

## CLASSES OFFERED

Below is a brief description of the classes offered this year. Each child will be placed in the proper section/level according to their skill.

- **Quran Recitation**  
reading of Qur'an with proper tafseer
- **Surah Memorization**  
memorize Surahs with meaning
- **Islamic Studies**  
learn about Islamic facts and history
- **Arabic Studies**  
learn Arabic (written and spoken)

School Hours: 10:30am–2:00pm each Sunday

## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

There will be social activities each month. We want parents to participate along with the kids during these events. Please check your kids folder for additional information as events are announced.

- **Movie & Popcorn Day**  
watch Islamic based movie
- **International Day**  
dress, eat and learn about Muslims from Around the World
- **Puzzle and Game Day**  
make puzzles and play board games
- **Sports Day**  
basketball, soccer, volleyball, football
- **Decorate Cookie Day**  
simple cookie decoration with icing and sprinkles
- **Spring Gardening Day**  
children and parents plant flowers and setup a garden

## THE VIRTUE OF 'ILM

Hudhaifah Ibn al-Yaman (RA) narrated, the Messenger of Allah (SAW) said:

“The excess of 'Ilm is better than the excess of 'Ibadah (worship), and the best of your religion is the wara' (piety, self restrain).”

(At-Tabarani, Al-Awsat; Al-Bazzar)

## ALLAH'S PATH

Anas (RA) said: the Messenger of Allah (SAW) said:

“He who leaves his home in order to seek knowledge, he is in Allah's path until he returns [to his home].”

(At-Tirmidhi, Sunan, An-Nawawi, Riyad As-Salihin)

## FEEDBACK

WIST seeks your suggestions and feedback in helping us improve this program. Please email your comments to us at [wist@ictallahassee.org](mailto:wist@ictallahassee.org)

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# WEEKEND ISLAMIC SCHOOL



## PROSPECTUS

### OUR MISSION

- To introduce and instill the main teachings of Islam into the students by the time they are ready to go to High School.
- To provide an environment and culture in which the students can interact with other Muslim children and families.

# SCHOOL REGULATIONS

## Assalamu'Alaikum Parents!

The Weekend Islamic School in Tallahassee (WIST) extends heartiest welcome to our families. We are happy to see the young Muslims of this community ready to continue their Islamic education.

WIST is a structured weekend school placing its emphasis on teaching Islam as a religion rather than a set of cultural practices. It is open to all Muslim students. The staff and students come from diverse ethnic and cultural backgrounds and celebrate this diversity. WIST strives to provide a nurturing learning environment for the children of this community. We encourage families to join us in helping us succeed in our mission. Should you have any comments and/or concerns, please do not hesitate to come and see us.



## WIST Administration

O people, We have created you from a male and a female and made you into races and tribes so that you may know each other. Surely the most honored of you in the sight of God is the one who is the most righteous of you (49:13).

## PRIMARY OBJECTIVES

The coursework is geared to provide foundational knowledge of Islam in following areas:

- Recitation/ Reading of the Quran
- Memorization of Surahs & Duas
- Salaat
- Teachings of Quran
- Islamic Morals & Manners
- Faith & Worship
- Introductory Fiqh
- Seerah of the Holy Prophet (PBUH)
- Introduction to Hadith
- Lives of the Prophets
- Islamic History
- Teaching of spoken and written Arabic



## GENERAL RULES

- Arrive on time.
- Exhibit good behavior.
- Turn off cell phones during school hours.
- Students to stay on school property.
- Excessive unexcused absences not allowed.
- Homework must be completed each week.
- Pay fees and dues on time.
- Pick up kids promptly after school.
- Parents to be a positive role model.
- Practice Islam at home.
- Committed to the Islamic School values.
- Actively participate in school activities.
- Help organize social events.
- Be respectful of other people's time.
- Volunteer for serving food and cleanup activities.
- Join kids for the Dhuhr prayer.

## HOW CAN I VOLUNTEER?

It is important for all parents to take a proactive role in the success of the school by volunteering for one or more activities. Most of them are simple and require a minimal amount of time. Help us organize activities and provide ideas to make the program enriching for your kids. In such cases, WIST fully reimburses all expenses incurred. Signup sheets are available at the school administration. Please sign-up, give of your time generously and ask about how you can help - email us at [wist@ictallahasee.com](mailto:wist@ictallahasee.com).

## DRESS CODE

### GIRLS

- All hair is covered with a moderately fitted scarf that remains in place and covers the neck.
- Dresses, abbaiya, or skirts are ankle length unless they are worn over pants.
- Pants are full-length; shirts are long sleeved, and fall below the hips.
- Pants and shirts should not be form-fitting.



### BOYS

- Pants are full length and relatively loose.
- No excessively loose pants that fall below the waist.
- No shorts (of any length).
- No underclothes are showing.
- Shirts should not contain pictures and/or offensive slogans.
- Clean shirt

## SPECIAL EVENTS

- Eid Al-Fitr Picnic
- Semester End Party
- Eid Al-Adha Potluck
- Fund Raising Bake Sale
- Parent/Teacher Conference
- Progress Reports
- Newsletters

## SCHOOL FEES

Fees due first Sunday of each month

Monthly School Fees	\$35.00/child
One Time Registration Fee	\$25.00/child

*For financial assistance, please see the school administration.*