

Theme for February: Respect

وَقَضَىٰ رَبُّكَ أَلَّا تَعْبُدُوا إِلَّا إِيَّاهُ وَبِالْوَالِدَيْنِ إِحْسَانًا، إِمَّا يَبُلُغَنَّ عِنْدَكَ الْكِبَرَ أَحَدُهُمَا أَوْ كِلَاهُمَا فَلَا تَقُلْ لَهُمَا أُفٍّ وَلَا تَنْهَرْهُمَا وَقُلْ لَهُمَا قَوْلًا كَرِيمًا ﴿٢٣﴾

Your Lord has ordered you to worship none except Him, and to be good to your parents. If either or both of them attain old age with you, do not say: "Fie on you", nor rebuke them, but speak to them with words of respect. (17:23)

## GRADE 9

### NEWSLETTER

February 5–February 9, 2018

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SCIENCE FAIR

*Monday, February 5: Class Round for Grades 7–8*

*Tuesday, February 6: Class Round for Grade 9*

*Tuesday, February 13: School Round Event*

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We have a new opening for volunteer fathers. Please see bottom of this newsletter.

# CURRICULUM UPDATES

## UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS

- ❖ MATH 9A: *Wednesday, February 7:* 2.1 and 2.2 Quiz
- ❖ MATH 9A: *Friday, February 9:* 2.3 Quiz
- ❖ MATH 9B & 9C: *Friday, February 9:* 2.2 and 2.3 Quiz

## ISLAMIC STUDIES 9A

Imam Mahmoud Omar // [imam@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:imam@islamicacademy.ca)

This week we will answer the student questions about ( الاحلام- العين- الحسد ) as they have been told the wrong info. about it

- Then we will reflect on the Hadith Topic of ( Arrogance and Ego) the reasons, and the cure.

Every student will write at least 10 lines paragraph about how can we solve this issue in ourselves and in our community

## ISLAMIC STUDIES 9B & 9C

Mr. Ibrahim Long // [ibrahim.long@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:ibrahim.long@islamicacademy.ca)

We have just begun our study of our new text: “**Essentials of Islamic Faith.**” Last week we explored our foundational obligation (i.e., to learn about Allah and faith). We also learned a few of Allah’s essential attributes which our scholars have derived from the Qur’an and the Sunnah. As we continue our exploration, we will further elaborate on these essential attributes by focusing on twenty which our scholars consider obligatory to know.

## RESOURCES

- ❖ *Essentials of Islamic Faith: Parents and Teens Edition* by Sh. Suhaib Webb al-Azhari
- ❖ [PowerPoints - Week 1](#)

# QURAN AL-KAREEM

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## COMING UP

Students will be learning:

- Review Surah Al-qalam ( سورة القلم ) recitation with applying rules of tajweed and tarteel Ayahs (1 -32).
- Learn surah al Mulk ( الملك ) ayahs( 1- 4 ) with Tajweed rules they have learned before.
- explaining the Ayahs we assign for this week .
- Starting new schedule for revision the two Juz `e: Ammah and Al mulk. For each student

## ARABIC

Ms. Dina Saleh // [Dina.Saleh@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:Dina.Saleh@islamicacademy.ca)

## COMING UP

- Student will learn geographic vocabulary about Canada.
- Students will review the use of tenses in verbs.

## REMINDER

- Please sign up on remind if you have not done so : text code @964g3c to 587-409-0954 .
- Please ensure that your duo-tang and notebook are always ready with you in class.

## ASSESSMENTS

- Arabic assessment on the entertainment unit with the required vocabulary on Monday Feb 5th.

## RESOURCES

- ★ Topics of Alberta Curriculum
- ★ Printed materials to keep in the binders
- ★ textbooks
- ★ Video materials
- ★ Worksheets about basic grammar rules in Arabic

## LANGUAGE ARTS

Ms. Amanah Eljaji // [amanah.eljaji@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:amanah.eljaji@islamicacademy.ca)

### COMING UP

- Heritage Fair and Science Fair Presentations to commence Tuesday, February 6

### ASSIGNMENTS

- ❖ Introduction to Novel Study: *Survival*, *Good or Evil*, Author Profile of William Golding

### ASSESSMENTS

- ❖ Monday, February 12: *Lord of the Flies* Chapter 1 Quiz

### RESOURCES

- ★ All students must have a novel of their choice to read
- ★ Various handouts
- ★ <https://questaplus.alberta.ca/>
- ★ Remind (sign up at [rmd.at/ms.eljaji](https://rmd.at/ms.eljaji) or text 587-316-2969 and msg @mseljaji)

