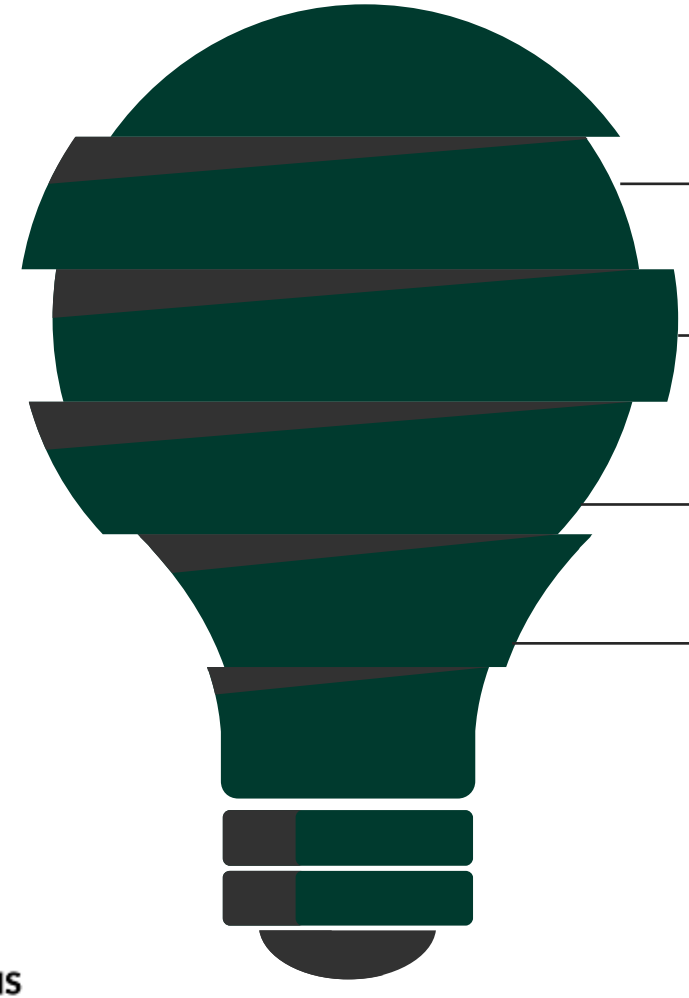

Welcome to the Online Ta'lim class, organised by Majlis Atfal-ul-Ahmadiyya UK

This Class is for 11-15 year old Atfal only. Ask your regional nazim for the link to the class for younger Atfal if you do not fall in this age group

Please take this time to make sure your regional nazim knows that you are present in the class

If you are facing any technical difficulties, please ask your parents for assistance or consult the Atfal guide on the Atfal website

THE CLASS WILL BEGIN SHORTLY

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“Would anyone like to share what they have done in the past week?”

