

Curriculum Overview Grades 3-8

Objective

Baitul Hikmah Academy aims to provide quality education of an international standard. We aim for excellence through quality in management, training, and teaching, hence bringing benefits to our students, the community and the wider world so this attitude can enable our students to achieve their fullest potential.

With the world and the needs of the community changing at an ever-increasing rate, Baitul Hikmah endeavors to be open to change, to adapt, innovate and keep pace with the goals that society expects. At Baitul Hikmah, our aim and belief are through hard work and effort, students will be able to step confidently into the real and highly competitive world. We ensure that they are equipped with the ability to make mature and well-informed judgments based on a clear understanding of essential basic Islamic principles, concepts, and moral values. This, we believe, is the best contribution we can make towards their development as productive members of society and, through them, to the country and the Islamic world.

Individualized Curriculum

Baitul Hikmah uses an individualized curriculum from K12 (www.k12.com) which is based on decades of education research about how minds work. With courses in six core subjects, the curriculum is designed to let kids find the learning style that works best for them. The curriculum is wrapped in rich, engaging content that captivates the minds that usually wander when traditional classes are too slow, get lost in the shuffle, or those that need a little more time. At Baitul Hikmah, we believe that all children deserve to learn without limits.

Nurturing Young Minds

Our objective is to enable equal opportunities for diverse learners to meet their academic, Islamic, social, emotional and physical needs through a broad, balanced academic and social curriculum. We offer intensive, research-based, targeted interventions – typically in the core areas of basic Islamic knowledge, literacy, and numeracy – and also help with study skills and organization, as well as behavioral/emotional support. Students are encouraged and given the opportunity to contribute to the academic, social, Islamic and cultural activities of the school.

At Baitul Hikmah, we nurture inquisitive minds with the K12 approach that Big Ideas + Consecutive Down Payments + Practice = Mastery. Throughout our course offerings, you will find certain recurring themes that build on the previous grades' teaching and weave an ever-richer tapestry of knowledge. Our individualized approach means your child can learn at his or her own pace. And with more than 700 lessons per subject, your child can dive deeply into areas of interest.

Superior Curriculum - Enhanced Learning Environment

The curriculum was created by a team of experts at K12, using tried-and-true educational approaches for instruction. Our courses—Language Arts/English, Math, Science, History —are combined into a rich, full-time schooling option. The lesson plans for each subject are integrated, so your child may be reading literature from the same time period as the art or history lesson she is studying. The key objective of the ELE program is to use technology to enhance the delivery of the Early Years curriculum.

As a fundamental part of the program, each classroom is equipped with the necessary tools needed to help children explore and learn in a more meaningful way and in a comfortable environment that promotes learning.

Bringing Lessons to Life

Lessons come to life with a rich mixture of on and offline teaching tools, including technology, award-winning printed books with beautiful illustrations and compelling text, and materials for hands-on experiments. Lessons are followed by assessments so you can be sure that your child has mastered a particular area before moving on, with built-in planning and progress tools that make it easy to stay on track.

At Baitul Hikmah Academy, we encourage our staff to advance their skills and competencies, benefiting from in-house training sessions, through participation in opportunities provided by other organizations as well as by independent study, research and reflection.

To get more specific information about how each subject and grade-level course works to ignite a passion for learning in your child, please view course description document.