

Oh! my Lord! Increase me in my knowledge. (20:115)



Talim Syllabus 2021

English

Majlis Ansarullah Nederland

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Message from Sadr Ansarullah Nederland

My dear brothers,

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته

By the grace of Allah, Majlis Ansarullah Nederland is introducing its third annual syllabus.

In the Holy Quran, Allah enjoins us to increase our knowledge (Verse 20:115). It is a prayer we often recite in our obligatory Salat. As members of Majlis Ansarullah, it is ever more imperative for us to not only be knowledgeable for our own sake, but also for the generation we leave behind.

It has been observed that few of us are sufficiently well read, or have knowledge, concerning the Islam, The Holy Quran, AHadith, Ahmadiyyat, Tabligh and various topics concerning our spiritual well-being (Tarbiyyat). I hope and pray that you would take complete advantage of this effort to both increase your knowledge, and to develop a thirst for further learning.

May Allah enable all of us to do so, Ameen.

Mirza Fakhar Ahmad

Sadr Majlis Ansarullah, Nederland

Introduction to the Syllabus

Qaid Talim

Dear Brothers

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته

The mission of the Ta'lim Department is to not only facilitate the lifelong goal of each and every Nasir to grow in the area of religious knowledge but also to gauge the progress of the members, through mutual collaboration and religious education programs at local and national levels.

This is accomplished by devising the Ta'lim syllabus and setting up measurable goals by conducting a Quiz on Quarterly basis in order to refresh your knowledge. It is desired that Ansar through following Ta'lim syllabus will gain knowledge by learning the prescribed verses of the Holy Qur'an along with translation, AHadith (sayings of the Holy Prophet ^(saw)), writings and sermons of the Promised Messiah^(as) and his Khulafa, Islam, Ahmadiyyat, Tabligh and selected Tarbiyyat related articles.

May Allah the Almighty enable us to enhance our knowledge so that we can truly be called “Helpers of Allah”, Ameen.

Atta Ul Hayee

Qaid Talim
Majlis Ansarullah Nederland

Outlines of The Ta'lim Syllabus 2021

Areas of Focus

1- Salat

As members of Majlis Ansarullah it is expected that every Nasir should know the Salat by heart along with its translation.

In the year 2021 we will include more advance elements like memorizing parts of Holy Quran with word to word meaning and translations.

2- Learning the Holy Quran

خَيْرُكُمْ مَنْ تَعَلَّمَ الْقُرْآنَ وَعَلَّمَهُ

"The best among you is the one who learns and teaches the Holy Qur'an" (Sahih Bukhari)

All Ansar should recite at least two *Ruku* from the Holy Quran with translation every day. You can get information about online Holy Qur'an classes for learning translation, which are organized by the Ahmadiyya Muslim Jama'at online, on MTA, and in most of the mosques and some salat centres.

Department of Taleem-ul-Qur'an. These classes are helpful for reading the Holy Qur'an (in Arabic) with correct pronunciation and understanding the meaning.

Nazirah (Pronunciation)

Learn correct reading and pronunciation of the Holy Qur'an with translation by adopting the following:

- i- In general meetings, review Tilawat with translation and revision of Holy Qur'an recitation.
- ii- Encourage one-to-one teaching at local levels.
- iii- Encourage Ansarullah members to participate in Skype classes.

Hafiz-e-Quran (Memorization)

- iv- Ansar should memorize last 20 Surah's from the Holy Qur'an.
- v- Ansar should memorize Sura Al Ala, and Sura Al-Ghashiyah

3- AHadith

Ansar should learn one Hadith per month with detailed translation and explanation starting from Hadith #25 till Hadith #36 from the book Forty Gems by Hazrat Mirza Bashir Ahmad^(ra). Below are the links for 8the books in English & Urdu.

- **English:** https://www.alislam.org/library/books/Forty_Gems_of_Beauty.pdf
- **Urdu:** <https://www.alislam.org/urdu/pdf/Chalees-Jawahar-Parey.pdf>

4- Books of The Promised Messiah^(as)

Message of Huzur Aqdas^{atba} regarding reading the books of Promised Messiah^{as}.

This is our good fortune that we have been able to accept this Imam Mahdi and Muhammadan Messiah and that we are the inheritors of these spiritual treasures. So we ought to study these blessed writings so that our hearts and our bosoms and our minds are enlightened by this light which is the antidote to all evils of the Antichrist. May Allah enable us to preen our lives and those of our children through these blessed writings and that we can be those who light lamps of peace and security in our homes and our environs and that the love of God and His prophet be undulating in our hearts so that through it we go on illuminating the flames of love for mankind and sharing its pains throughout the world. May God enable us to do this. Amen.

