



الزيتونية الأكاديمية العالية

OLIVE HIGHER ACADEMY

OLIVE ELEMENTARY ACADEMY

PROSPECTUS



OLIVE ACADEMIES MISSION STATEMENT

Olive Academies encourage every student to acquire the knowledge and understanding to promote their religious, spiritual and moral development.

Our aims centre around the principles and values of Islamic teachings, morals and etiquettes based on the Qur'an and Sunna.

In order to promote our ethos, the Academies place strong emphasis on Islamic manners, behaviour, punctuality, Islamic dress code, mutual respect for fellow students and utmost respect for staff and parents. This is brought about in the students through the curriculum, teaching and learning environment.

Our aim is to inculcate and nurture within the students, staff, parents and the wider community the need for;

Being healthy by enjoying physical, mental and spiritual health and living in a healthy environment;

Staying Safe by protecting from harm, mental and spiritual health and living in a healthy environment;

Enjoying and Achieving by getting the most from this life and developing skills for adulthood;

Making a Positive Contribution by being involved with the community and society and not engaging in anti-social or offending behaviour;

Economic Well-Being by not being prevented to achieve their full potential in life due to economic disadvantage.

*When Allah wishes good for someone,
He bestows upon him the
understanding of Din
-Sahih al-Bukhari*

OUR VALUES

Allah, the Almighty

We value the great favours and blessings which Allah has bestowed upon us; the safety and peace that He continuously provides. Our body, mind and soul; our families, our society, our world and everything it contains is provided by Allah. The good news of Eternal bliss in the next life is another favour which Allah has bestowed upon us.

On the basis of these values we should:

- Be grateful to Allah
- Worship Him as He is due
- Follow His beloved Messenger in our way of life
- Strive to learn more about Islam for it to benefit in all the following areas: the self, relationships society and the environment.

The self

We value ourselves as unique human beings capable of spiritual, moral, intellectual and physical growth and development.

On the basis of these values we should:

- Develop an understanding of our own character, strengths and weaknesses.
- Develop self-respect and self-discipline.
- Clarify the meaning and purpose in our lives and decide, on the basis of this, how we believe that our lives should be lived.
- Make responsible use of our talents, rights and opportunities
- Strive, throughout life, for knowledge, wisdom and understanding.
- Take responsibility, within our capability, for our own life.

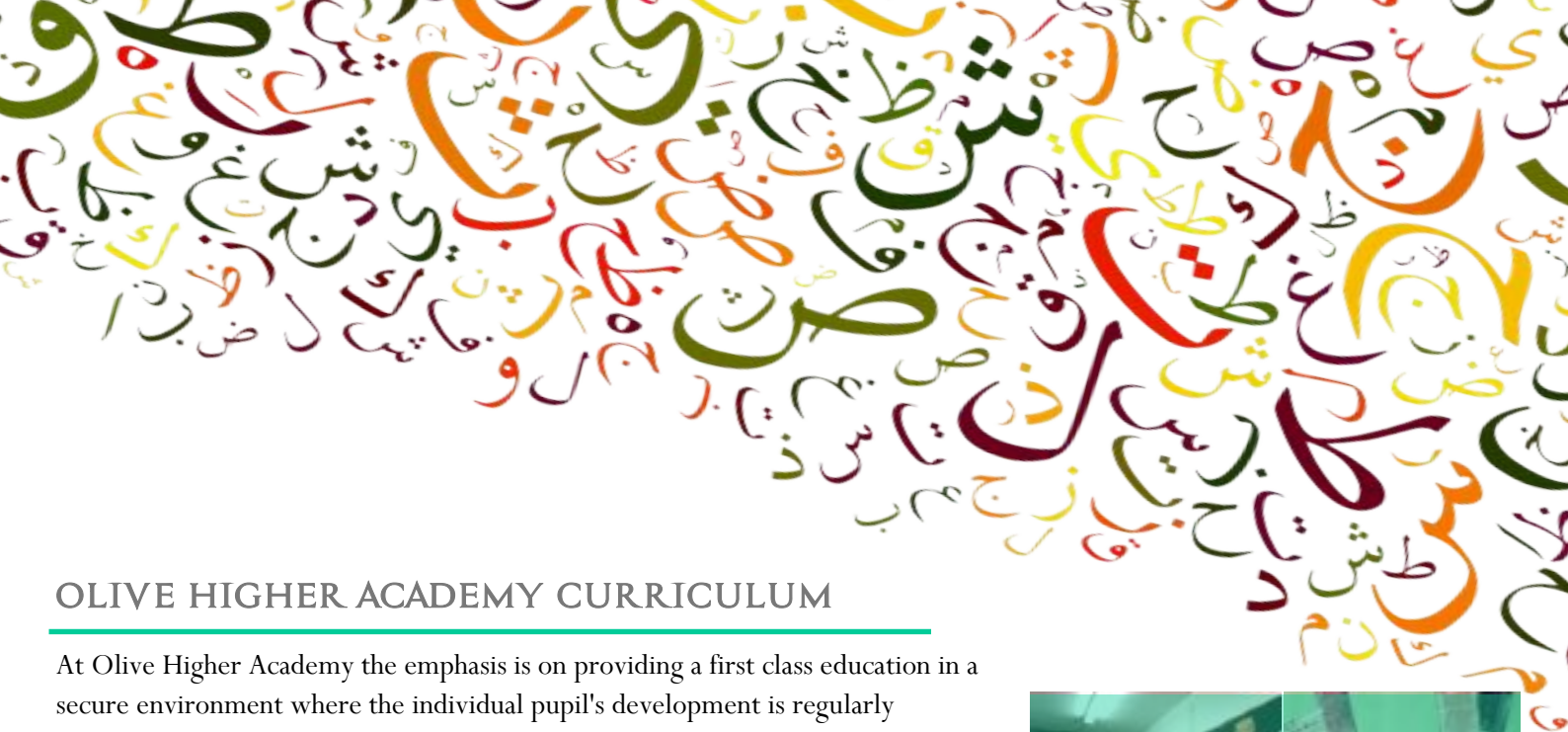
Relationships

We value others for them not only for what they have or what they can do for us. We value relationships as fundamental to the development and fulfilment of ourselves and others, and to the good of the community.

