

Atfal Ta'leem Class

Class 3 February



Atfal Pledge

اَشُهَدُ اَنُ لَا اِللهَ اِللهَ اللهُ وَحُدَهُ لَا شَرِيُكَ لَهُ وَاشُهَدُ اَنَّ مُحَمَّدًا عَبُدُهُ وَ رَسُولُهُ

I bear witness that there is none worthy of worship except Allah and I bear witness that Muhammad (saw) is His Servant and Messenger. I sincerely promise that I shall always be ready to serve my faith Islam, Jama'at e Ahmadiyya Muslima, my nation and country. I shall always tell the truth, will not insult and abuse anybody and I will try my best to obey all instructions given by Hazrat Khalifatul Masih, Insha'Allah.

Ma'yar-e-Saghir

Atfal Syllabus



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Raise Your Hand



FOR TRIVIA SECTION

What tribe did the Holy Prophet (sa) belong to?

The Quraish Tribe

Prophet Muhammad is a descendant of which Prophet?

Prophet Ismail (as)

(son of Hazrat Ibrahim (as))

What is the name of father of the Holy Prophet (sa)?

Hazrat Abdullah

What was the name of the grandfather of the Holy Prophet (sa)?

Hazrat Abdul-Muttalib



Hazrat Amina

Discussion

What aspect of the Prophet Muhammad (sa) inspires you?

Story of the Week

Friday Sermon Recap

Hazrat Kharijah bin Zaid (ra) was martyred during the Battle of Uhud. He fought very bravely before enduring more than 13 spear wounds and then Sufyan bin Umayyah delivered the decisive blow.

It is recorded that when Hazrat Kharijah (ra) had fallen because of his wounds, he was told that the Holy Prophet (sa) had been martyred. Hazrat Kharijah (ra) said that even if this were to be true, God is still alive and the Muslims should continue fighting. This was the level of the companions' faith.

Hazrat Shammas bin Uthman (ra) was also martyred during the Battle of Uhud. He fought valiantly in the Battle of Uhud. The Holy Prophet (sa) said that he found Shammas to be like a shield and he would be fighting to the right and left of the Holy Prophet(sa). When the Holy Prophet (sa) was being pelted by stones, he stood in front of the Holy Prophet(sa) like a shield. He endured severe wounds and it was in this state that he was carried to Madinah.

Just as Hazrat Talhah (ra) had put his hand out to protect the Holy Prophet (sa) from the arrows that were being shot at him, Hazrat Shammas(ra) also stood in front of the Holy Prophet (sa) to protect him from any attack. It was thus that the Holy Prophet (sa) described him as a shield and said that whichever direction he looked in, he would see Hazrat Shammas(ra) fighting.

Hazrat Abu Sa'd (ra) was also martyred during the Battle of Uhud. He said to the Holy Prophet (sa) that he had not been able to partake in the Battle of Badr but his son did and he was martyred. He saw his son in a dream in an excellent state, and was inviting him to join him. And so, he requested the Holy Prophet (sa) to pray for his martyrdom so that he may join his son. The Holy Prophet (sa) prayed and Hazrat Abu Sa'd Khaithamah (ra) went on to be martyred in the Battle of Uhud.

Which companion said that even if the Holy Prophet (sa) is martyred, God is still alive and the Muslims should continue fighting?

Hazrat Kharijah (ra)

Which companion did the Holy Prophet (sa) say that he he found him to be like a shield?

Hazrat Shammas (ra)

Class Game

Cup Stacking

*If time permits

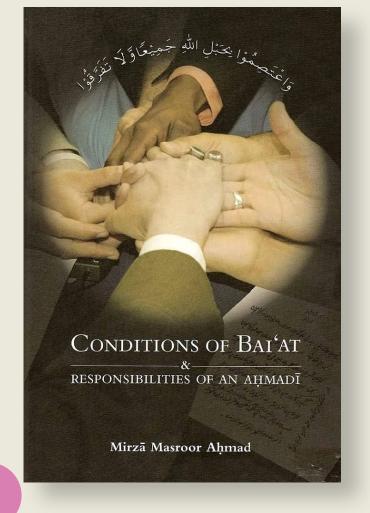
Instructions

The goal of the game is to take 10 cups and make them stack into a pyramid shape with four levels (four cups on the bottom, then three cups, then two cups, and one cup on top) as fast as you can.