## SOCIAL STUDIES

Ms. Amanah Eljaji // [amanah.eljaji@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:amanah.eljaji@islamicacademy.ca)

### COMING UP

- Heritage Fair and Science Fair Presentations to commence Tuesday, February 6

### ASSIGNMENTS

- ❖ Youth Criminal Justice System Visual Essay

### ASSESSMENTS

- ❖ Monday, February 5: Chapter 7 Unit Test

### RESOURCES

- ★ Issues for Canadians
- ★ <https://questaplus.alberta.ca/>
- ★ Remind (sign up at [rmd.at/ms.eljaji](https://rmd.at/ms.eljaji) or text 587-316-2969 and msg @mseljaji)

# MATHEMATICS

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9B & 9C: Mr. Ehab Abou-Absi // [Ehab.Abou-Absi@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:Ehab.Abou-Absi@islamicacademy.ca)

## COMING UP

- Compare and order rational numbers
- Identify a rational number between two given rational numbers
- Perform operations on rational numbers in decimal form
- Solve real-life problems involving rational numbers in **decimal** form
- Solving problems with rational numbers in **fraction** form
- Determining squares and square roots of rational numbers

## ASSESSMENTS

- ❖ 9A: *Wednesday, February 7: 2.1 and 2.2 Quiz*
- ❖ 9A: *Friday, February 9: 2.3 Quiz*
- ❖ 9B & 9C: *Friday, February 9: 2.2 and 2.3 Quiz*

## ASSIGNMENTS

- ❖ Students will have daily practice after each lesson covered in the class. If students do not complete the assignment during class time, it is their responsibility to ensure that it gets completed at home. Homework checks will occur regularly, and students who do not have the homework done will need to stay in at lunch or after school until it gets done.
- ❖ Please check “Remind” for daily homework and assessments

## RESOURCES

- ★ **Remind** - For reminders about upcoming tests, quizzes, field trips, etc. and to ask your teacher questions outside of class
  - 9A: text the number (778) 785-6313 with the message “@eia9a”
  - 9B & 9C: text the number(587) 800-0547 with the message “@math9bceia” or visit <https://www.remind.com/join/math9bceia>
- ★ **Google Classroom:** To view all notes and assignments you may have missed, please join the Math 9 google classroom with the class code “zfg35Op”
- ★ Textbook: Mathlinks 9
- ★ The Key - can be bought at any bookstore (Chapters, Indigo, Coles)
- ★ Quest A + <https://questaplus.alberta.ca/PracticeMain.html>
- ★ For missing notes and assignments - Google Classroom: Use your school-appointed email ([firstname.lastname@edmontonislamic.ca](mailto:firstname.lastname@edmontonislamic.ca)) and login with your password (initial password is myeia2017). To join the Math 9 Class, use the class code “zd9fdip”
- ★ Help sessions are available at lunch or after school, by appointment

# ART

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## SCHEDULE

- 9A: Mondays, blocks 1-2
- 9B: Thursdays, blocks 1-2
- 9C: Fridays, blocks 1-2



# UMRAH



Edmonton Islamic Academy  
Knowledge is Light  
presents

## UMRAH 2018

March 21 to March 31  
WITH AL AQSA VISIT  
MARCH 21 APRIL 4, 2018

**THE TRIP BOOKING**  
From Edmonton to Madinah (by air) and from Jeddah to Edmonton staying 4 nights in Dar Aliman hotel and 4 nights in Makkah fairmont / Clock tower including breakfast and ziyarat in Madinah and Makkah .

Side trip (optional): travel after Umrah to Amman by air spend one night in 5 stars hotel travel to Jerusalem by air conditioned bus. Spend 2 nights in a 5 stars hotel then back by bus to Amman spend 1 night in 5 stars hotel then back to Edmonton via Jeddah.

