

## WEEKLY BRIEFING 10 JUNE 2024 | 04 DHUL-HIJJAH 1445

Assalamualaikum wa Rahmatullaahi wa Barakatu. We make du'a In-sha'Allāh this briefing reaches you all in good health and emaan.

Please read about our eventful week full of learning, fun, and personal development, Alhamdulillah.

### THE FINAL COUNTDOWN

We are all ecstatic to be back at school for our final stretch until the end of the school year. Year 11 students are gearing up for their final GCSE exams this week, and everyone is counting down the six remaining weeks. We began the day in the Masjid, welcoming all the pupils back and motivating them to finish the year strong.



We pray that Allah ﷻ grants us a successful conclusion to the year, keeps all our pupils safe, and allows them to thrive, Ameen.

Additionally, a big JazakAllahkhairan to all the parents who have participated in our survey. If you haven't shared your views yet, please do so promptly as the cut-off date is next week. We have received some excellent feedback, including many positives and suggested areas for improvement. We will be sharing this with you next week, Insha'Allah.



### NASIHAH

Our pupils were blessed to receive invaluable words of wisdom from our Shaikh Ul Hadith and senior Ulema, Moulana Habibul Gaffar. He emphasised the profound importance of the first 10 days of Dhul Hijjah, explaining why these are the best of days, the significance of Hajj, and the blessed opportunities and practices available to us during this period. He concluded with a clear action plan for everyone to follow. Through his inspiring reminder, he encouraged the audience to seize these moments for doing good deeds, Insha'Allah. May Allah ﷻ shower His blessings on our scholars, and grant them eternal success in the hereafter, Ameen



## YOUNG DU'AAT

Our Year 7 pupil, Sabir, and Year 8 pupil, Cusman, created an amazing reminder video about the blessed days of Dhul Hijjah, Masha'Allah. They discussed relevant ayat from the Qur'an and a Hadith about these best 10 days, delivering a crucial message in an engaging and enjoyable manner. They did a fantastic job, combining important reminders with a fun dialogue.

May Allah ﷻ abundantly reward our young duaats, and make them great scholars that benefit the Ummah, Ameen.

## SAFEGUARDING

*Have you considered your child's risks in school, out of school and at home? Have you noticed any change in their behaviour? Talk to us about it – even if it seems small.*

## KHUTBAH

Our Year 9 pupil, Kazi Sinan, delivered an outstanding Khutbah on "The Negative Impact of Sins and the Mercy and Forgiveness of Allah," Alhamdulillah. He eloquently reminded us of the virtues of self-control, accountability, and seeking forgiveness. Drawing from the Qur'an and Hadith of the Prophet ﷺ, Kazi Sinan emphasised that there is no sin Allah ﷻ will not forgive if we sincerely seek His forgiveness. His Khutbah served as a powerful reminder that we should never lose hope in our Creator's boundless mercy and to try our best to refrain from sins. Additionally, our Year 7 pupil, Mustafa, recited the Adhaan beautifully, Masha'Allah.



May Allah ﷻ abundantly reward our pupils, granting them steadfastness in their worship, nurturing them into great scholars and da'ees, and guiding all of us along the straight path. Ameen.

## CHANGE OF SCHOOL OPENING HOURS

For the upcoming academic year, the school will begin the day at **8am**. This change, discussed during our last parent conference, is crucial for enhancing our safeguarding measures. The additional time for Key Stage 3 (KS3) will be allocated to form classes, longer assemblies, and extended lessons. Additionally, the school day for Key Stage 4 (KS4) will end slightly earlier allowing them to finish at 4:30pm. Our KS4 boosters can also become more beneficial, as instead of a 30-minute short session, it will last for 45 minutes-1 hour, achieving a great deal more. This adjustment is part of our long-term strategy to achieve excellence in all areas of the school. We kindly ask for your support in making this transition smooth and effective.

May Allah ﷻ assist us in our efforts to improve the school for the betterment of our pupils and community, Ameen.





