# Edmonton Islamic Academy







#### **New Personal Device Policy**

We would like to inform you of a significant update that will affect all students in Alberta regarding Personal Mobile Devices and Social Media in schools. The Alberta Minister of Education has issued a new Ministerial Order (#014/2024) which states that **all personal electronic devices**, **including cell phones**, **smartphones**, **headphones**, **smartwatches**, **and other smart devices**, **will NO LONGER BE PERMITTED** on the school campus for students in Kindergarten through Grade 12.

This policy aims to create a focused and distraction-free learning environment. In addition, all social media sites have been blocked on the school's internet service to safeguard students. The only exceptions we will consider will be due to the following reasons:

- 1. Health and medical reasons (approved by the Principal)
- 2. After-school activities (i.e. Athletics)

#### **Uniform Changes**

We have updated the school uniforms starting September 2024. The changes we have made for Junior High are the following:

- Boys are now casual jogger-style dress pants with stretch waists and tapered ankles.
- Boys dress shirt has changed to gray.
- Girls abayas have been upgraded for improved comfort, fit, and quality. (Gray)
- Girls hijabs have changed to forest green which is a 2 piece hijab only and can be purchased from the main office for \$10.00. Must be worn by Sept 16, 2024.
- Between September 2024 and December 2024, students will be permitted to wear either the old or new uniform.
- However, as of January 2025, all students must come to school wearing the new uniform.
- To purchase uniform items please visit the following website: <u>https://mccarthyuniforms.ca/shop/school/7803#allProducts</u>
- Due to recent uniform updates, wearing cultural attire on Fridays is temporarily suspended until further notice.

## ATHLETICS

Please click on the following link for the Junior High Legends athletics Game & Practice Schedule for the upcoming season. Links: EIA Athletics Season 2024

To receive weekly updates, join the Junior High athletic reminder Page. Junior High Code: @fb6f46D

# UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS (TEST/ QUIZ/PROJECTS)

Subject	Monday March 31	Tuesday April 1	Wednesday April 2	Thursday April 3	Friday April 4
Social Studies	No School	No School			
Science	No School	No School			
Math	No School	No School			graph and algebra linear equation WS due
Language Arts	No School	No School			
Arabic Level 1	No School	No School			
Arabic Level 2	No School	No School			
Arabic Level 3	No School	No School			Brochure Project is due
Islamic Studies	No School	No School			
Quran	No School	No School			



# **UPCOMING TOPICS**

<b>SUBJECTS</b>	CURRICULUM OVERVIEW			
Social Studies	<ul> <li>Have a great break spring break!</li> <li>Chapter 8: Confederation         <ul> <li>Appreciate the influence of diverse Aboriginal, British, and French peoples on events leading to confederation.</li> <li>Evaluate the extent to which confederation was to provide populations control over their own affairs and strengthen Maritime colonies</li> <li>Examine how confederation has shaped Canada</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
Science	<ul> <li>Unit_4 (D): &gt;&gt;Structures and Forces&lt;</li> <li>What features do structures have?</li> <li>What makes structures fail?</li> <li>What design choices make strong and stable structures?</li> <li>This week's classroom learning: &gt;&gt;Unit 4: Topics 1-2&lt;&lt;&lt;    </li> <li>Important Upcoming Assessment Tentative Date: Unit 4 Mini Test: Topics 1-6 on April 16th</li> </ul>			
Math	<ul> <li>Please practice math consistently by review chapter 10,11.</li> <li>Continue 11.1 (7B, 7E) and 11.2 (7A,C, D)for Students will be able to identify expressions and equations, and represent equations using models, and translate sentences into equations.</li> <li>Make sure you bring your workbook and math duotang and notebook, along with your pencil to EVERY class.</li> </ul>			
Language Arts	<ul> <li>Understanding argumentative writing</li> <li>Refer to Google Classroom for information on the Trial and all that is needed.</li> <li>Ensure you have the novel you are reading with you to read in class.</li> <li>Make sure to read 30 minutes daily</li> </ul>			
Arabic Level 1	<ul> <li>Start new lesson letters Lam pages 114-115 and Meem pages 118-119</li> <li>Project Due On April 7th letters Lam pages 114-115 and Meem pages 118-119</li> <li>Worksheet and discussion on letter Lam and Meem</li> </ul>			
Arabic Level 2	<ul> <li>Hand out the Flyer project (choose one of : <b>Option 1</b>: Furniture Store (محل الأثاث) or <b>Option 2:</b> Clothing Store (محل الملابس)</li> <li>Students will have time to work on this project and it will be posted on Google Classroom.</li> <li><u>Project will be due on Monday April 7th!</u></li> </ul>			
Arabic Level 3	<ul> <li>Start the new reading lesson وسائل النقل Introduce the new vocabulary</li> <li>Daily reading in class</li> <li>Comprehension questions in the book</li> <li>Brochure project is due on April 4th</li> </ul>			
Islamic Studies	<ul> <li>Taharah : Purification</li> <li>Learning about the importance of Taharah.</li> <li>Learning about Najasah and ways to remove it.</li> <li>Videos about Taharah and Najasah.</li> </ul>			

