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TASHN-E-ANWAR-E-RAJAB

- Organized on: Thursday, 1st Rajab-ul-Murajjab 1446 A.H. i.e. 2nd January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were: Main Campus: Maulana Qamar Ali Lilani Senior Girls Campus: Zakira Syeda Sagheer Fatima Junior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Farwa Faisal



















🌴 MAJLIS-E-SHAHADAT-E-IMAM ALI NAQI (A.S.)

- Organized on: Friday, 2nd Rajab-ul-Murajjab 1446 A.H. i.e. 3rd January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were:

Main Campus: Maulana Ali Abbas Vazir

Senior Girls Campus: Zakira Syeda Binish Zehra

Junior Girls Campus: Zakira Syeda Sagheer Fatima





















🎁 JASHN-E-WILADAT-E-IMAM ALI NAQI (A.S.)

- Organized on: Monday, 5th Rajab-ul-Murajjab 1446 A.H. i.e. 6th January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were: Main Campus: Maulana Ghulam Raza Roohani Senior Girls Campus: Maulana Ghulam Raza Roohani Junior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Fatima Sajjad



















TICATS MATHEMATICS & SCIENCE AWARDS

 ICATS Mathematics Contest 2 Silver Medals & Earbuds were awarded to the below contestants for performing par excellence: Sakina Haider d/o Muhammad Haider (Class III) Syed Murtaza Afzal s/o Syed Tahir Afzal (Class IV)



 ICATS Science Contest 1 Bronze Medal & ICATS Drawstring Bag was awarded to: Fareeha Zehra d/o Muhammad Hasnain (Class III)















🌴 JASHN-E-WILADAT-E-IMAM MUHAMMAD TAQI (A.S.)

- Organized on: Friday, 9th Rajab-ul-Murajjab 1446 A.H. i.e. 10th January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were: Main Campus: Maulana Ali Asghar Hidayati Senior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Naushaba Ali Junior Girls Campus: Zakira Syeda Sana Rizvi



















NEW ADMISSIONS 2025-26

- Registrations and issuance of Admission Forms along with GIFS Prospectus 2025-2026: Saturday, 11th January 2025.
- Alhamdo Lillah!, Admissions for our 21st session are open for ECD 1 classes along with a few others, based on class capacities.
- An overwhelming response right from day one!











T JASHN-E-WILADAT-E-IMAM ALI (A.S.)

- Organized on: Tuesday, 13th Rajab-ul-Murajjab 1446 A.H. i.e. 14th January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were: Main Campus: Maulana Amir Raza Yasoobi Senior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Zehra Yasoobi Junior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Sukaina Hussain Bhojani
- Janab Syed Wajih-ul-Hassan Zaidi at Main Campus & Moharma Syeda Sabeeka Rizvi at Senior Girls Campus honoured with their presence and paid tribute by reciting different famous mangabats. The kids chanted the slogans.





T ASSEMBLY SPEECH SHAHADAT-E-IMAM JAFFER-E-SADIQ (A.S.) & BIBI ZAINAB (S.A.)

- Organized on: Thursday, 15th Rajab-ul-Murajjab 1446 A.H. i.e. 16th January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were: Main Campus: Mohtarma Naushaba Ali Junior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Saima Ali











ORANGE DAY FOR ECD I

- Organized on: Monday, 20th January 2025
- · Orange, the color of sunshine and cheer, brought a vibrant burst of happiness to our little stars in ECD !!
- From bright outfits to fun-filled creative activities, the day was filled with excitement and joy.
- · Our tiny tots were dressed in shades of orange, spreading warmth and positivity all around!

























MAJLIS-E-SHAHADAT-E-IMAM MUSA-E-KAZIM (A.S.) & **RAWANGI-E-QAFLA-E-HUSSAINI (A.S.)**

- Organized on: Friday, 23rd Rajab-ul-Murajjab 1446 A.H. i.e. 24th January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were: Main Campus: Maulana Mujtaba Hassan Jivani Senior Girls Campus: Zakira Syeda Qurat-ul-Ain Junior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Naushaba Ali



















TASHN-E-EID-E-BAISAT & SHAB-E-MAIRAJ-E-RASOOL-E-KHUDA (S.A.W.W.)