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Learning Section

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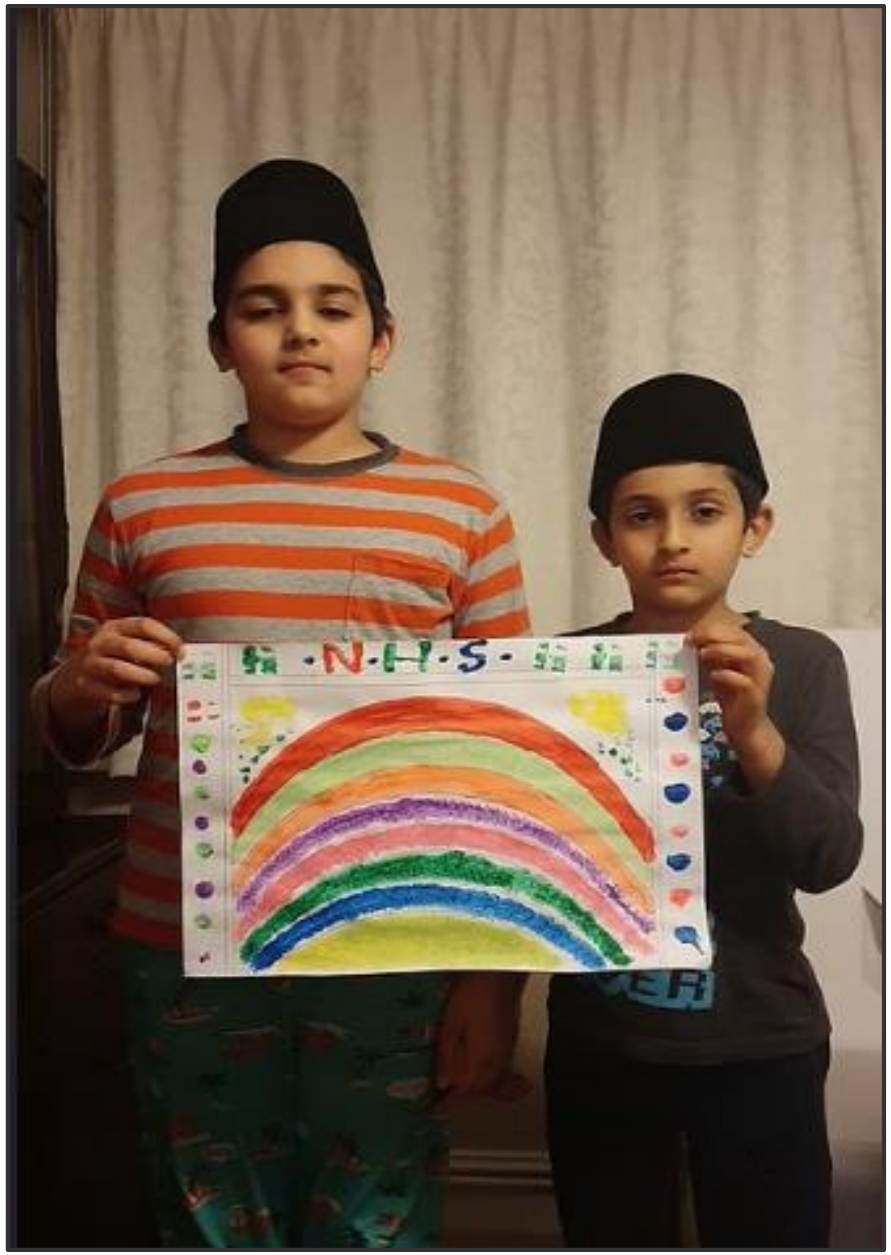
Promised Messiah (AS)



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Hadith

لَا يَشْكُرُ اللهَ مَنْ لَّا يَشْكُرُ النَّاسَ

La yashkurullaha malla yashkurun nas

One who is not thankful to people is not thankful to Allah

What does it mean to be grateful to people?	How can we be thankful to people? How can we be thankful to Allah?	Can you think of any other Hadith this can relate to? (“I was hungry but you didn’t feed me….”)	What does this tell us about huqooqul ibaad?

History of Islam: Islam in Yathrab & First Bait at Aqabah

Islam in Yathrab

- The Holy Prophet (sa) happened to meet the people of Yathrab.
- When the Holy Prophet inquired as to their genealogy, he found that they belonged to the Khazraj, and had come from Yathrab.
- In an extremely loving tone, the Holy Prophet (sa) said to them, "Can you people listen to a few things I have to say?"
- They said, "Yes, what do you say?" The Holy Prophet (sa) took a seat and invited them to Islām.
- The Holy Prophet (sa) recited a few verses of the Holy Qur'ān.
- He informed them of his mission. These people looked at each other and said, "This is our opportunity, lest the Jews excel us," and saying this, they all became Muslim.

- These were six people, whose names are as follows: Abū 'Umāmah As'ad bin Zurārah (ra), Auf bin Ḥārith (ra), Rāfi' bin Mālik (ra), Qutbah bin 'Āmir (ra), 'Uqbah bin 'Āmir (ra) and Jābir bin 'Abdullāh bin Rummān (ra).
- This group of 6 people took leave of the Holy Prophet (sa).
- When they were leaving they said: "We have been greatly weakened by civil war, and there are many disagreements between us. We shall go to Yathrab and preach Islām to our brothers. How remarkable would it be that Allāh the Exalted may gather us again through you. Then we shall be fit to assist you in every way."
- This group of 6 left, and due to them, Islām began to find popularity in Yathrab.

