

MIFTAAH LITE PROGRAM

"Open the Door to Sacred Knowledge"



SEMINARY CATALOGUE

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WELCOME MESSAGE

Fellow Seeker of Knowledge,

Welcome to the Miftaah Seminary! As you begin your journey of seeking knowledge, we here at the Miftaah Seminary are excited for a new year of learning together with you!

This catalog contains everything from our class offerings, semester schedules, faculty information and anything that you will need to be introduced to the Seminary.

It is an honor for us to welcome you! After looking through our catalog, you may still have unanswered questions. You may contact us at admin@miftaah.org for any of your questions.

We pray that Allah SWT accepts this effort of ours and grants us all the ability to always be increasing in knowledge and practice. Ameen!

Miftaah Seminary

ABOUT THE LITE SEMINARY

Knowledge is the key ingredient needed to develop ourselves as confident Muslims in today's world. The Lite program is an on-campus, part-time Islamic Studies program hosted in different communities that covers classical scholarly teachings with a grounded explanation of the rich Islamic tradition and its application to the changing modern context.

The program is tailored for youth and professionals who want to boost their knowledge of Islam and implement their teachings. The mission of the program is to provide multiple locations where students can gather to learn Arabic, Quran, and Hadith studies from qualified scholars.

All classes are taught live, and course materials are available to students through the Miftaah Student Portal with lifetime access. The goal is to have students ultimately transfer to the Associate Program and continue their journey of learning Islamic and Arabic studies.

There are no prerequisites or qualifications needed to enroll. All of our classes are taught in a manner that engages both beginner and intermediate students of knowledge. In this way, all students are able to complete the class having increased their understanding of the topic covered.

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PROGRAM OUTLINE

WINTER 2026





2026

WINTER SEMESTER



COURSE OFFERINGS

WINTER SEMESTER

JANUARY 14 - APRIL 15, 2026

Class Title: The Promise of Allah: Tafsir of Surat al-Rum

INSTRUCTOR:

Shaykh Hasan Suleiman

LOCATION:

Canton, Michigan

CREDITS:

1 Credit

Course Description:

This course offers a deep and engaging exploration of Sūrat al-Rūm, a chapter that weaves together history, prophecy, and spiritual guidance. Students will examine how Allah's promise of victory—made at a moment of apparent defeat—became a powerful source of hope for the early Muslim community and continues to resonate today. Through close study of the surah's themes, including the cycles of rise and decline, signs of Allah in creation, the inevitability of the Hereafter, and the inner revival of faith, learners will gain an enriched understanding of Qur'anic worldview and divine wisdom.

Class Title: Pathway to Ramadan: Exploring Verses on Fasting and Charity

INSTRUCTOR:

Mufti Sultan Mohiuddin

LOCATION:

Canton, Michigan

CREDITS:

1 Credit

Course Description:

This pre-Ramadan course guides students through key Qur'anic verses on sawm and zakat, uncovering the spiritual, legal, and transformative wisdom Allah places within these acts of worship. Through focused tafsir, students will learn how the Qur'an frames fasting as a path to taqwa and charity as a means of purification and social uplift. The course aims to help students enter Ramadan with clearer understanding, deeper intention, and a heart aligned with the Divine purpose of the month.

Class Title: The Final Hour: Signs of Day of Judgment**INSTRUCTOR:**

Shaykh Hasan Sheikh

LOCATION:

Canton, Michigan

CREDITS:

1 Credit

Course Description:

Times like these tend to bring up assumptions pertaining to the nearness of the Day of Judgment and start debates about the manifestations of its signs. They tend to put the Ummah on edge and we often forget that the sunnah of the Prophet SAW was to stay optimistic even if we were to hear the tune of the trumpet. He encouraged us to continue to plant our crops while staying conscious of the final hour so that we can abstain from contributing to the evil of the last days. Many of the present circumstances have caused us to contemplate the realities of the final day and created questions that many do not know the answers to. Through this course, we will equip ourselves with sound education to aid in our navigation through the conundrums of our era.



COURSE MATERIALS

NECESSARY PROGRAM MATERIALS



MIFTAAH STUDENT PORTAL

COURSE BOOKS

Enrolled students are provided with course books that are custom made for the Miftaah curriculum. Hardcover and digital copies are provided for every subject, as well as necessary answer keys and supplemental readings.

POWERPOINTS

When available, course PowerPoints are provided on the student portal. PowerPoints are custom made by the Miftaah team and cover only the necessary topics and information needed to complete the program.

COURSE NOTES

At the end of sessions, notes are provided for select course subjects. Notes are a great way to review course material for upcoming exams.

RECORDINGS

All classes will be recorded and available after class in a video library on the student portal. Students will have lifetime access to the recordings.