- Organized on: Monday, 26th Rajab-ul-Murajjab 1446 A.H. i.e. 27th January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were: Main Campus: Maulana Syed Wasi Haider

Senior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Fatima Sajjad Junior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Erum Zehra





















THELD TRIP

- Venue: Winterland
- Secondary Girls: Monday, 27th January 2025
- Secondary Boys: Thursday, 30th January 2025
- The climate-controlled setting, with temperatures plunging to a brisk -10°C and authentic ice activities, offered our students an enjoyable and enriching learning experience.











🏠 JASHN-E-ANWAR-E-SHABAN

- Organized on: Friday, 1st Shaban-ul-Muazzam 1446 A.H. i.e. 31st January 2025
- Speakers at different campuses were:
 - Main Campus: Maulana Muhammad Irfan AVD
 - Senior Girls Campus: Mohtarma Sukaina Hussain Bhojani
 - Junior Girls Campus: Zakira Syeda Sagheer Fatima
- Janab Syed Muzammil Rizvi graced the Main Campus with his presence and honored the occasion by reciting renowned Manqabats. The students enthusiastically joined in, chanting slogans with great fervor.





















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• HRCA English Contest

2 Gold Medals were won by:

Rajia Hassan d/o Ghulam Hussain (Class VIII) Laiba Batool d/o Asif Raza (Class IX)

1 Bronze Medal went to:

Syeda Qaima Zehra d/o Syed Jarrar Hussain (Class IV)

1 Giveaway Award went to:

Syeda Fatima Batool d/o Syed Sajjad Mehdi (Class ECD III)

HRCA Science Contest

1 Gold Medal were won by:

Syed Ali Afzal s/o Syed Danish (Class ECD V)

2 Silver Medals were won by:

Ali Muntazir s/o Hassan Ali (Class V) Emaan Mustafa d/o Mustafa Nayani (Class X)

2 Bronze Medals were won by:

Ali Imran s/o Muhammad Ali (Class VIII) Nehaj Zehra d/o Imran Ali (Class X)

3 Giveaway Awards went to:

Sani-e-Zehra d/o Faisal Raza (Class IV) Sakina Zehra d/o Syed Tahir Afzal (Class III) Manahil Fatima d/o Sultan Ali (Class VIII)





























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↑ GOHAR E HIKMAT 28[™] EDITION

- Topic: Seerat-e-Imam Hussain (a.s.) 28th Edition Part III
- Content from Muntahal Amal Shaikh Abbas Qummi
- Sequenced and researched by: Maulana Mujahid Hussain Damani
- English Translation by: Mr. Ali Raza Vazir
- Proofread by: Maulana Syed Hashim Abbas Zaidi, Maulana Qamar Ali Lilani, and Ali Raza Vazir



Centre Based Quiz

- Center-based Contest Date: Sunday, 5th January 2025
- · Cities: Azad Kashmir, Baltistan, Gambat, Gilqit, Gujranwala, Islamabad, Karachi, Khairpur, Lahore, Multan, Qambar Shahdakot, Rawalpindi, Shikarpur, Tando Allahyar
- Centers: SAndamore, Baldia, Bhitaiabad, Gulistan-e-Johar, Kharadar, Korangi, Malir, Manghopir, Mehmoodabad, Nazimabad, Orangi Town, Rizvia, Soldier Bazar, Ultanabad.
- Total Participants in Center-based Contest: 1,202

S.No	Position	Prize	Gender	Name of Participants	City
1.	1st Position	PKR 10,000/-	Female	Mrs. Sehar Fatima Ali Hamza	Lahore
2.	2 nd Position	PKR 8,000/-	Male	Mr. Asad Hussain Tanveer Hussain	Gujranwala
3.	3 rd Position	PKR 6,000/-	Female	Mrs. Umme Laila Ghulam Mustafa	Tando Allahyar
4.	4 th Position	PKR 5,000/-	Female	Mrs. Nabeela Ghulam Mustafa	Tando Allahyar
5.	5 th Position	PKR 2,500/-	Female	Mrs. Gul Saba Shaukat	Tando Allahyar

Online Quiz

- Online Examination date: Sunday, 5th January 2025
- Total Participants: 68
- Top 5 positions were awarded Cash Prizes through balloting and participants with at least 75% or more marks received a cash prize of PKR 20/- per mark.