History of Islam: Islam in Yathrab & First Bait at Aqabah

First Bait'at at Aqabah – 12 Nabawi'

- This year was spent in Makkah by the Holy Prophet (sa) in concern and anticipation for the people of Yathrab with regards to their physical means. The Holy Prophet (sa) would often think, 'Let us see the outcome of these six converts, and if there are any signs of success in Yathrab or not?'
- The Muslims saw that the leaders of Makkah and the chieftains of Ṭā'if had sternly rejected the mission of the Holy Prophet (sa).
- The cruelties of the Makkans were growing day by day.
- The Holy Prophet (sa) had his eyes set in the direction of Medina.
- The occasion of Ḥajj came
- The Holy Prophet (sa) very avidly left his home and reached 'Aqabah, near Minā, and looked here and there.
- The Holy Prophet (sa) noticed a small group of the people of Yathrab.
- This small group immediately recognized the Holy Prophet (sa).
- This small group came forward and met the Holy Prophet (sa) with extreme love and sincerity.
- This time there were twelve people, among whom five were converts of the previous year and seven were new. They belonged to both the Aus and the Khazraj.
- Their names are as follows: Abū 'Umāmah As'ad bin Zurārah, 'Auf bin Ḥārith, Rāfi' bin Mālik, Qutbah bin 'Āmir, 'Uqbah bin 'Āmir, Mu'ādh bin Ḥārith, Dhakwān bin 'Abdi Qais, Abū 'Abdur-Raḥmān Yazīd bin Tha'labah, 'Ubādah bin Ṣāmit, 'Abbās bin 'Ubādah bin Naḍlah, Abul-Haitham bin Tayyihān and 'Uwaim bin Sā'idah.

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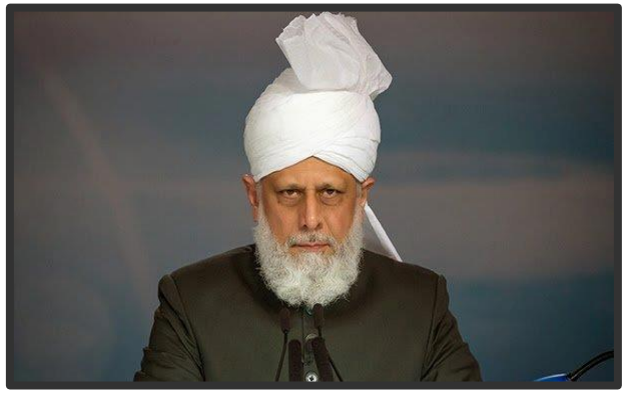
First Bait'at at Aqabah – 12 Nabawi'

- The Holy Prophet (sa) met these people separately in a valley.
- These people informed him as to the state of affairs in Yathrab and this time they all took Bai'at at his hand.
- This Bai'at served as a foundation stone for Islām in Madinah.
- After Bai'at, the Holy Prophet (sa) said: "If you remain true to this pledge in honesty and steadfastness then you shall receive paradise. But if you show weakness then your matter is with Allāh the Exalted, for He shall do what He wills."
- Whilst departing from Makkah, these twelve new Muslim converts requested, "Please send an Islamic tutor with us, who can teach us Islām and can preach Islām to our idolatrous brothers as well." The Holy Prophet (sa) sent Muṣ'ab bin 'Umair (ra), a very devout young man from the 'Abdud-Dār tribe along with them.