**THE PRICES:**  
**4 PER ROOM IS \$2900**  
**TRIPLE IS \$3000**  
**DOUBLE IS \$3200**

AN ADDITIONAL \$1000 FOR  
THE SIDE TRIP TO JORDAN  
AND AL QUDS ( JERUSALEM )





# JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

## 2017-2018 SEASON SCHEDULE

### JUNIOR GIRLS

TUE. JAN. 16, 5:35 PM  
VS. HILWIE HAMDON

TUE. JAN. 23, 4:15 PM  
AT ELIZABETH FINCH

TUE. JAN. 30, 5:35 PM  
AT DR. DONALD MASSEY

TUE FEB. 6, 4:15 PM  
VS. WESTMOUNT

TUE. FEB. 20, 5:35 PM  
AT HARDISTY

TUE. FEB. 27, 4:15 PM  
VS. FLORENCE HALLOCK

### JUNIOR BOYS

WED. JAN. 17, 4:15 PM  
AT ELIZABETH FINCH

WED. JAN. 24, 4:15 PM  
VS. WESTMOUNT

WED. JAN. 31, 5:35 PM  
AT M.G. GRIESBACH

WED. FEB. 7, 5:35 PM  
VS. HILWIE HAMDON

WED. FEB. 21, 4:15 PM  
VS. ELIZABETH FINCH

MON. FEB. 26, 5:35 PM  
AT WESTMOUNT

### SENIOR GIRLS

TUE. JAN. 16, 4:15 PM  
VS. DICKINSFIELD

TUE. JAN. 23, 5:35 PM  
AT ELIZABETH FINCH

TUE. JAN. 30, 4:15 PM  
AT ROSSLYN

TUE. FEB. 6, 5:35 PM  
VS. WESTMOUNT

TUE. FEB. 20, 4:15 PM  
AT DICKINSFIELD

TUE. FEB. 27, 5:35 PM  
VS. ELIZABETH FINCH

### SENIOR BOYS

WED. JAN 17, 5:35 PM  
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MON. FEB. 26, 4:15 PM  
AT WESTMOUNT

HOME GAMES ARE  
MARKED IN GREEN 

# GO LEGENDS!

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social media



@eialegends



# VOLUNTEERING

Dear parents, we have two types of volunteering opportunities at the moment:

→ FURNITURE MAINTENANCE

Our facilities department is looking for a volunteer father who can help with repairing sofas of our student furniture. Please contact Asad Jacobs: [facility@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:facility@islamicacademy.ca)

→ HALLWAY SUPERVISOR

We are looking for Hallway Supervisors, for stack, lunch, prayer, and end-of-the-day supervision in our secondary department. As supervisor, you will assist Junior High teachers and administration with student movement and ensuring we create a safe environment for students. If you would like to help us out in this way, please contact Ms. Tayyaba Zahid at [Tayyaba.Zahid@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:Tayyaba.Zahid@islamicacademy.ca)

→ TUTORS: MATH, ENGLISH, ARABIC

We are looking for Math, English, and Arabic Tutors. If you would like to help us out in this way, please contact Ms. Bahja Mahmoud at [bahja.mahmoud@islamicacademy.ca](mailto:bahja.mahmoud@islamicacademy.ca)

# ISLAM AWARDS

*Fifth Annual ISLAM Awards, for Grades 7–12: Friday, June 22, 2018*

## QURANIC MEMORIZATION & RECITATION AWARD

→ Awarded per grade to the top three students: for memorization, recitation, and tajweed.

## ISLAMIC STUDIES AWARD

→ Awarded per grade to the top three students in Junior High and top two in High School.

## ARABIC LANGUAGE AWARD

→ Awarded per grade to the top three students in Junior High and top two in High School.

## ACADEMIC AWARD

- Achievement benchmark is based on a student's year-average up to May 31, 2018.
- Awarded in three achievement categories to all qualifying students in each grade.
  - *Honourable Mention* requires a 75% or higher combined average core subjects
  - *Honours* requires a 80% or higher combined average in core subjects
  - *Honours with Distinction* requires a 90% or higher combined average in core subjects

## DIPLOMA & AP STARS AWARD

→ Awarded to students scoring 80% or higher in the Diploma Exam (first attempt, not retake),  
and/or 90% or higher in an AP Test.

## TOP ACADEMIC AWARD

→ Awarded to the student with the highest overall average in each grade.

## LEADERSHIP AWARD

→ Awarded to three students in both the Junior and Senior High age group.

## ATHLETICS AWARD

→ Awarded to a boy and girl in both the Junior and Senior High age group.

## EIA PROFILE AWARD

→ Awarded to one student in grade 12 (see student handbook p. 4–5).

## ALUMNI AWARD

→ Awarded to one EIA Alumni who has the most volunteer hours.

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