• Tajweed: Lesson 15 Idgham / Tajweed Booklet #2 + Worksheets

# **ISLAM AWARDS**

# JUNIOR HIGH CRITERIA

The 11th Annual ISLAM Awards will be held in October 2025 (tentatively).

### Academic Awards

These awards will be based on the students' grades encompassing year end (Y1) results.

#### • Honors:

This requires (80% - 89%) based on an average of the 4 core subjects.

#### • Honors with Distinction:

This requires 90% or higher based on an average of the 4 core subjects.

#### • PAT Star:

The student must achieve 90% or above on any of the grade 9 PAT exams.

#### • Top Academic:

This award will be given to the top student from each grade. One from all of grade 7, one from all of grade 8, one from all of grade 9.

### **Special Awards**

To be eligible to receive one of the following awards, you must have no more than one discipline report.

### • Quran Recitation Award:

This award will be given to the Top 3 students in each grade in JH (Total 9). Students must meet the following criteria to receive the award:

★ Recite the Surahs from the curriculum correctly, following tajweed rules:

- Grade 7 Surah Al Mursalat and Surah Al Maarej
- Grade 8 Surah Al Qiyamah and Surah Al Muzzeml
- Grade 9 Surah Al Jin and Surah Nuh
- ★ Students should recite with proper tajweed.
- \* Students should know the basic provisions of tajweed.
- \* Students should read with correct pronunciation of the words.

### **Special Awards Continued**

#### • Islamic Studies Award:

This award will be given to the top 3 achievers from each grade (7-8-9) in Junior High (Total 9).

#### • Al Muathen, Bilal Ibn Rabah Award (boys only):

Al Muathen will be given to the top three achievers from Junior High.

#### • Khateeb Award:

The Al Khateeb award will be given to the top three achievers from Junior High.

#### • Arabic Language:

This award will be given to the top 3 achievers from each grade in Junior High (Total 9).

#### • Leadership as an Active Citizen:

This award will be given to the three most successful citizens from Junior High.

#### • Athlete of the Year Award:

This award will be given to the most outstanding male athlete and the most outstanding female athlete from Junior High (Total 2).

# **OPTIONS**

M1 (Sept 3 - Nov 19)	S1 (Nov 20 - Jan 28)	M2 (Jan 29 - Apr 8)	Y1 (Apr 9 - June 25)
Board Games	Board Games	Board Games	French as a Second Language
Outdoor Education	Outdoor Education	Outdoor Education	Outdoor Education
Film Studies	Film Studies	Film Studies	Film Studies
Drama	Drama	Drama	Drama
Construction	3D Printing	Basic Coding	Construction
Drawing Fundamentals	Painting Exploration	Sculpture and 3D Art	Film Making and Needle Felting
Foods	Foods	Foods	Foods
Science Fair	Science Fair	Science Showcase	Science Showcase



# **WELCOME TO GRADE 7**

# **TEACHER EMAILS**

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### GOOGLE CLASSROOM CODES



Math

3gp3waa

7A mktr7qv 7B v2h2ljy 7C jqe3jnm 7D a3i4mjp 7E kbiv3ar

English

Science

7A mjanr4h

7B tkcwbii

7D esuagfj

Islamic

Jerzvdn

7C d7djmn4

7E hwgpnld

Social

7A 46ni47a 7B 77ztb25 7C zoshykq 7D lzbtf2q 7E l3hwzeb

Arabic Level 1 ogkf6nd

Arabic Level 2 6v3j7ij (Ms. Abir)

Arabic Level 2 <mark>5ttroud (Ms. Dania)</mark>

Arabic Level 3 z63y2ea (Ms. Raghda)



### **REMIND CODES**



#### Math

7A MathGr7A 7B MathGr7B 7C MathGr7C 7D Math7DHomeroom 7E MathGr7E

#### English

7A saleh7a 7B saleh7b 7C saleh7c 7D saleh7d 7E saleh7e

#### Social:

7A kassab7a 7B kassab7b 7C kassab7c 7D kassab7c 7E kassab7e

> Science sgr7

Arabic Level 2 Abir2 arabicl22

Arabic Level 3 raghda3

> Islamic Islamic-7

7A Homeroom 7a-hr

> Health hb9887f