Use a stopwatch or timer to see how long it takes you to make the pyramid.

The Tifl with the fastest time, WINS.

Ma'yar-e-Kabir



Conditions of Bai'at & Responsibilities of an Ahmadi

Condition 2

The second condition of bai'at mentions nine sins:

 Falsehood, adultery, trespasses of the eye, debauchery (excessive indecency), dissipation (lustfulness), cruelty, dishonesty, mischief and rebellion

Today's class will cover these:

- Debauchery (wickedness)
- Dissipation (immorality)

Condition 2 - Debauchery

Allah says in the Holy Quran (49:8) "But Allah has endeared the faith to you and has made it look beautiful to your hearts, and He has made disbelief, wickedness and disobedience hateful to you. Such indeed are those who follow the right course.."

In a hadith, the Holy Prophet (sa) said that "To rebuke (criticize) a believer is wickedness and to fight him is disbelief". ¹

He (sa) also warns that "The wicked will be in Hell".2



¹ Musnadu Ahmadabni Hanbal, vol. 1, p. 439

Condition 2 - Debauchery

The Promised Messiah (as) said "It is established from hadith that the wicked should be punished before the disbelievers..."

"The prayer of the wicked tyrant is not accepted because he is unmindful of Allah, and thus Allah cares not for him. If a son is unmindful of his obligations to his father, the father does not care about him, because of his disobedience. Why should Allah care for such people?" ²



Condition 2 - Dissipation

The Holy Prophet (sa) states about the wickedness and immoral nature of merchants. When asked "Does Allah not make trade lawful?" The Holy Prophet (sa) said, "Why not? But when they make a deal, they tell lies and raise the price making statements under oath."

This narration shows how immorality has become common in our society, as this is a common practice amongst greedy businessmen throughout the world. All who in business should ponder over this. Clean and pure dealings are a condition of bai'at.

Condition 2 - Dissipation

When Holy Prophet (sa) stated that "The wicked will be in hell", he (sa) was asked "Who are the wicked?"

He (sa) answered:

"Some women are wicked.' A man asked, 'Prophet of Allah, are they not our mothers, sisters, and wives?' He answered, 'Why not? But when something is given to them, they are not grateful; and when a hardship befalls them, they do not show patience."

This lack of gratefulness and patience shows the lustful nature of the wicked and immoral, which all believers should avoid.

¹ (Musnadu Ahmadabni Hanbal, vol. 3, p. 428

Condition 2 - Debauchery and Dissipation

The Promised Messiah (as) has given numerous reasons to stay away from wickedness. He states that wickedness and immorality cause people to disrespect the commandments and signs of Allah, causing them to go astray. He even explains that the wicked and immoral are beneath the disbelievers in the eyes of Allah. ¹

¹ Malfuzat, new edition, vol. 3, p. 108

Raise Your Hand



FOR TRIVIA SECTION

What is the second condition of Bai'at?

Falsehood, Adultery, Trespasses of the eye, Debauchery (excessive indecency), Dissipation (lustfulness) Cruelty, Dishonesty, Mischief, & Rebellion

According to Promised Messiah (as), the wicked will be punished before the disbeliever

True or False?

True

According to Holy Prophet (sa) why are some merchants immoral?

They raise prices when making deals due to their excessive greed and lust

The wicked and immoral are beneath the disbelievers in the eyes of Allah

True or False?

True

Please take some time to go over the <u>litema Syllabus</u> with the Atfal and set up a time and date before your next local litema to do a ljtema Prep workshop for some competitions



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