S.No	Position	Prize	Gender	Name of Participants
1.	1st Position	PKR 10,000/-	Male	Mr. Syed Baqar Abbas Syed Mazhar Abbas Naqvi
2.	2 nd Position	PKR 8,000/-	Female	Mrs. Mahreen Zahra Syed Muhammad Safi ul Islam Rizvi
3.	3 rd Position	PKR 6,000/-	Female	Mrs. Abida Akbar
4.	4 th Position	PKR 5,000/-	Male	Mr. Syed Imran Abbas Syed Khurshid Ahmed Jafri
5.	5 th Position	PKR 2,500/-	Male	Mr. Syed Hammad Abbas Syed Mazhar Abbas Naqvi





TUDO TOURNAMENT

- Announcement Date: 21st December 2024
- Participants: 12 teams
- Commencement Date: Friday, 27th December 2024
- Grand Finale Date: Saturday, 24th January 2025
- Mr. Ali Mehdi won the tournament, with Mr. Muhammad Saim securing second place. The champion received a shield and a cash prize, while the runner-up was awarded a cash prize.











WASEELAT-UN-NIJAT

- Description: A Hifz project where participants aged 6+ (male and female) memorize various Quranic Surahs, Duas, Ziarat, Taqibaats, Namaz, etc.
- Program Mode: Online
- Registration commenced on: 13th January 2025
- Last Date of Registration: 10th February 2025

SPORTS SHOWDOWN

- Overview: This marks the 7th year of the sports festival, featuring Table Tennis and Badminton. The event is open to the entire Shia community, beyond the Khoja community.
- Registration Dates: Wednesday, 1st January 2025, to Wednesday, 15th January 2025
- Total Participants: 58
- Venue: Green Island Foundation School
- Tournament Date: Sunday 19th January 2025
- In the Table Tennis Tournament (Non-Professional Division), Master Aayan claimed victory, with Master Rayyan Asghar securing second place. In the Professional Division, Mr. Muhammad Abbas emerged as the winner, followed by Mr. Raza Abbas in second
- In the Badminton Tournament, Mr. Taqi triumphed, with Mr. Zaki finishing as the runner-
- The winners were awarded a shield and a cash prize, while the runners-up received a cash prize.





















STRIKER TOURNAMENT

- The Open House Striker Tournament was announced in January 2025.
- A total of 10 participants took part in the tournament.
- The tournament commenced on: Tuesday, 21st January 2025
- The Grand Finale took place on: Monday, 27th January 2025
- Mr. Shan Haider won the tournament, with Mr. Abbas Ali securing second place. The champion received a shield and a cash prize, while the runner-up was awarded a cash prize.











TUMS TABLE TENNIS LEAGUE

- Organized by the Lahore University of Management Sciences.
- A total of 24 participants were registered.
- Participants were divided into two groups: Under 19 and Above 19
- In the Above 19 group, Mr. Mazahir Hussain was the runner-up, while Mr. Raza Abbas Lilani secured third place.











DARS-E-FIQH QUIZ

- This quiz featured video-based Fatawas of **Grand Ayatullah Al-Syed Al-Hussaini Sistani (d.z.)**, uploaded to the GIYF YouTube Channel for participants.
- Registration opens from: Tuesday, 11th February 2025 to Saturday, 22nd February 2025
- The top five male and female participants will be rewarded with cash prizes.



ONLINE LECTURES

- Since October 2020, Fiqh lectures have been regularly uploaded on our Facebook page, 'giyfpakistan', and YouTube channel, 'GIYFI', in accordance with the Fatawa of **Grand Ayatullah Al-Syed Al-Hussaini Sistani (d.z.).**
- These insightful sessions are delivered by the esteemed Islamic Scholar, Maulana
 Qamer Ali Lilani, focusing on the topic of Waqf kay Ahkam & Wasiyyat kay Ahkam
- The program premieres every weekend at 9:00 PM (PST).
- Special videos are shared on every significant Islamic event, providing a brief overview of the date's importance.
- Additionally, a weekly short video is posted, covering topics such as moral values, historical perspectives, or pressing social issues.

