

THE ROLE OF THE QURAN IN A MUSLIM'S DAILY LIFE.



Opening Verse

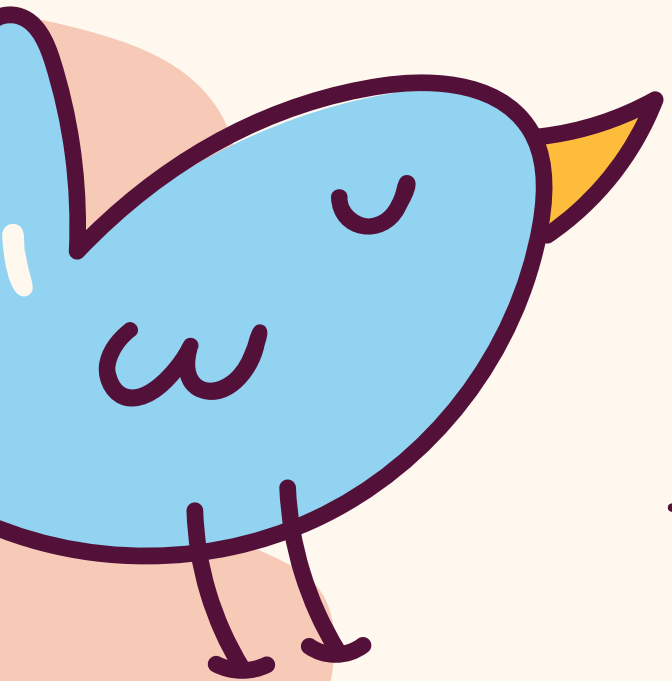


INDEED, THIS QUR'AN GUIDES TO THAT WHICH IS MOST SUITABLE AND GIVES GOOD TIDINGS TO THE BELIEVERS WHO DO RIGHTEOUS DEEDS THAT THEY WILL HAVE A GREAT REWARD. (17:19)

Word of God



Muslims believe the Quran is the actual word of God. Imagine if God wrote a letter to us, telling us how to be kind, helpful, and loving to everyone. That's what the Quran is! It's full of stories, advice, and rules that teach us how to be good and make the world a better place. So, when Muslims read the Quran, they feel like God is speaking to them and they learn how to be the best they can be.



Why is time with God and reading the Quran important?

Spending time with God is like filling our hearts with goodness and feeling really close to God. The Quran helps us do this by giving us chances to think, pray, and listen to what God is saying to us. It makes us feel calm, strong, and smart when we have to face tough stuff in life. It gives us a special opportunity to say thank you, say sorry when we make mistakes, and make sure we are being kind and loving. When we spend time with the Quran, we feel happy, like we have a special purpose, and it makes our hearts feel really full. It makes our lives better, not with the things we have, but more importantly, how we feel inside.

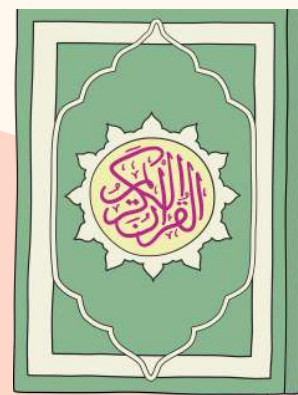


How to spend time daily with the Quran

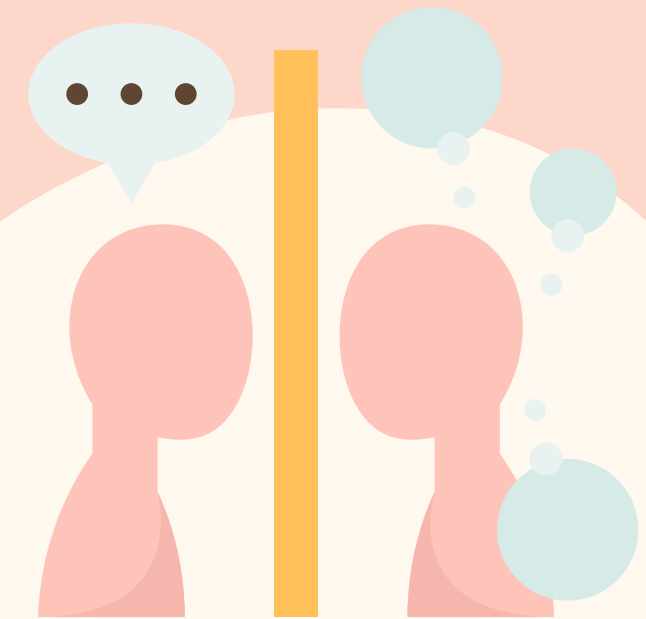


Choose a set
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Recite a
portion of
the Quran