8Peace be to you.

Humbly.

Mirza Masroor Ahmad.

Khalifatul Masih V.

The book selected for this year is **Haqiqatul-Wahi (The Philosophy of Divine Revelation)** Ansar should read 100 pages every month on which there will be a Quarterly Knowledge Quiz. 1st quarter pages 1-150, second quarter pages 151-450, 3rd quarter pages 451-750 & 4th quarter pages 751 onwards. The book can be found on Alislam website following are the links for English & Urdu.

- **English** <https://www.alislam.org/library/books/Haqiqatul-Wahi.pdf>
- **Urdu** <https://www.alislam.org/urdu/rk/Ruhani-Khazain-Vol-22.pdf>

5- Islam

This year we have the topic of **Freedom of Conscience**. This is a contemporary issue nowadays especially in Europe. As an Ahmadi we represent the true Islam and need to be aware of the Islamic point of view.

The following 2book of Khalifatul Masih IV^{ra} is recommended and available on the AllIslam website. There will be questions in our Quarterly Knowledge Quiz. The book can be found on Alislam website following are the links for Nederland & Urdu.

- **Nederlands** <https://bieb.islamnu.nl/product/islam-en-de-vrijheid-van-meningsuiting/>
- **Urdu** <https://www.alislam.org/urdu/pdf/Islam-aur-Azadi-e-Zameer.pdf>

6- Ahmadiyyat

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For this section we have selected **Malfoozat** Part 1 and **Hayat E Noor** on the life of Hadhrat Khalifatul Masih I^{rza}. It is expected that Ansar would have read these books over the course of the year. The books can be found on Alislam website following are the links for English & Urdu.

- **English** <https://www.alislam.org/book/malfuzat-volume-1/>
- **Urdu** <https://www.alislam.org/urdu/pdf/Malfoozat-v1.pdf>
- **English** <https://www.alislam.org/book/hakeem-noor-ud-deen/>
- **Urdu** <https://www.alislam.org/urdu/pdf/Hayat-e-Noor.pdf>

7- Tarbiyyat

This year the emphasis is on listening to Huzur Aqdas^{atba} Friday Sermons. In the Quarterly Knowledge Quiz there will be 5 question from Huzur Aqdas Friday Sermons of that quarter.

8- Quarterly Knowledge Quiz

The Quarterly Knowledge Quiz is a requirement according to the Ansarullah constitution. All members should participate in the quiz, which is designed to refresh the learning achieved during the year.

9- Achievements in Secular Education

The Talim department encourages members to accomplish outstanding achievements in secular education. Members are also encouraged to apply for the Ahmadiyya Talent Awards that are organized by Jama'at for students or professionals who have excelled in their studies and/or have achieved outstanding success in their professional fields.

Guidelines for Using the Talim Syllabus

By the Grace of Allah , Majlis Ansarullah Nederland has compiled a learning program for the year 2021 for you. Below are some guidelines which will help you to follow the syllabus.

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1. Salat – This year we will concentrate on learning the split word translation of Salat and hopefully this will fill more sense and pleasure into our Namaz.
2. The Holy Qur'an - these chapters are divided into two parts
 - i. understanding the rules of pronunciation of Holy Quran,
 - ii. memorizing some verses of the Holy Quran, please try to learn the meaning of all the verses those you memorize, this will make your memorization more meaningful.

Quarterly Ta'lim Knowledge Quiz

The Talim test will be conducted at the end of every quarter. All members should participate in the test, which is designed to reinforce the learning achieved during the year.

- a) 2 Questions from Salat
- b) 2 Questions from Quran
- c) 1 Question from Hadith
- d) 2 Questions from Haqiqatul-Wahi Promised Messiah ^(as)
- e) 2 Questions from Islam
- f) 2 Questions from Ahmadiyyat
- g) 1 Question from Tabliegh
- h) 3 General Knowledge questions
- i) 10 Questions on the assigned books
- j) 5 Questions from Hazrat Khalifatul Masih V ^(atba)

- The Talim Quiz will be circulated via Google forms, and will also be available on the Ansarullah Nederland website - www.ansarullah.nl
- Each and every member of the Local, Regional & National Majlis-e-Amila must complete “Quarterly Talim Quiz” and submit centrally.
- Every Amila member should participate.
- The Zaeem should ensure that the syllabus is being discussed in monthly meetings.
- The Zaeem should ensure that all Ansar in the Majlis are aware of the syllabus; have completed the “Quarterly Ta'lim Paper;” and submitted in time for marking.
- The minimum target for the year 2021 is 50% of the Tajnid should have participated in the Quiz and a 100% should have gone through the Syllabus.