FAITH IN FOCUS

Weekly Atfal Class



November - Week 2

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Class Rules for a Great Lesson

01 ARRIVE READY

- Arrive on time and be prepared.
- Greet with “Assalamu Alaikum” on arrival.

02 LISTEN

- Listen quietly and respectfully.
- Raise your hand to ask questions.

03 LEARN

- Work hard and learn something new today.







Ready • Respectful • Curious

Today’s Lesson Plan

1. Tilawat – **Surah Al-Anfal 8:62**
2. Hadith of the Week
3. Thought of the week
4. What is remembrance day?
5. QUOTES OF KHULAFA
6. Friday Sermon Summary
7. Homework
8. Salat
9. Pair Activity
10. Announcements!

Tilawat – Surah Al-Anfal 8:62

وَاِنْ جَنَحُوْا لِلسَّلْمِ فَاجْنَحْ لَهَا
وَتَوَكَّلْ عَلَى اللّٰهِ ؕ اِنَّهٗ هُوَ السَّمِيْعُ
الْعَلِيْمُ ﴿٦٢﴾



“And if they incline towards peace, incline thou also towards it, and put thy trust in Allah, Surely, it is He Who is All-Hearing, All-Knowing”

(Surah Al-Anfal 8:62)

What does this verse teach us about Forming peace?

Hadith of the Week

The Messenger of Allah (may peace and blessing be upon him) observed: “You shall not enter Paradise so long as you do not affirm belief (in all those things which are the articles of faith) and you will not believe as long as you do not love one another”

لَا تَدْخُلُونَ الْجَنَّةَ حَتَّى تُؤْمِنُوا وَلَا تُؤْمِنُوا حَتَّى تَحَابُّوا

Sahih Muslim : Book 1 Hadith 101

What are these articles of faith?




THOUGHT OF THE WEEK
Remembrance Day

WHAT IS REMEMBRANCE DAY?

- Remembrance Day is observed on 11 November every year.
- It honours soldiers who died in wars, especially the First and Second World Wars.
- It remembers the sacrifices made by members of the Armed Forces.
- A red poppy is worn as a symbol of remembrance.
- At 11 am, a two-minute silence is observed to remember the fallen.
- It reminds us of the importance of peace, unity and respect for others.





Remembrance day History

- The First World War began in 1914 and ended on 11 November 1918.
- The war ended when an agreement called the Armistice was signed.
- The Armistice came into effect at 11 am on 11 November 1918
- The first Remembrance Day was observed in 1919
- The red poppy became a symbol of remembrance after the war.
- Remembrance Day now honours those who died in both World Wars and other conflicts.

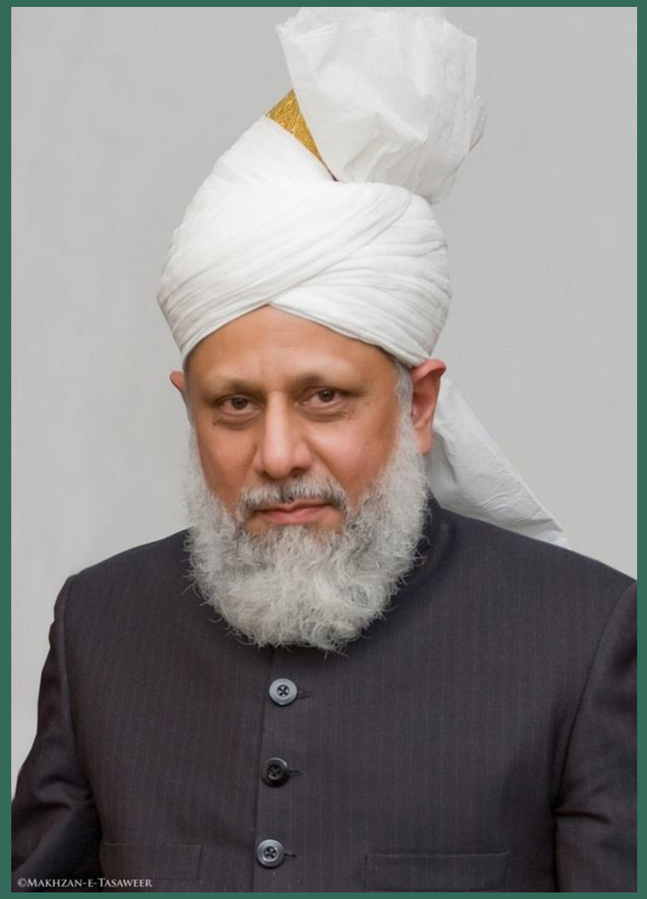
LOYALTY TO ONE'S COUNTRY- QUOTES OF KHULAFA:

"Rather than seeking conflict or fostering hatred, Islam has only ever instructed Muslims to knock down the walls of hatred that divide mankind and to build bridges of love and compassion in order to unite it. In short, at every level of society, and across all communities and peoples, Muslims have a duty to spread peace."

