

“IN THE NAME OF ALLAH, MOST GRACIOUS, MOST MERCIFUL”

ME'RAJ ACADEMY



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ME'RAJ NEWS Assalamu alaikum! Alhamdulillah, we have had a great start to the new school year. Students, parents and teachers are all putting forth great effort to make this year a successful one, insha'Allah.

Please refer to the 'Important Dates' for upcoming events. The Eid gift exchange will be on Thursday, Nov. 12th and the Hajj Simulation will be on Friday, Nov. 12th insha'Allah. Please bring your child to school dressed in proper Ihram.

The 2010-2011 school yearbook is now available for order! If you would like to purchase one, please reserve your copy and make payment in the office. Don't delay!

Quote of the month:

"A successful man is one who can lay a firm foundation with the bricks others have thrown at him."

David Brinkley

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Important Dates

- ◆ Hajj Simulation 11/12
- ◆ Eid ul Adha 11/16 (No School on Tuesday & Wednesday)
- ◆ Parent-Teacher Conferences 11/15-11/19
- ◆ Thanksgiving Holiday 11/25-11/28
- ◆ School Closed 12/6 Teacher Workshop

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Guest of the Beneficent

Guest of the Beneficent, Is a bare-footed beggar

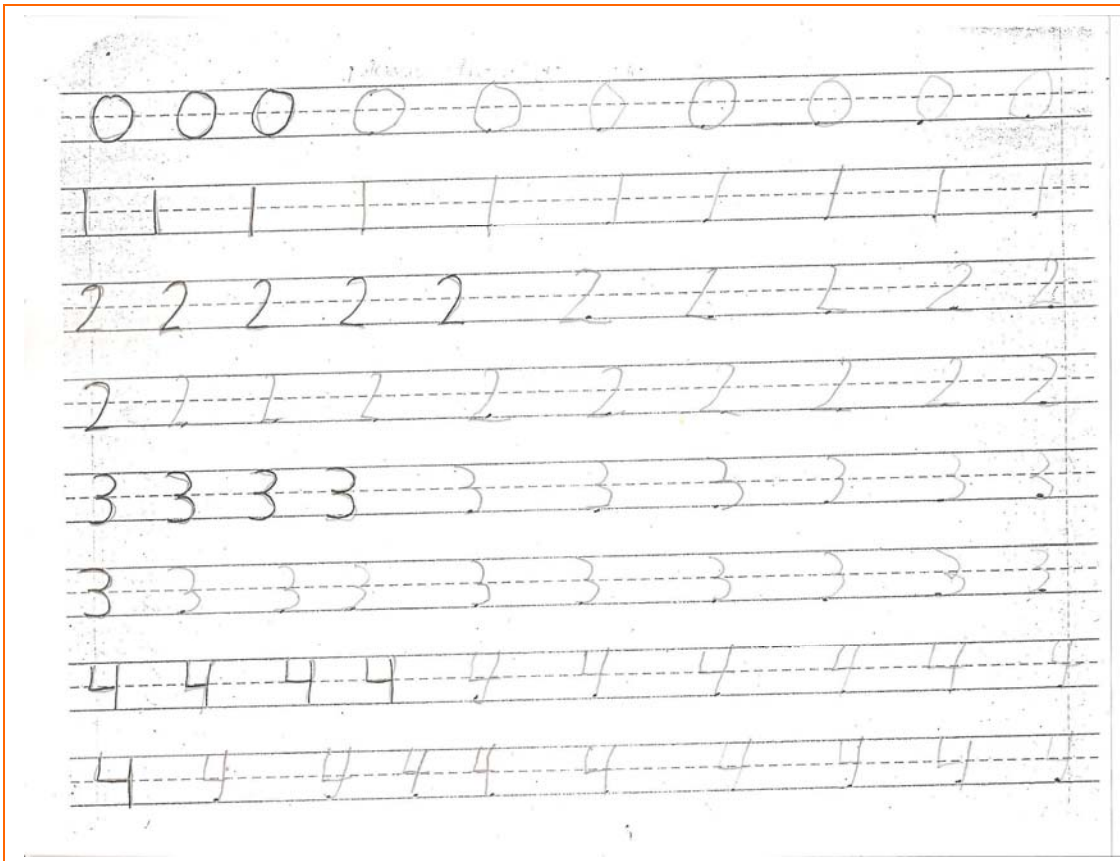
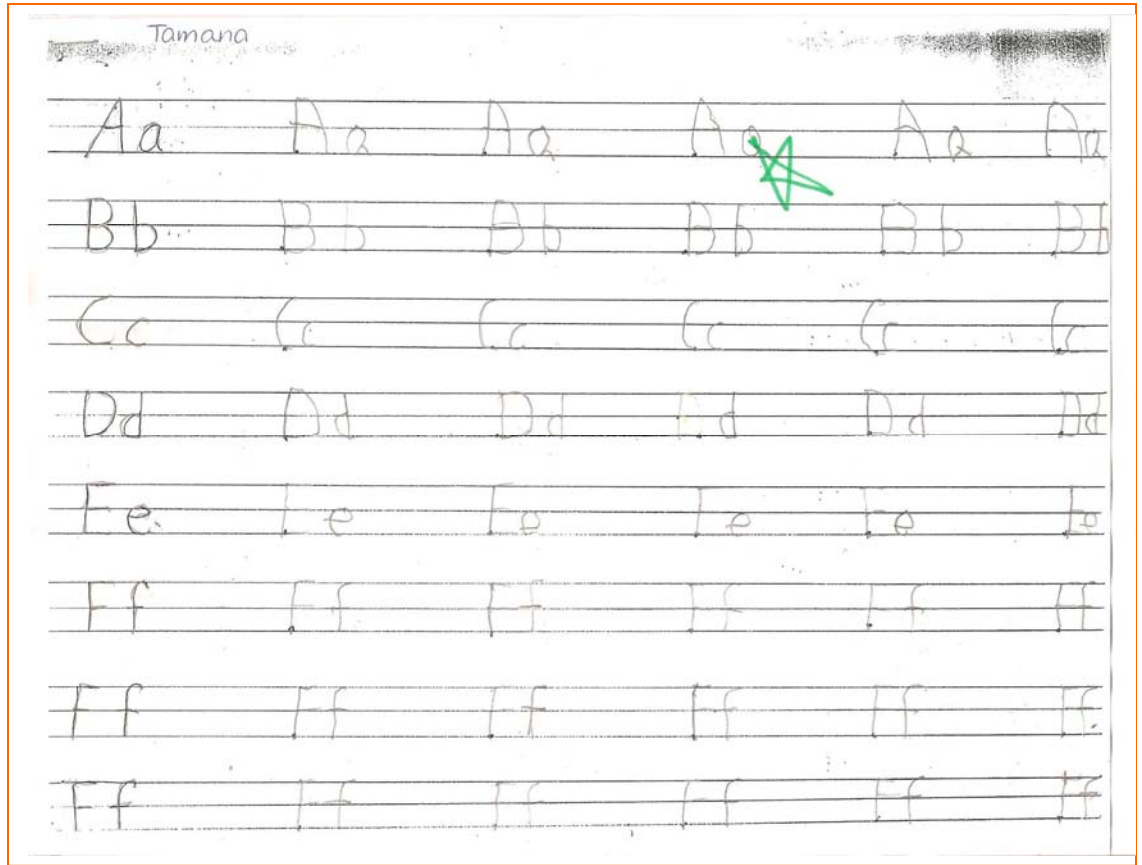
A poor thing invited by One Rich and Mighty, To answer the call of a lifetime, a pledge made to God. Guest of the Beneficent is a humble follower, Of a humble prophet, himself a follower, In the footsteps of his father Abraham, For the first to make the call was Abraham, To this house of God and from him sprang, Prophets by the Beneficent blessed, chosen.

Guest of the Beneficent on the path, Of such a one blessed with modest walks, All pretense and ornaments shed, Eyes fixed heart trembling hands raised, A willing guest in tears drenched, The guest is a single entity in a sea of guests, Swimming in tears remorseful, For the flesh is weak and man given to haste...Guest of the Beneficent is humbled, By feelings of smallness felt Insignificant he's for once lost, In an ocean of devotees, he looks towards the Lord, With heart longing for freedom, From a self to blunders given.