Abid Khan Sahib's Diary

"A special watch"

During one brief break, Huzoor asked me how my children were. Upon this, I mentioned that my elder son, Mahid, had been looking admiringly at a watch that Huzoor had graciously gifted me a couple of years earlier. I also mentioned how I had been taken aback by Mahid's subsequent request. After seeing the watch, Mahid, who is 6 years old, very matter-of-factly said: ***"Abba, when you die can I have the watch that Huzoor gave to you?"*** *As he heard Mahid's comment, Huzoor laughed out loud and very much enjoyed the innocent lack of sensitivity! After hearing it, Huzoor said:* ***"In your house, Mahid is the one who makes bold statements without caution or fear!"*** *With that, Huzoor turned his chair around so that he was facing his cupboards and bookshelves. It occurred to me that Huzoor was searching for a book for reference. However, much to my surprise and joy, after two or three minutes, Huzoor turned his chair back around to its normal position and in his hand was a silver watch. Huzoor said:* ***"Give this watch to Mahid from me."***



Hazrat Mirza Masroor Ahmad (aba)

Laughing, Huzoor added: ***"At least then he will not have to wait until you die!"*** *I was greatly touched by Huzoor's kindness and regard for the feelings of my young child. I looked at the watch for a few moments and noticed that the battery did not appear to be working and so I resolved to get it replaced.*

Abid Khan Sahib's Diary

"A special watch"

Somehow sensing what was going through my mind, Huzoor said: ***"The battery is fine but because it's a brand new watch there is a small pin in place which is designed to save the battery life until it starts being used."***
Huzoor took the watch back and removed the pin himself before returning it to me. The watch was now working perfectly. I simply cannot describe how happy Mahid was when I went home that evening and gave him the gift from Huzoor and, ever since, it takes pride of place amongst all of his possessions. Surely, our beloved Huzoor is he who cares for the feelings and happiness of Ahmadis of all ages, of all races, of all places!

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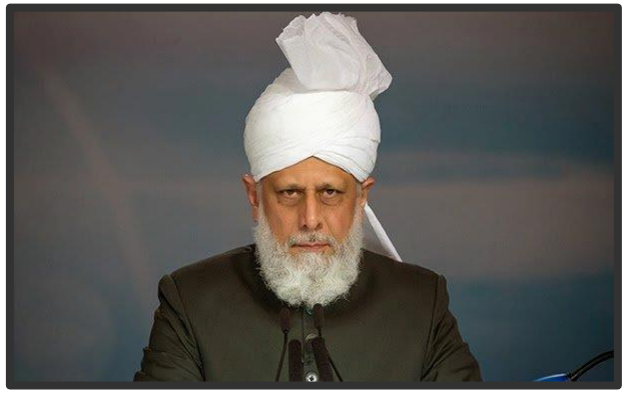

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Activity & Discussion Section

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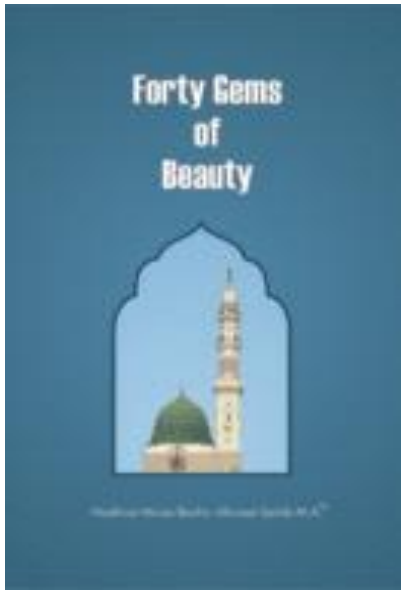
Book Club: Forty Gems of Beauty

- This book is written by Hazrat Mirza Bashir Ahmad MA, who is one of the sons of the Promised Messiah (as) - not to be confused with Hazrat Musleh Maud (ra).

- This is a collection of fourty sayings of the Holy Prophet Muhammad (*Ahadith*) selected by the author. The author has provided explanation of every saying (*Hadith*) in the light of the teachings of the Holy Quran and other sayings of the Prophet of Islam. The selected sayings address all aspects of the everyday life of a person. The author has provided information about the field of *Hadith*, its categories and has introduced the standard *Hadith* compilations in the beginning of the book.

