Midterm Exam Study Guide Grade II-1

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Islamic Studies

1. Know the shahadah (Declaration of Faith) and what it means.

Transliteration: "Ashhadu an la ilaha illa Allah, wa ashhadu anna Muhammad rasool Allah."

Meaning: I bear witness that there is no God but Allah and Muhammad is his messenger.

Knowing the shahadah and its meaning is essential to your child's success on this exam. We have been working on it all semester but I am in need of your assistance.

- 2. Be able to name some blessings that Allah has given you.
- 3. Why does it not make sense to worship idols? *They are objects that were created by someone/something else. They can do us no good or harm.*
- 4. How many Surahs are in the Quran? *114*
- 5. How many ajzaa (chapters)? 30
- 6. What do we say when we hear the name of Prophet Muhammad? "Salla Allahu alayhi wa sallam." May peace and blessings be upon him.
- 7. Who were prophet Muhammad's parents? *Mother: Aminah Father: Abdullah*
- 8. What name was the prophet known for around Makkah? *"Al sadiq Al amin" The truthful and the trustworthy.*
- 9. Who was his first wife? *Khadijah bint Khuwaylid*
- 10. How old was he when he first became a prophet? *40 years old*
- 11. What is hadith?

The sayings of prophet Muhammad (s).

12. What is sunnah? Give an example.

The way that the prophet lived and worked.

- 13. Name and know the 5 pillars of Islam and a brief explanation of each pillar.
- 14. How many prayers do we have? Name them.
- 15. Fajir Thuhur Asr Maghrib Ishal
- 16. What must we do before making salah? *Wudu (ablution to cleanse our bodies)*

Note to Parents:

Asalmu Alaykuym,

I would like you to please go over this sheet with your child. As long as he/she can answer all the points on this paper, I am confident that they will do great on their exam. I would like to stress on the importance of them to know the shahadah (point 1). Please do tell them not to be stressed out about the exam because preparation is key. If you have any questions or concerns please do contact me at any time. I respond quickest to text messages.

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