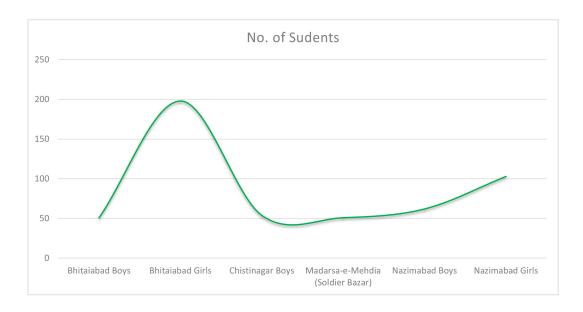




TO QAMAR-E-BANI HASHIM (A.S.) MADARIS

- As part of Quran and Diniyat classes, we have been organizing special weekly and daily classes for boys and girls in different remote areas of Karachi under the supervision of experienced and qualified teachers.
- These areas include Bhitaiabad, Chistinagar, Nazimabad, and Soldier Bazar. The following are the statistics:

S.No.	Center Name	Strength of Students	Days
1	Bhitaiabad Boys	51	Sunday only
2	Bhitaiabad Girls	198	Thursday only
3	Chistinagar Boys	54	Sunday only
4	Madarsa-e-Mehdia (a.t.f.s.) (Soldier Bazar)	51	Monday - Friday
5	Nazimabad Boys	62	Monday - Friday
6	Nazimabad Girls	103	Tuesday & Wednesday only
	Total	519	





In January 2025, regular classes continued smoothly across all centers.



T JASHN-E-ANWAR-E-RAJAB

- In the second week of January, Jashn-e-Anwar Rajab was celebrated with great enthusiasm across all our centers.
- Teachers shared insightful discussions on the lives of Imam Muhammad Baqir (a.s.), Imam Ali Naqi (a.s.), Imam Muhammad Taqi (a.s.), Imam Ali ibn Abi Talib (a.s.), and Janab Sakina (s.a.).
- The session was followed by a lively quiz competition, where students showcased their knowledge and were rewarded with cash prizes.
- Some students also recited managibs with heartfelt devotion.
- The event concluded with the distribution of Niaz, bringing a sense of unity and spiritual fulfillment to all attendees.









🌴 SHAHADAT-E-IMAM MUSA KAZIM (A.S.)

- In commemoration of the Shahadat of Imam Musa Kazim (a.s.), special assembly sessions and group discussions were held, focusing on his profound quotes and Seerah.
- Students actively engaged in these sessions, seeking to deepen their understanding and knowledge.
- The gathering concluded with a heartfelt noha recitation by a student, adding to the solemnity of the occasion.









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TOACHING CLASSES

• Instructor: Ms. Warda Jabbar, Ms. Fatima, & Ms. Anoosha

• Strength: 29 Students





TO COMBINED STITCHING **AND MEHNDI COURSE**

Instructor: Ms. Kiran Ageel

• Batch 1: 11 Students • Batch 2: 6 Students Batch 3: 21 Students







STITCHING REGULAR COURSE

• Instructor: Ms. Shameem Panjwani

• Batch 1: 5 Students • Batch 2: 4 Students • Batch 3: 8 Students





Instructor: Ms. Kaneez Mehdi

Strength: 6 Students





MEHNDI REGULAR COURSE

 Instructor: Ms. Kiran Aqeel • Strength: 6 students

• Instructor: Ms. Iqra Moosani

• Batch 1: 5 Students • Batch 2: 5 Students











ONLINE ADVANCE GRAPHIC DESIGNING COURSE

 Instructor: Ms. Fozia Raza • Strength: 3 Students









TO BASIC COMPUTER AND GRAPHIC DESIGNING COURSE

• Instructor: Ms. Fozia Raza • Strength: 8 Students





NAUHA, MERSIA, AND MANQABAT TRAINING COURSE

 Instructor: Ms. Shehla Farhan • Strength: 7 Students





TO YOGA AND AEROBICS

• Instructor: Ms. Noreen Azhar

Strength: 15 Students





WINTER CAMP RESIN ART WORKSHOP

• Instructor: Ms. Hina Faisal

• Strength: 4 Students





ONLINE TEACHINGS LEARN ONLINE

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To become an internationally acclaimed technology based Shia Islamic platform that improves access to Fiqh-e-Jafria education while maintaining the highest quality standards where every Momin is able to learn and understand Quran and Maktab-e-Ahlebait (a.s.), regardless of geographical location and age.