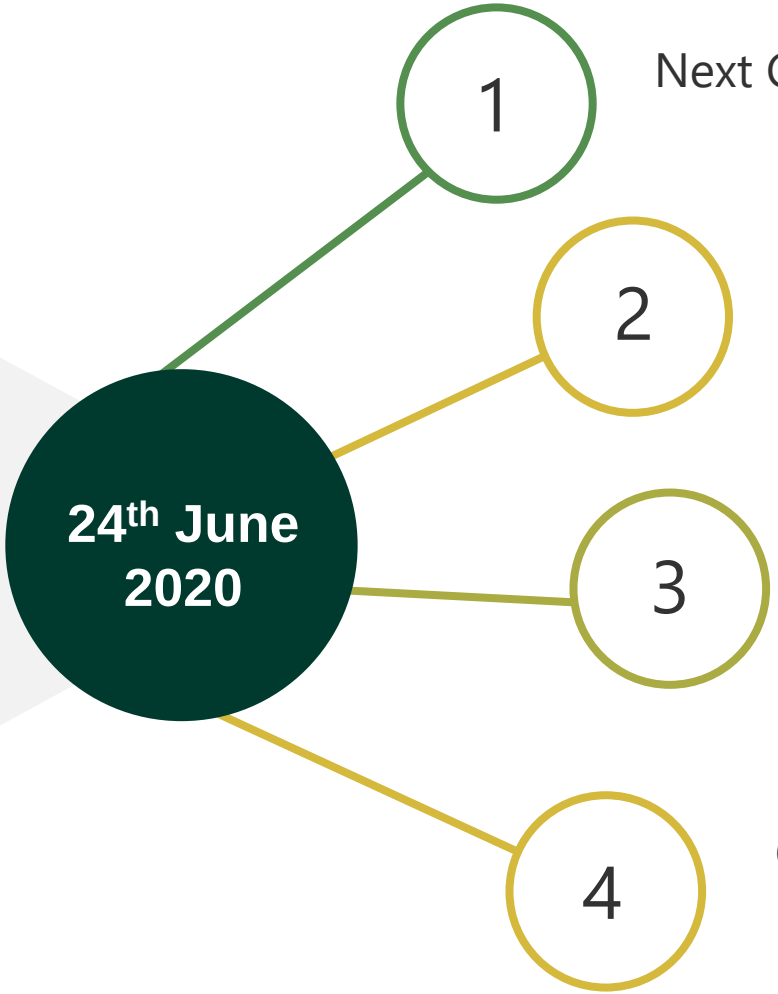
- This book is essential for all Atfal to read to understand Ahadith and how they were compiled in the first place.



Discussion: Arabic Language

- What is the importance of Arabic?
- Is Arabic the mother of all tongues?
- Why should we try to learn Arabic?
- Why is it important to learn the translation of Salat and the Holy Quran?
- Did the Promised Messiah (as) also know Arabic?
  - How did he learn Arabic?
  - How many root words did God teach him?
- What are some ways that we can learn Arabic?

Announcements



1. Next Class date for the diaries – 27th June (Saturday)
2. All content available on Atfal website: Atfal.org.uk/talim
3. Make sure you let your regional nazim know that you were in the class
4. Other initiatives
   - ❑ Qaseeda memorisation challenge
   - ❑ Spring reading challenge
   - ❑ Arabic Crash course
   - ❑ Atfal work out
   - ❑ Let's Talk

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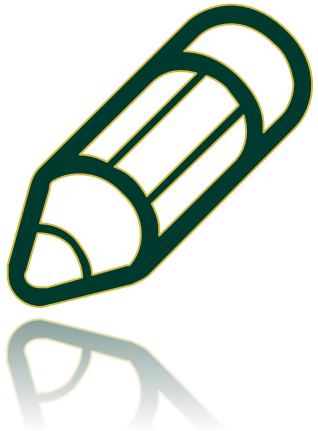
Homework



Learn

Make sure to go over the learning section and memorise all that is taught

Quiz

There will be a short quiz as a recap in the next class

Resources

The slides will be made available on the Atfal website: Atfal.org.uk