



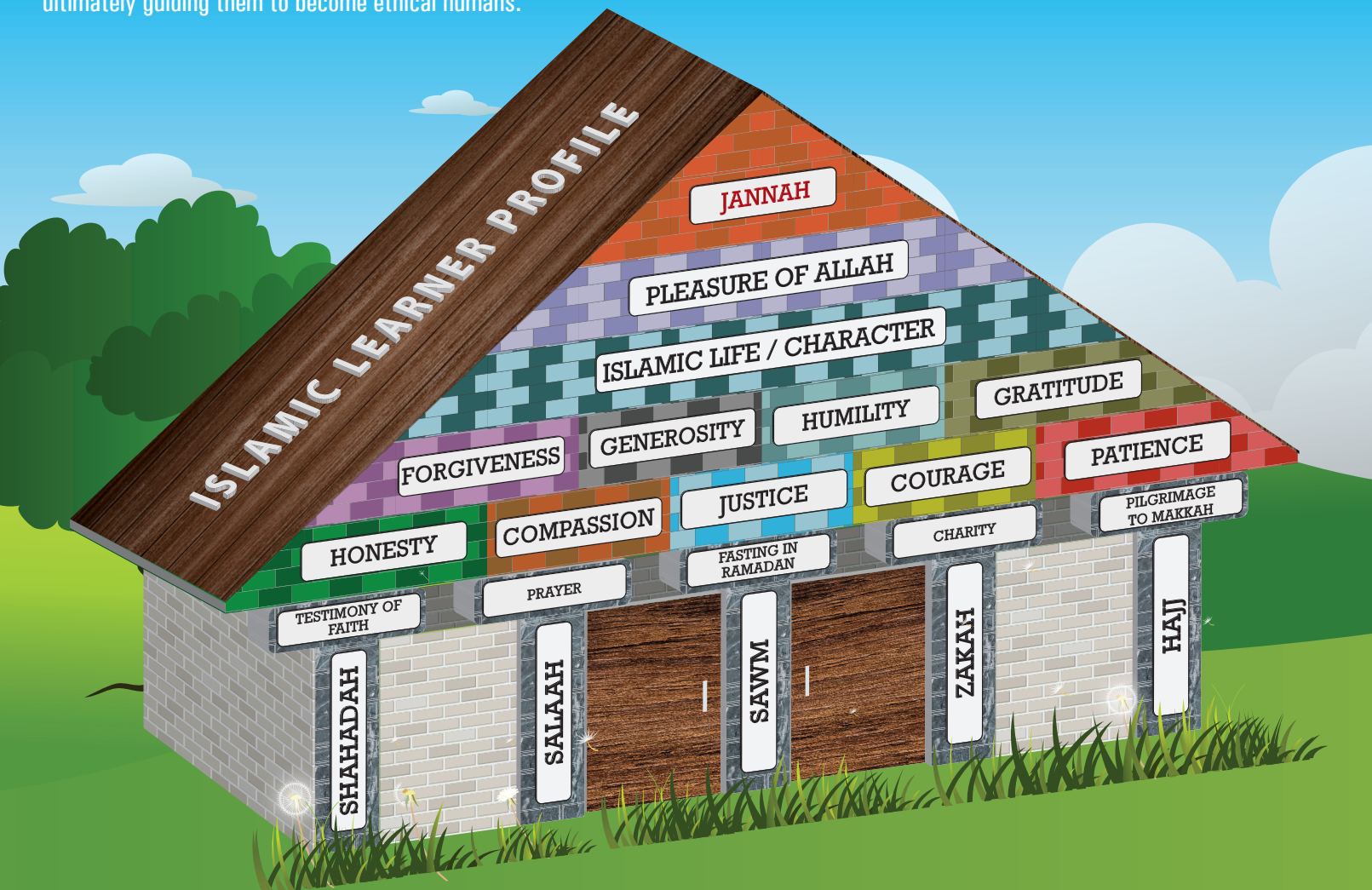
# ISLAMIC STUDIES PROGRAMME

So excel one another in good deeds - 2:148

## ISP MISSION STATEMENT

To develop pedagogical material and nurture Human Resources for teaching, developing and reinforcing the middle “E” of EPS across all stakeholders for the benefit of common humanity & shared guardianship of the planet.

Our Islamic Studies Program at EPS is thoughtfully integrated with the International Baccalaureate (IB) philosophy and pedagogy, beginning in the early years. This unique initiative helps students deepen their understanding of their faith in an age-appropriate manner, ultimately guiding them to become ethical humans.



## HOW IS THE EPS ISLAMIC STUDIES PROGRAM UNIQUE?

The IB pedagogy, renowned for its Learner Profiles, is considered the world’s best schooling approach. At EPS, we have uniquely developed in-house Islamic Learner Profiles aligned with this philosophy, making us the only school globally to do so. This approach enables us to achieve the same transformative impact on the middle “E” of EPS (Ethics) as the IB Learner Profiles achieve for the first “E” (Education).