Guests of the Beneficent are people, Pulled together by a Hand Powerful Able to call whom He wills when He wills. These beggars by the Door of the Merciful, In tongues diverse cry, In sizes and hues various appear But in unison they answer this Call sublime, Joyful in a union at last made they chant, To the beat of a Truth long desired. Hajj is a time of bonding Beneath a sky open, The seeker learns and teaches, Equal are the guests of God, In attires easy and plain, Kings and penniless all Needy


Shoulder to shoulder before a King Mighty, This is a time of repentance An occasion of release in an ocean of tears. From the attachments to sin and wrong-doing, To the bonds of fellowship, hearts healing These days of consoling, delivery and hope elevated The guest of the Beneficent returns not home But happy.

Tamana Rahim Pre-K



Sarah Mian Pre-K

Name Leilah

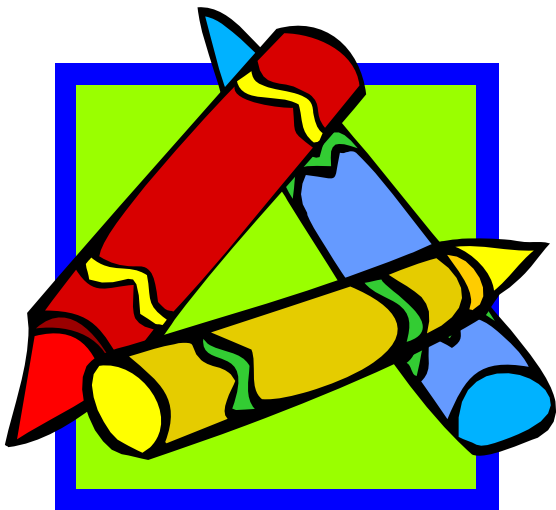


I like my cat
 I see my cat
 I like my ox
 I see my ox
 I like my bat
 I see my bat


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Leilah Shaikh KG

We write our own sentences!



Name Jibreel



I see Abbad.

I said to build a box.

I like to go the Banck.

I like my self.

I like my box.


I like my cat.

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Jibreel Khan KG

Safia 10-27

Addition Story Problem




2 flowers have stems. 4 flowers have hearts. How many flowers are there in all?

$$2 + 4 = 6$$

Safia Sheikh Gr. 1

Yousuf 10-27

Addition Story Problem



There are 3 boys. There are 2 girls. How many boys and girls are there in all?

$$3 + 2 = 5$$

Yousuf Azizad Gr. 1

خذ Kayenat Barak Gr. 3

تدريب (1)

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الدرس الاول Shavan Mahmood Gr. 3

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Shamima Ahmed Gr. 8

Dear Dr. Struass,

My name is Mirajane Osborne. I live in San Diego, California. I recently heard about the amazing operation you are working on to increase a human's brain power. I'm writing on behalf of my neighbor's son, Ryan Fitzpatrick, who is 14 years old. Four years ago, Ryan was riding his bike: a car hit him and drove away. Ryan had severe brain damage, and now he has an IQ of 59.

Ryan is a wonderful, young boy who is kind, responsible, and determined. Even if he isn't smart, he tries to help other people. Ryan is home schooled by his parents. He always helps his parents. He always helps his parents in every way he can. I sometimes see him helping his mother hang up clothes or he sometimes helps her take the groceries from the car. Something I've noticed about Ryan is that he doesn't like to be a bother to other people.

When I told him about the operation, he got excited and told me that now he can help more people. He told me that if he was smart, he can help the society by becoming a doctor or a veterinarian. Ryan is extremely healthy and very active with others. He finds injured animals and nurses them back to health.

I hope you will choose Ryan for the operation. He deserves a chance to be smart. Ryan is very sensitive and can easily be hurt with word. It makes me very unhappy when some horrible people make fun of him. I want Ryan to have a bright future, and a happy life. If you chose Ryan everyone who knows him will be very thankful to you. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Mirajane Osborne

“Write to be understood, speak to be heard, read to grow.”

“Be yourself. Above all, let who you are, what you are, what you believe, shine through every sentence you write...”



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