



AIA Quran Kareem Scholarship Information

General Information

Quran Kareem Scholarship test is an oral examination assessment of three components, Memorisation, Tajweed (pronunciation) and Quality of the performance. The assessment is weighted, where Memorisation makes up 80% of the overall marks, 18% for Tajweed and the remaining 2% for the quality. The candidate will be tested in the Juzas (Parts) of the Quran that has been specified in the scholarship application form.

- Memorisation = 80% of the total marks.

For every Juza the candidate will be asked to recite, from memory, from 2 or 3 different positions. For example, if the candidate is to be tested in two Juzas, he/she will be asked to recite from 4 to 6 places of those 2 Juzas.

- Tajweed (Pronunciation) = 18% of the total marks.

Tajweed is the ability to pronounce the Quran according to the rules governing elocution and grammatical implementation. It is expected that the candidate can orally demonstrate a correct pronunciation and implementation of the rules that govern reciting the Quran. Please refer to the table below to have a clear idea about some of the Tajweed rules which can effect your results.

- Quality (Performance) = 2% of the total marks.

Candidates are expected to recite fluently with confidence and no hesitation as well as apply Tajweed rules while reciting with Tarteel. Therefore, 2% of the total marks will be allocated for the quality of the candidate's performance. This is to make sure that the scholarship winners are the top quality of the highest achievers.

The total marks for each question is out of 25.

Category C - Quran Kareem.

Quran Kareem Categories - Memorisation and Tajweed - Primary and Secondary.
These categories are:

1. Primary - (Prep - Yr 2) Memorisation of One Part
2. Primary - (Prep - Yr 5) Memorisation of Two Parts
3. Primary and Secondary (Yrs. 6,7, 8) Memorisation of Three Parts
4. Secondary (Yrs 9-11) Memorisation of Four Parts
5. Secondary (Yrs 7-11) Memorisation of Six Parts
6. Primary and Secondary (All Levels) Memorisation of Ten Parts.

Important Notice

The candidate will only be assessed on the same Juz's specified in the Scholarship Application. Change to any other Juzas will not be permitted.

	Some Tajweed Rules	Major	Minor	Quality (Performance)
1	Harakat: Fat-hah, Kasrah and Dammah.	✓		Scholarship candidates should be able to: 1. Read fluently. 2. Recite with Tarteel.
2	Articulation Points of the letters	✓		
3	Noon sakinah and Tanween	✓		
4	Meem Sakinah	✓		
5	Lam Sakinah (the/noun/verb/letter)	✓		
6	Medd Caused by the Hamzah	✓		
7	Lazem Medd (Words/Letters)	✓		
8	Natural Lengthening	✓		
9	Lesser Connecting Medd	✓		
10	Shorting Greater Connecting Medd		✓	
11	Ghunnah		✓	
12	Qalqalah		✓	