

Responsibilities of the Parents of ISM Students

The parents are pivotal in the success of their children in acquiring Islamic education and putting it to practice. They can instill and reinforce the importance of Islamic education, hence of the Islamic School, in many direct and subtle ways. Their level of expectation and interest in their child's school work is contagious and easily sensed by their child.

The parents' responsibilities include:

1. Ensuring that their child attends ISM regularly and on time.
2. Notifying the ISM teachers in case of an absence, and making arrangements to make up for missed classes.
3. Ensuring that their child and they themselves are appropriately dressed for the Islamic school.
4. Teaching and reinforcing the importance of respecting teachers and peers, paying attention, and observing ISM rules and regulations.
5. Encouraging and leading the child to develop proper study habits at home.
6. Reviewing with their child materials taught each week and ensuring that all homework assignments are completed on time.
7. Participating meaningfully in parent-teacher conferences to discuss their child's progress and areas that need improvement.
8. Discussing report cards with their child and jointly striving for improvement.

Responsibilities of the Students

The students or the learners are the target of all these efforts. They need to come to the School prepared with mental receptacles open to learn.

The students' responsibilities are:

1. Attending Islamic Sunday school regularly and on time.
2. Wearing proper Islamic dress to the school.
3. Bringing to class appropriate texts, handouts, and necessary supplies (binders, writing paper, pens/pencils, etc.).
4. Participating in class discussions and activities.
5. Completing all homework assignments and preparing for quizzes and exams.
6. Conducting themselves in a courteous and responsible manner.
7. Showing respect towards teachers and adults, and being helpful to fellow students besides during exams, quizzes, tests, etc...
8. Observing all ISM rules and regulations.