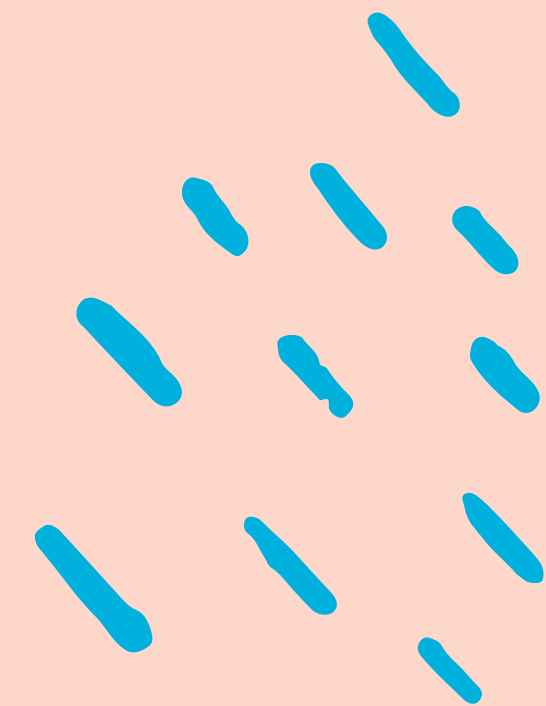


Make it your
priority



Reflect and
Ponder on the
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How to spend time with God daily



Praying



Remembrance

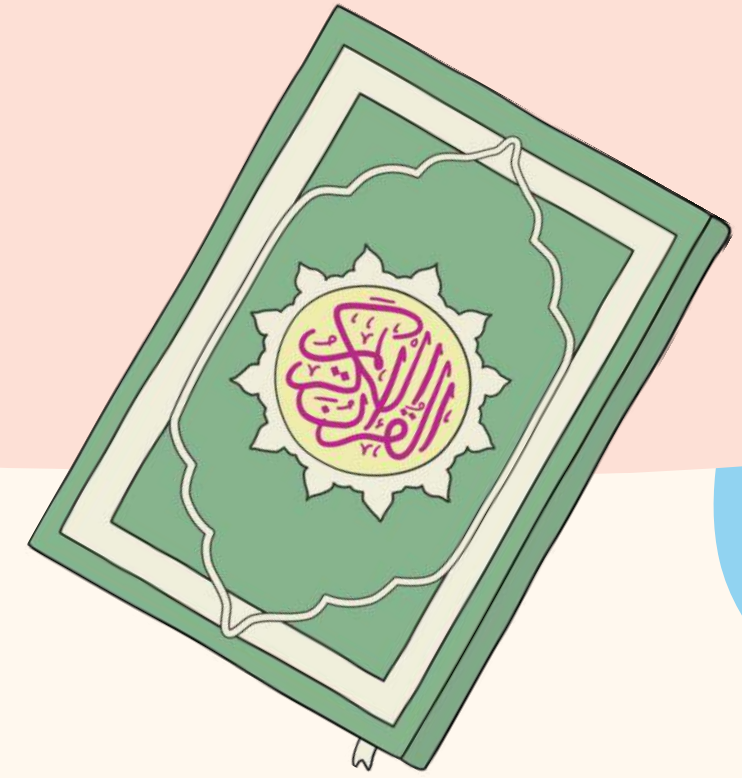


Reading Quran

A guarded book

Muslims believe that the Quran is like no other book. It is the true word of God and has been preserved in its original form since it has been revealed. It's a book of guidance and it is meant for daily access.