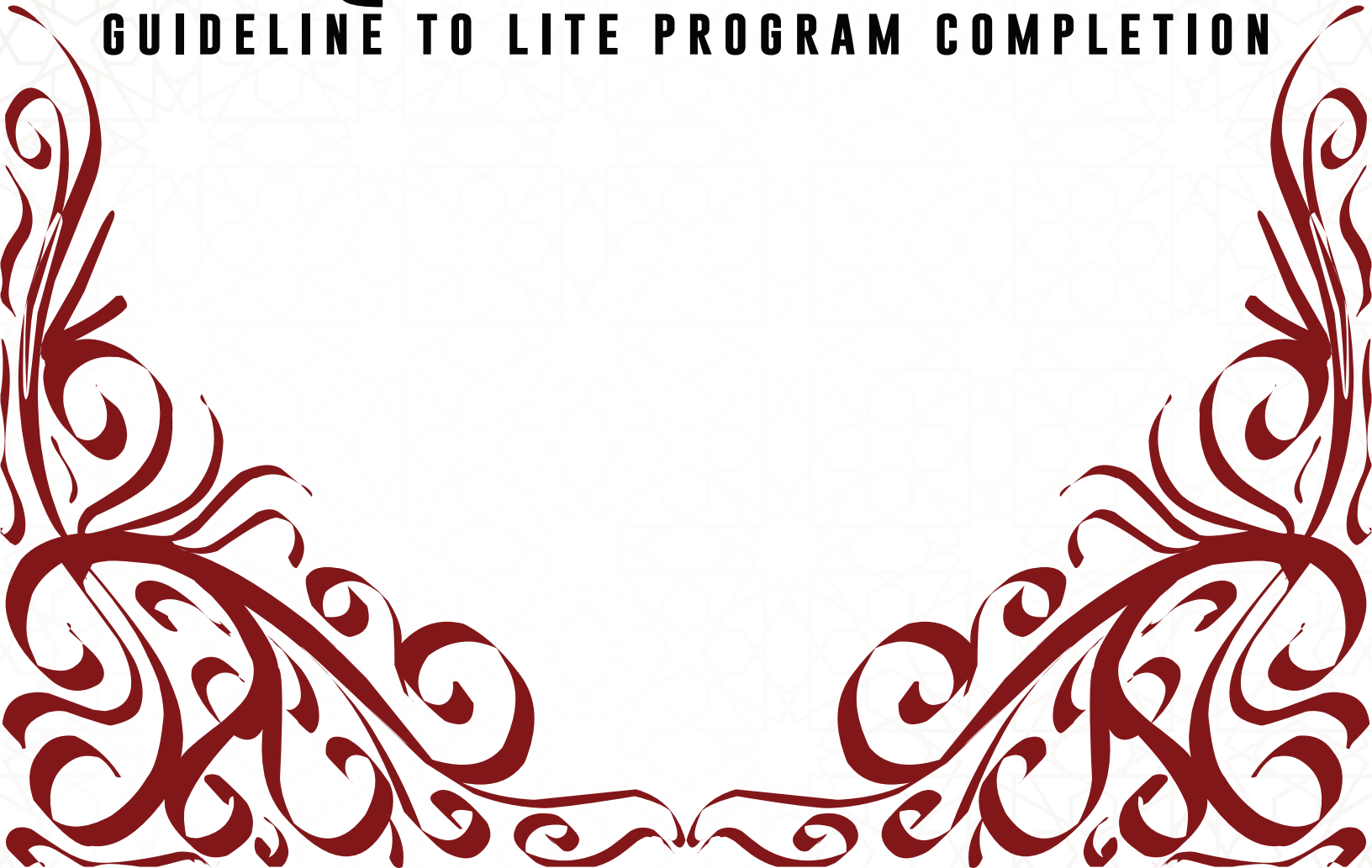
TESTING AND EXAMS

Students will be required to take online midterms and final exams for each course subject. Passing grades will be required in order to obtain course credit. Multiple chances may be available for each exam. Course grades will be recorded on each student transcript.



