

Syllabus	
Course Title	Introduction to Tajweed al-Qur'an
Program	Lifelong Learning
Meeting Dates and Times	Feb 5 – April 11 Tues & Thurs 8:45 PM – 9:45 PM
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Course Description	<p>The Quran is the word of Allah (kalamu Allah) as revealed to his prophet Mohammad (PBUH), transferred to us through narration chains known as "Tawator" on seven ahruf, written between the covers of Holly Book, protected by Allah between the lines, recited as a form of worship, miraculous in its words and meanings, and challenging with its shortest Sura.</p> <p>The Messenger of Allah said, "The one who is proficient in the recitation of the Qur'an will be with the honorable and obedient scribes (angels) and he who recites the Qur'an and finds it difficult to recite, doing his best to recite it in the best way possible, will have a double reward."</p> <p>And our goal in this class is to make you among the honorable.</p>
Weekly Schedule	
Week 1	Lesson 1: Tajweed: The Foundations Lesson 2: Al-Isti'aatha & Al-Basmalah
Week 2	Lesson 3: Al-Noon Al-Saakinah Rules Lesson 4: Noon And Meem Mushaddadah
Week 3	Lesson 5: Al-Meem Al-Saakinah Rules Lesson 6: Al-Qalqalah
Week 4	Lesson 7: Ahkaam Al-Madd (Madd Rules) Lesson 8: Al-Laam Al-Shamseeyah
Week 5	Lesson 9: Al-Laam Al-Qamareeyah Lesson 10: Hamzah

Week 6	Lesson 11: The Connecting Hamzah Lesson 12: The Cutting Hamzah
Week 7	Lesson 13: The Silent and Pronounced Alif Lesson 14: Preventing Two Saakins From Meeting
Week 8	Lesson 15: Makhaarij Al-Huroof Lesson 16: Sifaatul Huroof
Week 9	Lesson 17: Levels of Tafkheem (encapsulates letters that are always mufakham) Lesson 18: Tafkheem and Tarqeeq of the letter Raa'
Week 10	Lesson 19: Al-Idghaam Lesson 20: Test