GREEN ISLAND ONLINE TEACHINGS

- GIOT's mission is to empower believers globally by offering seamless access to Quranic knowledge and Ahlebait's (a.s.) guidance, regardless of age or location. Our online platform unifies the Ummah through exceptional Islamic education, connecting believers to the Holy Quran and Ahlebait's (a.s.) wisdom.
- More than 447 individuals have learned to read the Quran and been taught the teachings of Maktab-e-Ahlebait (a.s.), Tajweed, Mafaheem ul Quran, Persian, and Arabic so far. The figure includes over 371 individuals who enrolled in 1-to-1 classes and over 76 students who attended our group classes.
- Alhamdo Lillah, in January, 4 new students enrolled in our 1-to-1 online classes for Quran, Diniyat, Mafaheem-ul-Quran, and Persian Language. This includes 2 students from Pakistan, a student from Dubai, and one from England.
- Up to January 31st, we have been providing individualized online services to 123 male and female students from diverse parts of the world, Alhamdo Lillah.
- The certificate of participation was awarded to all the participants of the kid's camp that was held in the last 11 days of December. This camp aimed to teach Persian basics and day-to-day colloquial to kids. 4 students from around the globe showed interest and registered for the course.

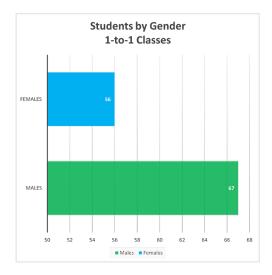
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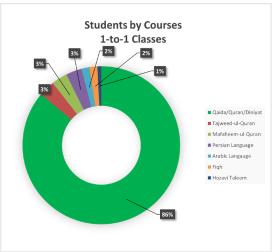
https://giot.greenislandtrust.org — offers course details, educational resources, and Free PDF course books including Maktab-e-Ahlebait (a.s.) Diniyat course. Visitors have the option to conveniently register for any course online from our website.

 Around 29 professional and wellexperienced teachers, including males and females from Australia, Najaf (Iraq), Pakistan, and Qum (Iran), are teaching students worldwide in English and Urdu.

Course	Number of Students
Qaida/Quran/Diniyat	106
Tajweed-ul-Quran	4
Mafaheem-ul-Quran	4
Persian Language	4
Arabic Language	2
Fiqh	2
Hozavi Taleem	1
Total	123

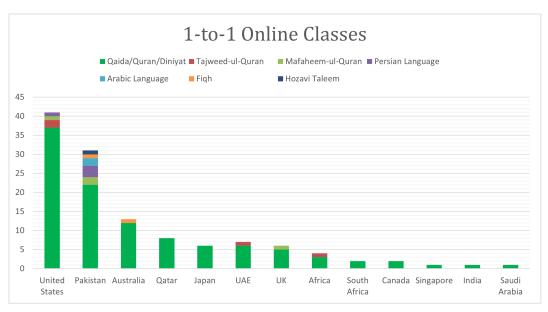






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COUNTRY-WISE NUMBER OF STUDENTS





Country	No of Students
United States	41
Pakistan	31
Australia	13
Qatar	8
UAE	7
Japan	6
UK	6
Africa	4
South Africa	2
Canada	2
Singapore	1
India	1
Saudi Arabia	1
TOTAL	123





MEDIA PRODUCTION

VISION

To nurture and empower youth morally, academically, spiritually, and professionally, by creating meaningful content that inspires growth, fosters integrity, and drives positive change within communities.





🏠 MERA GHAR MERI JANNAT SEASON 2

Host: Mr. Zeeshan Morvi Guest: Maulana Ghulam Raza Roohani



Season 2 Weekly Program on Family Issues Episode - 12 Child Upbringing



Episode 11: Saturday, 4th January 2025

Topic: Dont's of Tarbiyat-e-Aulaad | Child Comparison | **Growth Mindset**

Episode 12: Saturday, 11th January 2025

Topic: Dont's of Tarbiyat-e-Aulaad | Ignorance of Small **Things & Mistakes**

Episode 13: Saturday, 18th January 2025

Topic: Dont's of Tarbiyat-e-**Aulaad | Impact of Parents Relation On Child**





SPEECH COMPETITION

Date: Tuesday, 14th January 2025 i.e. 13th Rajabul-Murajjab 1446 A.H., Wiladat-e-Imam Ali (a.s.)

Participants: 3 students selected among 9 participants who perfom live in the show.

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Episode 6:

Friday, 3rd January 2025 Guest:

Maulana Nasir Raza Naqvi

Topic: The Role of Trust in **Strengthening Relationships**



Episode 7:

Friday, 10th January 2025 Guest:

Maulana Amir Raza Yasubi

Topic: Sach aur Jhoot Kay **Muashray par Asraat**



Episode 8:

Friday, 17th January 2025 Guest:

Maulana Nasir Raza Naqvi

Topic: The Role of Trust in

Strengthening Relationships (Part 2)





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