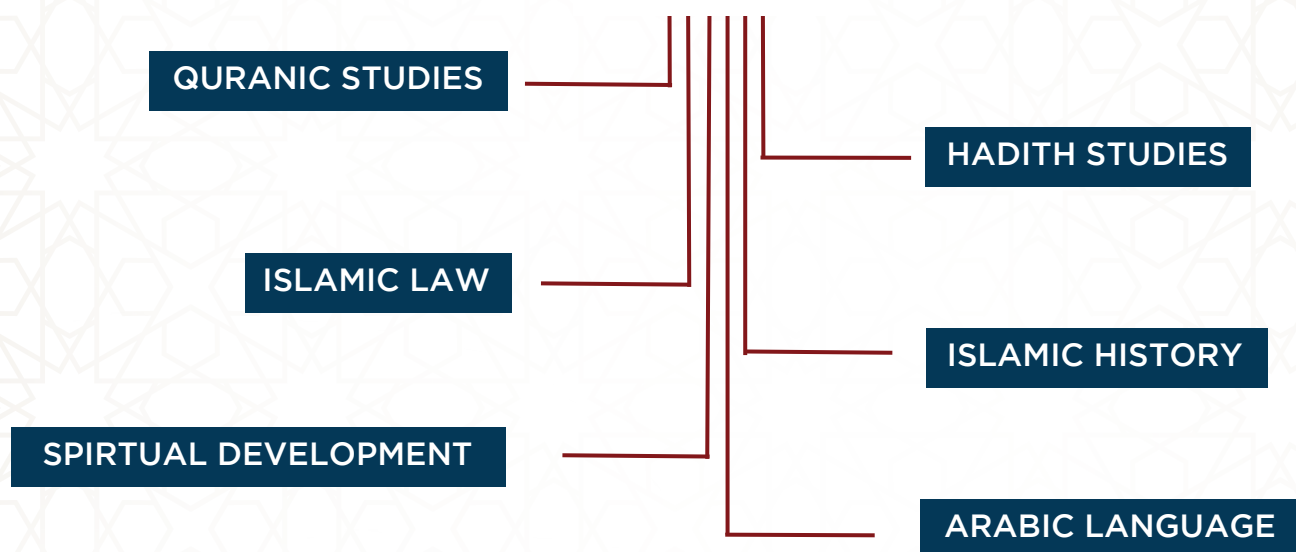
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

GUIDELINE TO LITE PROGRAM COMPLETION



GUIDELINES FOR GRADUATION

THE MIFTAAH LITE SEMINARY CURRICULUM IS CENTERED AROUND 6 CORE SUBJECTS



One of the main factors that distinguish our program is its graduation requirements. To complete the program and graduate, students must receive a passing score for each course. To complete the Miftaah Lite program, the student must complete at least 2 credits per semester for a total of 8 credits over two years.

After completing 8 credits of the Lite program, students are encouraged to transfer to the Associate Program located at the Miftaah Campus.

2 CREDITS

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4 SEMESTERS

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8 CREDITS

MIFTAAH LITE SEMINARY GRADUATION CERTIFICATE GRANTED

STUDENTS MAY TRANSFER TO THE ASSOCIATE PROGRAM

TUITION AND FINANCIAL AID

Tuition is due and payable in advance, via online at miftaah.org/lite.
Tuition payments cost \$200 per semester.

$$\text{\$200/SEMESTER} + 2 \text{ SEMESTERS} = \text{\$400/YEAR}$$

Financial aid is awarded on a scale depending on the student's scholarship form. Financial aid is designed to ensure that all qualified students can attend Miftaah Institute, while maintaining that students contribute comfortably what they are reasonably able to towards their tuition. For those interested in applying for financial aid, they may complete the form located at miftaah.org/scholarship.

FACULTY OF INSTRUCTORS

Shaykh Abdullah Waheed

Dean of Faculty - Instructor
Flint, MI

Mufti Sultan Mohiuddin

Instructor
Warren, MI

Shaykh Mohamed Almasmari

Board of Instructors - Instructor
Bloomfield, MI

Shaykh Hasan Sheikh

Instructor
Canton, MI

Mufti Abdul Wahab Waheed

Director - Instructor
Warren, MI

Shaykh Hunzla Zaidi

Instructor
Canton, MI

LOCATIONS

MCWS (Muslim Community of Western Suburbs)

40440 Palmer Rd, Canton, MI 48188

UMMA (United Michigan Muslim Association)

31333 Southfield Road, Beverly Hills, MI 48025

THE PROPHET MUHAMMED ﷺ STATED: "GLAD
TIDINGS TO THAT INDIVIDUAL WHO BECOMES A
MIFTAAH (KEY) TOWARDS GOOD AND A LOCK
TOWARDS EVIL." (SUNAN IBN MAJAH)



عَنْ سَهْلِ بْنِ سَعْدٍ، أَنَّ رَسُولَ اللَّهِ - صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ - قَالَ " إِنَّ هَذَا الْخَيْرَ خَزَائِنُ وَلِتِلْكَ الْخَزَائِنُ
مَفَاتِيحُ فَطُوبَى لِعَبْدٍ جَعَلَهُ اللَّهُ مِفْتَاحًا لِلْخَيْرِ مِغْلَقًا لِلشَّرِّ وَوَيْلٌ لِعَبْدٍ جَعَلَهُ اللَّهُ مِفْتَاحًا لِلشَّرِّ مِغْلَقًا لِلْخَيْرِ





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