



Core Curriculum

6 Measuring Good and Bad in Islam

6.1 The Effects of Our Actions in this World

Word : Khattā

Meaning : sin

Word : Waswasa

Meaning : the devil's whispers

Word : Riyā

Meaning : showing-off

6.2 The Gray Areas of Islamic Law and Morality

Word : Mubah

Meaning : neutral, permissible

Word : Makruh

Meaning : disliked by God, but not forbidden

Word : Mustahab

Meaning : Encouraged by God, but not obligatory

6.3 Heaven and Hell in Islam

Word : Jannah

Meaning : Heaven

Word : Jahannam

Meaning : Hell

Word : Ghayb

Meaning : Unseen

6.4 Life and Death in Islam

Word : Nihilism

Meaning : Worldview that nothing has ultimate meaning or purpose

Word : Subjective or relative morality

Meaning : morality that is produced by the human mind and is limited to human experience in this world only.

6.5 Guidance According to Islam

Word : Sirāt al-Mustaqīm

Meaning : Straight Path

Word : Hidāya

Meaning : Guidance

6.6 Fate and the Consequences of our Choices in Islam

Word : Qadar

Meaning : predestination

6.7 The Effect of Culture and Environment in Shaping our Religious Choices

Word : Istiqāma

Meaning : striving towards God

6.8 Major Sins in Islam

Word : Shirk

Meaning : Polytheism

Word : Yas

Meaning : Despair

Word : Āq al-Wālidayn

Meaning : Disobedience to Parents

Word : ‘Ibādah

Meaning : worship

Word : Kabā’ir

Meaning : major sins

6.9 Why Allah Allows People to Sin

Word : N/A

Meaning : N/A

6.10

Repentance and Forgiveness of Sins in Islam

Word : Tawbah

Meaning : repentance

Word : Shafa'ah

Meaning : intercession on the Day of Judgment

Word : Astaghfurallah

Meaning : "May God Forgive Me"

6.11 The Three Kinds of Rights in Islam

Word : Haqq

Meaning : right

Word : Haqq al-nafs

Meaning : rights of the self

Word : Haqq al-nās

Meaning : rights of others

Word : Haqq Allah

Meaning : rights of God

Word : Shirk

Meaning : Associating Partners with God

6.12 Sinning Against Others and their Delayed Punishment

Word : Ghībah

Meaning : Ghībah: Backbiting

Word : Zina

Meaning : Fornication

6.13 Kufr in Islam

Word : Kufr:

Meaning : Rejecting the truth

Word : Kafir

Meaning : Someone who commits kufr, that is, rejects the truth.

6.14 Trivializing the Harām

Word : Tāghūt

Meaning : powers of evil, head of which is Satan

6.15

Benefits of Islamic Law in this World

Word : N/A

Meaning : N/A

6.16 Good and Bad Deeds: The Spiritual Consequences of our Choices

Word : Redemptive Suffering

Meaning : Suffering that either forgives us of our sins and helps us turn back to God to ask for His help. It is a suffering that helps us grow spiritually.