## Saturday 27th March 2021

### L.O: To read Surah Naziaat with tajweed rules

**Task 1:** Watch the read along video: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fRkEUrUSMc0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fRkEUrUSMc0</a> and remember to read along using a tajweed rules.



Task 2: Re-cap the noon-saakin and tanween rules.

LO: To understand the social evils in the pre-Islamic Arabia like burying of baby girls, no rights for women, slave, killing and bloodshed.

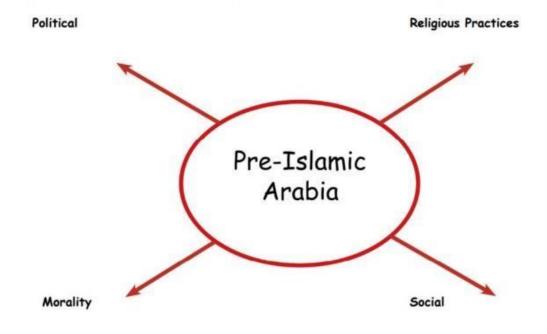
TASK 1: Watch the video below and read the following and write down five evil actions of pre – Islamic

Arabia <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qMOU3nux-f4">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qMOU3nux-f4</a>

Before the advent of Islam, Arab used to live in tribes. Their social life is characterized by the nomadic nature, and by the hard and ignorant environment which they lived under its umbrella.

- They worshiped different idols, approached them, slaughtered for them, and magnified them. Around Kaaba alone, there were about 360 idols.
- They believed blindly in superstition, and in bad omens, to the extent that if one
  had heard the sound of an owl, or he had seen a crow, he would have thought
  that he would be harmed or hurt on that day.
- The allegiance of the people of the Arabian Peninsula was distributed to the great powers of their time; some of them were loyal to the Romans, others to the Persians,
- Arab tribes used to invade each other and kill each other for the most trivial reasons. They also used to kill their children because of their poverty, or because of the fear of falling into poverty. Some of them buried their daughters for the fear of being captured and brought them shame.
- Woman was deprived of inheritance, so there was no share for her when her son, father or mother died even if they left huge wealth.

TASK 2: Fill in the diagram below with the information provided.



#### Social conditions:

Social conditions in Arab society was very bad. Drinking and gambling were a heavy part of Arab society. They were heavily in debt because of this and usury was very common.

They were fiercely polytheistic with 360 idols that they used to worship. The three major ones were Al-Lat, Al Uzza and Al-Manat. Because of this, they had very superstitious beliefs and practices involving circumambulating the sacred house naked and in a drunken state. They would sacrifice animals to their Gods and they would eat dead carcasses.

#### Women:

Women had no rights in this society. They were treated lower then animals. A female was buried alive when she was born because she amounted to no good. Prostitution of the worse kind where many men would enter on a woman and have intercourse with her was prevalent. The child born was attributed to the one the woman would choose from the men that had intercourse with her. So lineages were lost. Adultery was prevalent in their society. Women were inherited after the death of a person. They had no right in inheritance and no rights. Could go on how bad situation for women was before the advent Islam but I think you get the picture.

#### Wars:

This was a favorite past time. Since this soceity was tribal, everything revolved around loyalty to one's tribe. They fought for 40 years over some useless affair and never intermarry. Fighting was very common amongst them over petty and trivial issues. Thus they were never unified and had no political structure or government.

The list is long on economic and political situation in this era.

With all these bad qualities they had some really good qualities.

- 1. Poetry and the gift of language. Arabic is the greatest language and they used to pride themselves in being the masters of the language. However when the Quran came they could not argue against the miraculous nature of the Quran even though they were the people who mocked others for their language. They had seven poems that they had hung from the Kabah that were considered a work of literary art. They are learnt even today to understand the beauty of the language.
- 2. Hospitality. The Arabs were known for their hospitality and treating guests better then themsleves. This is still prevalent in Arab culture to this day. Even if its an emey if its a guest they will treat him better then themselves.
- 3. Sense of honor. When it came to honor they would fight till death. When they were rebuilding the Kabah they made sure all money that they spend is from pure sources.
- 4. Simple bedouin life. They preferred a simple life. They would send their children to the outskirts of the city so their children would live the good life and be pure.
- Determination. They were very determined and because of this fought with extreme zeal and loyalty.

#### TASK 3: Read the following and answer the questions:

# What was the condition of Arabic society before Prophet Mohammad came?

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#### 10 Answers



Originally Answered: What was the condition of Arab before Islam?

This is a very good question.

The situation of the Arabs before Islam is called Jahilyyah. Or in simple English, pre-Islamic 'ignorance'. No society has descended to the depths of ignorance as the Arabs had descended before Islam. Dividing it up to better understand

- 1) What was the situation of the Arabs before Islam called?
- 2) And what is the definition of this word in English?
- 3) Using information provided before why was the Arabian society so 'ignorant'?

TASK 4: Given the information provided, write down five points on how you think Islam changed Arabia?

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## الجَوُّ

Task 1: Match the sentences in English with the correct sentence in Arabic.

**Task 2:** Then practise reading the dialogue to a parent/sibling.

English	Arabic
Do you like the hot weather?	سُمَيَّة: كَيْفَ الْجَوُّ اليَومَ؟
Yes I like the hot weather	تَوفِيق: الجَوُّ بَارِدٌ جِدًّا
The weather is hot in Bangladesh	سُمَيَّة: كَيْفَ الْجَوُّ فِي بَنغَلَادِيْشَ؟
How is the weather today?	تَوفِيق: الجَوُّ حَارُّ جِدًّا فِي بَنغَلَادِيْشَ
How is the weather in Bangladesh?	سُمَيَّة: هَلْ تُحِبُّ الْجَوَّ الحَارَ ؟
The weather is very colder	تَوفِيق: نَعَمْ أُحِبُّ الْجَوَّ الحَارَّ

Task 3: Learn the seasons in Arabic below:

