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**Qur’an Memorization Challenge 2013/2014**

Dear parents, *Assalamu alaykum*

In order to encourage our students to memorize the Book of Allah SWT and preserve what they have memorized before, the Calgary Islamic School organizes a Qur’an Memorization Challenge every school year. Following is a list of the surahs and the rules of Tajweed per grade for the school year 2013/2014:

The tests will start January 13th 2014

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| **Grade** | **Surahs** | **Rules of Tajweed** |
| **KG** | **az-Zalzalah & al-Ma’un** | -Pronounces the Arabic letters properly- Al-Lam ash-Shamsiyah & al-Qamariyyah **اللام الشمسية و اللام القمرية** -Hamzat al-Wasl and al-Qat’ **همزة الوصل و همزة القطع** |
| **1** | **al-Fatihah, an-Nas, al-Falaq, al-Ikhlas, al-Masad, an-Nasr, al-Kawthar, Quraysh, al-Feel, al-‘Asr**, **at-Teen**, **al-Humazah, and az-Zalzalah** | -Pronounces the Arabic letters properly- Al-Lam ash-Shamsiyah & al-Qamariyyah **اللام الشمسية و اللام القمرية** -Hamzat al-Wasl and al-Qat’ **همزة الوصل و همزة القطع** |
| **2** | **an-Nasr, al-Kawthar, Quraysh, al-Feel, al-‘Asr, al-Qadr, al-Humazah, at-Takathur, al-Qari’ah, az-Zalzalah, al-Qadr, at-Teen, ash-Sharh, and ad-Doha.** | -Pronounces the Arabic letters properly- Al-Lam ash-Shamsiyah & al-Qamariyyah **اللام الشمسية و اللام القمرية** -Hamzat al-Wasl and al-Qat’ **همزة الوصل و همزة القطع** |
| **3** | **al-‘Adiyat, al-‘Alaq, al-Layl, ash-Shams, al-Balad, al-Infitar, al-A’la, and at-Tariq** | -Pronounces the Arabic letters properly- Al-Lam ash-Shamsiyah & al-Qamariyyah **اللام الشمسية و اللام القمرية** -Hamzat al-Wasl and al-Qat’ **همزة الوصل و همزة القطع** |
| **4** | **al-Bayyinah, al-Fajr, al-Buruj, al-Inshiqaq, al-Ghashiyah, and at-Takweer** | -Pronounces the Arabic letters properly- Al-Lam ash-Shamsiyah & al-Qamariyyah **اللام الشمسية و اللام القمرية** -Hamzat al-Wasl and al-Qat’ **همزة الوصل و همزة القطع** |
| **5** | **an-Naba’, an-Nazi’at, ‘Abasa, and al-Mutafifeen** | -Pronounces the Arabic letters properly- Al-Lam ash-Shamsiyah & al-Qamariyyah **اللام الشمسية و اللام القمرية** -Hamzat al-Wasl and al-Qat’ **همزة الوصل و همزة القطع –** The Qalqalah letters & ghunnah of meem and noon with shaddah. |

Notes

* Start to memorize the Surahs from now.
* The forms will be sent home on January 6th and back to school by Friday January 10th.
* The first round will start on January 13th and finish January 17th.
* To pass the first round you have to get more than 50% which means you have to memorize more than half of the surahs listed.
* Second round will start January 27th and finish January 30th.
* The Quran competition ceremony will be on February 20th.
* Tahfeez students will have their own surahs.
* Students who choose to go to Advanced level for memorizing Juzu’ or more will be informed of their test dates.
* For any questions ask your Islamic Studies or Quran teachers.

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