Hazrat Mirza Masroor Ahmad (aba) 39th Annual Convention (Jalsa Salana) of the Ahmadiyya Muslim Community in Holland.

"Instead of embarking on an arms race, leading to death and destruction, we must join the race to save and protect humanity."

Hazrat Mirza Masroor Ahmad (aba) 15th Annual Peace Symposium



Friday Sermon Summary

The True Philosophy of Sacrifice

What is true sacrifice?

- Sacrificing What We Love: Huzoor (aba) explained that Allah teaches us to spend from the things we love to attain righteousness. We should not only give away things we no longer need, but also make sacrifices from things that are valuable to us.
- Examples of the Companions: Huzoor (aba) mentioned Hazrat Abu Talhah (ra), who gave his beloved orchard for the sake of Allah. The Companions showed great love for Allah through their sincere sacrifices.



Friday Sermon Summary

Which Sacrifice matters?

Intention and Purpose of Tehrik-e-Jadid

- Sincerity Is More Important Than the Amount: Huzoor (aba) explained that even people who are poor make great financial sacrifices. The sincerity and love behind the sacrifice are more important than how much money is given.
- Purpose of Tehrik-e-Jadid: Huzoor (aba) explained how Tehrik-e-Jadid supports the spread of Islam, the building of mosques and mission houses, education and healthcare around the world.



Friday Sermon Summary

New Year of Tehrik-e-Jadid

93rd Year of Tehrik-e-Jadid

- The 93rd Year of Tehrik-e-Jadid: Huzoor (aba) announced the beginning of the 93rd year of Tehrik-e-Jadid. During the previous year, the worldwide Jamaat contributed £20.28 million, an increase of £727,000. The number of participants also increased by 46,616. The UK achieved first place in total collections for the first time.



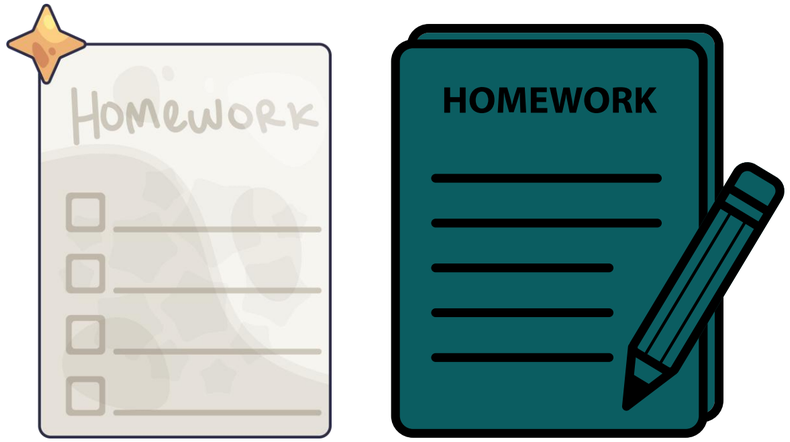
FRIDAY SERMON SUMMARY- TAKEAWAY POINTS + TASK FOR THIS WEEK

- We should make sacrifices for the sake of Allah from the things we love and value.
- The sincerity of our sacrifice is more important than the amount we give.
- This week, make a small sacrifice for Allah, such as saving some pocket money for Tehrik-e-Jadid



Homework

- Reflect on today’s lesson with your parents at home
- Fill out the handouts for your age group
- Bring your homework in for next week



Homework for this week: Huzoor e Aqdas (aba) has delivered several talks in various parliaments about the importance of peace and harmony. Research one of these talks and write notes about the occasion and Huzoor’s words!

SALAT

Qawmah

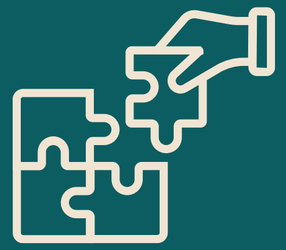
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Hears	Allah	Him who	Praises him
Allah hears him who praises him			
رَبَّنَا	وَلَكَ	الْحَمْدُ	
Our Lord	And Yours Is	The Praise	
Our Lord, Yours is the praise			
حَمْدًا	كَثِيرًا	طَيِّبًا	مُبَارَكًا فِيهِ
Praise	Abundant	Pure	Full of blessings
Praise that is abundant, pure and full of blessings			

Did you know?

The word Salat is mentioned in the Holy Quran 83 times!



PAIR ACTIVITY



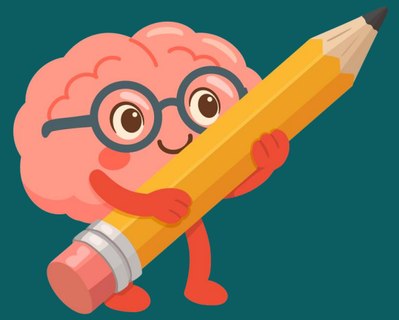






Discuss today's lesson with the Tifl next to you and come up with 3 new things you learned today!





Announcements!

Next Class Date:

National Updates:

Local/Regional Updates:

Don’t forget your homework for next class!