**DARUL ULOOM  
SUMMER  
SCHOOL**

Monday-Thursday, (WK1) 22 July – 25 July,  
(WK2) 29 July – 1 August, (WK3) 5-8 August,  
(WK4) 12-15 August

Qur'an, Arabic, English & Maths

ONLY £145 FOR DU PUPILS &  
£175 FOR NON-DU PUPILS

Register by contacting us on  
0121 688 6507 or emailing us at  
contact@darululoom.org.uk

BOYS ONLY (AGED 10-16)  
LIMITED SPACES

Open 9:30am - 1:30pm

521-527 COVENTRY ROAD, B10 0LL

## SUMMER SCHOOL

We invite all parents to enrol their children in our summer school. Do you want your child to make continued progress in their Hifdh, or further their studies in Arabic, English, and Maths instead of staying at home for six weeks? Our summer school offers the perfect opportunity for academic advancement while also enjoying socialising with peers and participating in sports like football, basketball, and cricket. Don't wait—register today as spaces are limited!

We plan to start our summer school from (W1) 22 July – 25 July, (W2) 29 July – 1 August, (W3) 5-8 August, (W4) 12-15 August, totalling four weeks, Monday-Thursday from **9:30am to 1:30pm**. There will be Hifdh, Arabic, English and Maths lessons throughout the week.

**For the 4 weeks it is a cost of only £145 (for Darul Uloom pupils). For non-Darul Uloom pupils it will be at a cost of £175. Register your son before 14 June to secure a place.**

## CAREERS DAY 21 JUNE

Our Careers Day is scheduled, and we have some fantastic guests joining us, Insha'Allah. Maybe you can help too? If you can spare three hours on **Friday 21 June, from 10am to 1pm**, we would love for you to join us and be a part of this educational event.

We invite you to come and talk to our pupils about your profession, sharing insights about what you do, how you started your journey, and the steps pupils can take to follow a similar path. We are particularly interested in meeting individuals with exceptional careers—perhaps you know a hypnotist or a lion tamer!

If you can attend or know someone who can help, please inform our office and we will send an official invite, Insha'Allah.

## FUNDRAISING

The school has undertaken an admirable initiative to establish an honours board celebrating the accomplishments of our esteemed Huffadh and Alims throughout the years.

In order to materialise this endeavour, we are reaching out to our wider community, including former pupils, parents, staff, and local supporters. With collective effort and generosity, we are confident in our ability to achieve our goal, Insha'Allah. We kindly request your participation in spreading the word among any former graduates you may know, urging them to join us in this noble cause.

May Allah ﷻ reward all our pupils, past and present, especially those who have dedicated themselves to becoming Huffadh and Alims, and who continue to contribute to the benefit of the ummah, Ameen.

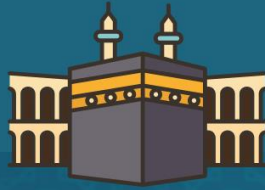




**DARUL ULOOM  
ISLAMIC HIGH SCHOOL**

The Prophet ﷺ said: *"There are no days on which righteous deeds are more beloved to Allah than these ten days"*  
Hadith | Sahih al-Bukhari

# BEST 10 DAYS DHUL HIJJAH



## To Do Checklist

**Fasting the first nine days** ✓

**Dhikr and Takbeer** ✓

**Give Charity** ✓


**Offer Qurbani** ✓

**Do More Good Deeds Than Usual** ✓

**Recite Quran Daily** ✓


**Make Lots of Dua** ✓





• DARUL ULOOM •  
INVITES YOU TO OUR

## HIFDH & YEAR 11 GRADUATION



• WEDNESDAY 17 JULY 11:45AM - 1:45PM •

CELEBRATE WITH US. COME TO SEE PERFORMANCES,  
AWARDS & A SPECIAL GUEST.  
LUNCH WILL BE SERVED (2PM), AFTER ZUHR PRAYERS(1:45PM)

Al-Mirage Banqueting Suite, 11-29 Wordsworth Road, Birmingham, B10 0ED  
Register your attendance  
T: 0121 688 6507 E: [contact@darululoom.org.uk](mailto:contact@darululoom.org.uk)

### YEAR 11 & HIFDH GRADUATION - BOOK THIS DATE IN YOUR DIARY NOW!

All parents are requested to attend our end of year Hifdh and Year 11 graduation. It will be held in the Al-Mirage banqueting suite starting from 11:45am and ending at 1:45pm with a 3-course meal.

We give you this early notice so you can plan your work schedule and ensure your attendance. Book Wednesday 17 July morning and afternoon off so you can attend.

We plan to celebrate our pupil achievements, have excellent Qur'an recitals, beautiful Nasheeds and lots of fun.