## WHAT DOES THE ISLAMIC STUDIES PROGRAM CONSIST OF?

### ISLAMIC LEARNER PROFILES:

HONESTY

HUMILITY

PATIENCE

GENEROSITY

COURAGE

FORGIVENESS

GRATITUDE

JUSTICE

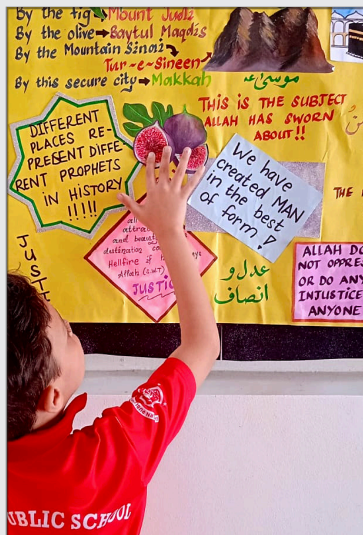
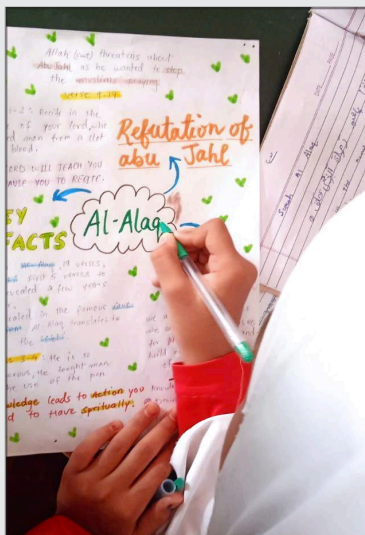
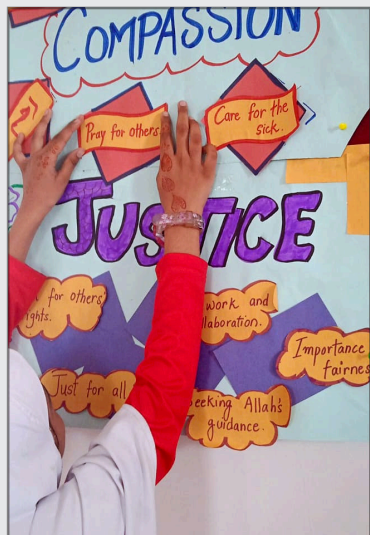
COMPASSION

## BALANCED APPROACH

We emphasize a framework that integrates Haqooq-ul-Allah (rights of the Creator) and Haqooq-ul-Ibad (rights of creation), fostering academic growth and moral excellence. Our curriculum nurtures students to build a strong relationship with Allah while understanding their responsibilities towards fellow human beings.

## ENGAGING AND INTERACTIVE LEARNING

Through engaging lessons, real-life examples, and interactive activities, students are encouraged to internalize the pillars of Islam and the Islamic Learner Profiles. They practice these values within the school and extend them into the wider community. Our teaching methodology prioritizes mentoring and counseling, providing personalized guidance to support each student's personal growth and well-being.



## SUBJECTS OFFERED AT EPS-ISP

### 1. Hifz

- Focus: Memorization of the 30th Juz of the Quran.
- Purpose: To deeply understand the central idea of Islamic Faith i.e. accountability of our small and big actions on the Day of Judgement.

### 2. Tafseer

- Focus: In-depth study of the meanings and teachings of the memorized Surahs.
- Purpose: The concept of Tawheed, Risalat and Akhira is repeatedly emphasized to strengthen Iman in our students. Students engage with Surahs of Juz Amma to clarify the central idea of our deen i.e. Akhira.

### 3. Islamic Studies

- Focus: A comprehensive study of Iman, Akhlaq, Ibadah, and Islamic history within a coherent framework.
- Purpose: To strengthen the foundation of our Deen and build the character through the integration of Islamic Learner Profiles.

## ISLAMIC DRESS CODE FOR STAFF AND STUDENTS

At EPS we follow a Universal Islamic dress code:

- Modest, neat and tidy clothes that cover the body as advised in our Deen.
- Full-length outfits made of decent, thick/non-transparent fabric and design.
- Head - scarf is mandatory for all the Muslim female-staff members and girls.
- Men should lower their gaze and guard their modesty.



"O Prophet, tell your wives, daughters, and the believing women to cover themselves with their outer garments. This will make it easier for them to be recognized as honorable and protect them from harm. Allah is always Forgiving and Merciful."

[Surah Al-Ahzab 33:59]

**"REMEMBER, There is a Hijab for Women. But there is a certain Hijab for Men too".**

## PROJECTS AND TRAININGS



**Project Infaaq** (Large-scale spending to please Allah): Encourages students, teachers, and parents to support underprivileged members of society, regardless of their caste or religion.

**Quranic Sessions, Jumah Salah, and Khutbah:** Held in school to develop Islamic Learner Profiles.



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