



# Ilm Academy

May - June 2026

Graduations, Awards, Classbooks, and a Grand Yearbook!



## Asalaam Alaikum Warahmatullahi Wabarakatuhu

It has been an incredibly productive and meaningful year for our school community. We have witnessed our students grow by leaps and bounds, demonstrating remarkable progress across all areas of learning and development. Their achievements are a testament to the dedication of our educators and the strong partnership we share with our families.

As an institution, we continue to grow alongside our students. With the ongoing support of our parents, we have successfully expanded our program to include Transitional Kindergarten (TK). InshaAllah, we look forward to adding more classrooms in the near future to meet the increasing demand for our Tarbiyah-based program and to better serve our growing community.

## Academic Accomplishments

Congratulations to our high school graduates who have completed their graduation requirements in the 11th grade and are moving on to college! We are incredibly proud of their accomplishments, including being accepted to the **UC Riverside and UC Davis for Engineering and Science majors**. We look forward to seeing them reach new heights and achieve even greater success in the future.

## Tech Challenge at The Tech Interactive

Congratulations! to our students for successfully competing in the Tech Challenge at The Tech Interactive (Museum



of Innovation). We are incredibly proud of their accomplishments and the determination they demonstrated throughout the event.

This exciting experience not only showcased their talents but also fostered meaningful growth, problem-solving skills, and collaboration. We are proud of their hard work and look forward to seeing them continue to shine.

## Third Trimester Final Exams

The final exams for Deeniyaat will be held on May 11th - May 14th, during regular school hours. Final exams for all other subjects will be held from May 18th- May 21st ;these days will be minimum days, dismissal will be at 12:00 pm. Teachers have been working with students to provide them with all the support they need to be successful in their final exams. Please continue to remind your child to put in extra time and effort to prepare for the final exams, InshaAllah. We wish everyone success in the upcoming exams.

## Field Trip to the Oakland Zoo

We are excited to announce our upcoming field trip to the Oakland Zoo on June 4th, which was previously rescheduled due to inclement weather. We look forward to this special opportunity for our students to learn and explore outside the classroom environment. We anticipate a day filled with laughter, discovery, and meaningful bonding as students engage with nature and one another. Experiences like these create lasting memories and enrich their overall learning journey.

## Science Project Presentations - June 2nd & 3rd

Ilm Academy will be hosting non-competitive science presentation days for our students. Presentations for KG-4th grade will take place on June 2nd, while students in 5th grade and above will present on June 3rd. These presentations will count toward students' participation grades. Students are encouraged to select grade-appropriate projects that they can research and complete independently.

## Award Assembly – June 9th

We will be holding our award assembly to celebrate the achievements and accomplishments of our students. InshaAllah, it will be a joyful occasion recognizing their hard work throughout the year.

## Grade 11 Graduation – June 10th

We are preparing to send off our 11th graders as they reach this important milestone. It will be a heartfelt event filled with pride and well wishes as we celebrate their journey at Ilm Academy and their future success. We are proud of all their accomplishments and look forward to their reaching the stars in deen and dunya.

## Soccer Program Highlights

It has been an immense joy to see the keen interest our students have taken in the school's soccer program. Their excitement has been truly inspiring. Regardless of weather, the students' and parents' turn-out at the games has been

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regular. We look forward to continuing the program



next year and more great sport opportunities for our Ilm students.

### **Curriculum Book Return – Due by June 5th**

All curriculum books must be returned to the school by June 5th. Books are issued to students in good condition and will be inspected upon return to ensure they have not been damaged. As outlined in the school's book use policy, fines will be applied for any lost or damaged books. Please note that all outstanding fines must be paid before report cards can be released. Thank you for your cooperation in helping us maintain our school resources.

### **TK Program**

We are excited to begin our TK program this fall, Insha Allah! Our focus is to provide strong tarbiyah at a young age, nurturing children academically, socially, and spiritually while building their foundations upon the teachings of the Qur'an and Sunnah. We strive to create a warm and engaging environment where children develop love for our deen, strong character, and confidence in their Islamic identity. Please share this upcoming school level at Ilm Academy with your close friends and family. Spots are limited and we are filling up quickly. For more information and registration guidelines, call the school office.

### **Summer Packets**

As students prepare for summer break, they will receive review packets to reinforce key concepts in core subjects, with additional materials provided as needed. Regular practice helps students return confident and ready for the new school year.



### **Elementary Classbooks**

Ilm Academy continues to zone in on the core subject areas and hone student skills especially in ELA and math. This year grades 1-4 have all compiled students' work as classbooks to be cherished as keepsakes and memories of your children early school years. Teachers of grades 1-4 have been emailing parents about these and taking preorders to reserve copies at a discounted rate through the school. Books are available to purchase through Amazon.com also. If you wish to obtain your copies at a discount, sign and return the preorder form to reserve your copy with permission to charge ACH. No checks or cash will be accepted.

### **School Yearbook 2026**

The grand school year book will be available to buy within a week and students can reserve their copies for a discounted rate through the school. Full of pictures, group class portraits, students' writings and more fun things we have enjoyed and will continue to cherish as school memories are included in it. Look for an email and preorder form and reserve your copy! It is truly a publication to cherish and there's spotlight on every event and class from the 2025-26 academic year!

### **Important Dates**

- May 12 - Deeniyat Final Exams
- May 18-21 - 3rd Trimester Final Exams
- May 25 - Memorial Day Holiday
- May 26-28 - Eid-ul-Adha Break
- June 2 and 3 - Science Fair
- June 4 - Elementary Grades Field Trip
- June 9-10 - Graduations/Award Ceremony
- June 10th - Last Day for Students

**We Wish Ilm Academy Families a Safe and Enjoyable-  
Summer Break!**