Let us know you're coming by contacting our office, on **01216886507**. We would love to see you there, Insha'Allah


### ALUMNI TOURNAMENT

Do you know any graduates from Darul Uloom? Tell them about our Alumni football tournament on **17 July** organised to keep our communities connected and celebrate being part of this school.

Let your friends and family know if they were part of the Darul Uloom in its long history. It will take place on **17 July** from 7pm – 9:30pm, Insha'Allah.


Register a team by calling/messaging: 07847597814 or emailing [headteacher@darululoom.org.uk](mailto:headteacher@darululoom.org.uk)





## Darul Uloom Alumni Football Tournament

Play 8-a-side against former pupils and a teacher team



Trophy and medals for the winners

#### Terms & Conditions

- \*All players must be former pupils/school graduates
- \*Your team must be from the same year group
- \*You must register your team before 5 July 2024
- \*We require 8 teams in total

Muntz St. Small Heath Leisure Centre, B10 9RX

Wednesday 17 July 2024  
19:00 - 21:30

£120 per team

**Outdoor Astro-turf**

Register your team by -  
Telephone: **07847 597 814**  
Email: [headteacher@darululoom.org.uk](mailto:headteacher@darululoom.org.uk)





# HOLIDAY

## SUMMER SCHEME '24



### ACTIVITIES

Sports training  
Arts & Crafts  
Energiser Activities  
PE & Yoga  
Breakfast/Lunch\*  
Free snacks

### DAY TRIPS\*

Alton Towers/Drayton Manor  
Canoe/climbing/archery  
London Sight Seeing  
Peak District Countryside  
Bournemouth Seaside  
Blackpool Beach  
Wales Waterfall

### OPEN TO BOYS & GIRLS

MON - THU FOR 4 WEEKS

5-10 year old  
9am - 12.45pm

11-16 year old  
1.15pm - 5pm



**MON 29 JULY - THU 22 AUG 2024**



**SMALL HEATH: DARUL ULOOM  
511 COVENTRY ROAD, B10 0LL**



**WED 24 JULY - TUE 20 AUG 2024**



**LOZELLS: CF BUILDING  
20 ST SILAS SQUARE, B19 1QW**

**To enrol your child, complete form and return by Friday 12th July 2024**

Email : [info@thecommunityfoundation.org.uk](mailto:info@thecommunityfoundation.org.uk)

Tel: 0121 312 0135

website: [www.thecommunityfoundation.org.uk](http://www.thecommunityfoundation.org.uk)

**\*Trips & meals are free for kids eligible for Free School Meals (FSM). Fees applies for those not on FSM**

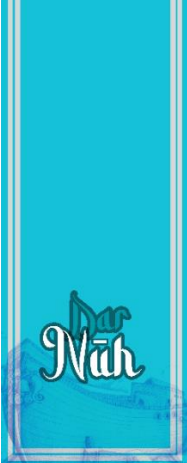




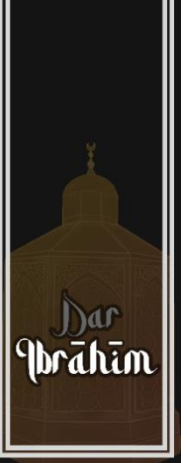
Join the 2024 Summer Scheme for boys & girls 6 -16 years old, to take in sports activities, day trips, arts and crafts, energiser games and free breakfast/ lunch.

The scheme will run in Lozells Wed 24 July – Tue 20 Aug and in Small Heath from Mon 29 July – Thu 22 Aug. Limited space. First come, first served.

For further info, please call us on 01213120135 / 07823463424 or email us at [info@thecommunityfoundation.org.uk](mailto:info@thecommunityfoundation.org.uk) web: [www.thecommunityfoundation.org.uk](http://www.thecommunityfoundation.org.uk)

## DAR SCORES

The final half-term scores are in, and after the first week, Dar Ibrahim has taken the lead. A strong start is crucial for building momentum, and they have certainly set the pace. Dar Nuh is also off to a strong start, securing second place. The other Dars are close behind, and the upcoming competitions are sure to have a significant impact on the standings.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

Volunteers Week: 10-14 June  
 Parent Conference: 14 June  
 Eidul Adha Holiday: 17-18 June  
 Science Competition: 19 June  
 Eid Party: 20 June  
 Careers Day: 21 June

Thank you for taking out some time to read our briefing – JazakumAllāhukhairan