On the basis of these values, we should:

- Respect others, including children
- Care for others and exercise goodwill in our dealings with them
- Show others they are valued
- Earn loyalty, trust and confidence
- Work cooperatively with others
- Respect the privacy and property of others
- Resolve disputes peacefully.

The Prophet said: He who treads the path of knowledge, Allah makes easy for Him the path to Janna.



OLIVE HIGHER ACADEMY CURRICULUM

At Olive Higher Academy the emphasis is on providing a first class education in a secure environment where the individual pupil's development is regularly monitored and assessed. Students will be taught according to the Darsi Nizami Curriculum which includes subjects such as Quranic Studies, Hadith, Arabic Literature, Arabic Syntax, Arabic Grammar, Islamic Theology, and Jurisprudence (Fiqh). This will be complemented by a number of research and critical thinking subjects to develop the thinking and application. (Courses provided by IRTIS– for more information please visit www.irtis.org.uk)

The subjects covered provide a broad range of information that are delivered in effective and creative ways to ensure that the students are challenged as well as enjoying their time learning at the Academy. It is hoped that through these subjects, a platform is provided for the students to engage in all sorts of activities that promote leadership skills and critical and creative thinking, which are some of the skills that we hope the students learn and adopt as they continue with their education.



Are those who know equal to those who do not know? Qur'an 39-9

WHAT WE OFFER?

At Olive Higher Academy we offer the Alim(a) Course in the English Language. This course runs on weekdays. The course is designed to give pupils an in-depth and comprehensive understanding of Higher Islamic Sciences. An integral component of the programme is the study of Classical Arabic, the language of the Qur'an, Hadith and other classical texts. Students are given the opportunity to do dhur and Takrar (extra support) within the madrasa.

Timings for the course vary depending on the Year :

- Darja l'adadiya & Ula 5:00-8:00pm | Darja Thaniya 5:00-8:30pm |
- Darja Thalitha - Khamisa 4:30-9:00pm | Darja Mishkat 4:30– 9:30pm |
- | Darja Bukhari 3:00-9:30pm |

30 of our Students have gone on to be significant contributors in many of our various Projects.

PASTORAL CARE

Olive Academy places great emphasis on the pastoral care of its pupils, as well as that of the staff and parents. Our aims are to provide a happy, caring and safe environment in which the academic, physical and spiritual development of each student is promoted. The students are encouraged to behave in a responsible manner, showing respect, courtesy and consideration at all times in accordance with the teachings of the Prophet ﷺ.

We have very high expectations of our pupils in this regard and all children are encouraged to act as Ambassadors of Islam.





TESTIMONIALS

One of the best things we've done as parents is to put our children at the academy. My kids were given the utmost attention as students and were given one to one support by the teachers. The teachers themselves have excellent qualifications and skills in their department and thus enable the children to aim for the highest and achieve the best, while making teaching fun and enjoyable. An additional benefit is that there are a small number of students in classrooms, allowing each student to have a substantial amount of attention from teachers.

Parent

There are many reasons why Olive Academy is an ideal choice as a madrasa, it's a place where, as a parent, you have the pleasure of watching your child flourish academically whilst being surrounded by role models and good company. I have watched my child's love for din grow and become an even stronger part of her identity.

Parent

Olive encourages the values that you want in a student; respect, responsibility, ownership, communication, choices, independence and love for others. Olive stimulates creativity in learning and has a unique, true care in student's health and well-being. The Islamic knowledge has most definitely been a major building block in our lives in regards to this world and the hereafter. I would like to thank the teachers for their endless support throughout the years. I feel truly blessed and fortunate for being given the opportunity to study at Olive.

Student

Olive has been a life changing and memorable experience in that I have been moulded spiritually through the religious education provided and intellectually. It has helped to establish a firm foundation in the crucial stage of my education that has now led me to be in a strong position to pursue any career. The teachers have encouraged me greatly and contributed to my growth both as an individual and as a student. Year by year I've witnessed the improvements of the madrasa and I wish it continues to grow and be successful. I hope it will accommodate many students in the years to come who may benefit from the same education I was fortunate enough to gain.

Student

*The Prophet said:
Seeking Knowledge is Fardh upon
every Muslim. (Tirmidhi)*

OLIVE ELEMENTARY ACADEMY

Olive Elementary Academy Evening Classes cover four core subjects: Qaida/Qur'an recitation, Islamic Studies, Memorisation of key duas and suras and Manners & etiquettes. At the Academy, a great deal of importance is given to the correct recitation of the Qur'an. We ensure our students are given the full support required in each stage of learning to read Arabic.

Olive Elementary Academy also offers the Hifz programme. The Hifz programme is a structured course which is tailored to meet individual student needs. This allows students to memorise the Noble Qur'an in a manner which is best suited for them. Approximately 30 students have become Hafiz al Qur'an at Olive Elementary Academy so far.

At the Academy we inspire to nurture in each child an Islamic personality /character which encourages good manners and morals in order that they may become good citizens and future Ambassadors of Islam.

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