"Indeed, it is We (God) who sent down the Qur'an and indeed, We will be its guardian." 15:9



A healing

This verse highlights the Quran's role as a source of healing and a source of mercy for believers. While it primarily addresses spiritual and moral healing, many Muslims also believe in the Quran's ability to bring comfort and solace in times of physical or emotional distress. It is often recited as a means of seeking healing and guidance during times of illness or difficulty.

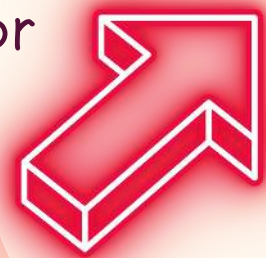
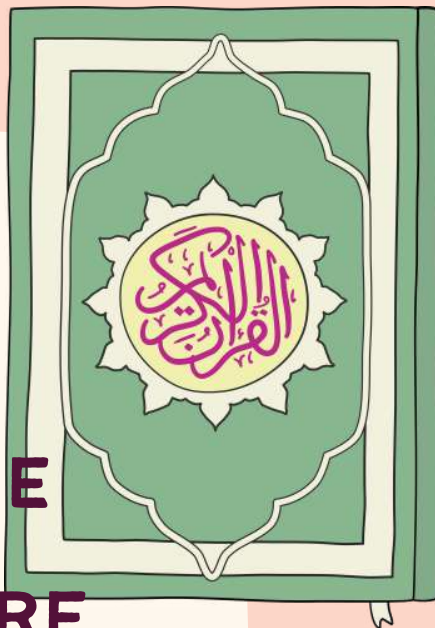
This verse tells us that the Quran is like a warm hug for people who believe in it. It helps make our hearts feel better when we're sad or sick. When we read it, it's like talking to a good friend who listens and helps us feel happier and stronger.



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SURAH AL-ISRA (17:82):
"AND WE SEND DOWN OF THE
QURAN SUCH THINGS THAT ARE
A HEALING AND A MERCY TO
THOSE WHO BELIEVE..."





Spiritual Guidance

The Quran provides spiritual guidance and serves as a source of connection to God, helping Muslims maintain a strong faith.

The Quran is like a treasure map that helps Muslims stay close to God and be really good at being faithful. It's like a bridge that connects us to God, making our faith strong and shiny.



Moral Compass

It serves as a moral compass, offering principles and values that guide ethical decision-making in everyday life.

Think of it like a super helpful map for being a good, kind person and living with values. It tells us what's right and helps us make good choices every day.



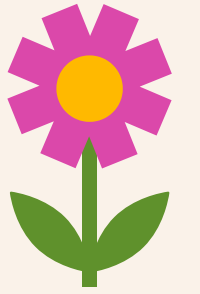
Prayer and Worship

In our daily prayers, we recite special verses from the Quran, and it makes our prayers even more special. It helps us feel closer to God and makes us feel really devoted and happy.





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Personal reflection

Muslims read and reflect upon Quranic verses to find wisdom and insights. They learn smart and good things that help them grow and become even better people.





Social ethics

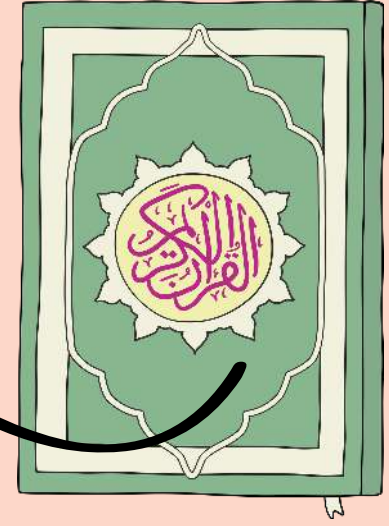
The Quran provides guidelines for ethical behaviour in relationships, emphasising kindness, compassion, and justice. The Quran gives us a guide for how to be really good and fair in our relationships. It tells us to be kind, caring, and make things fair for everyone.



Family life

Quranic teachings influence family dynamics, shaping roles, responsibilities, and interactions within the household. It helps families know how to work together and be kind to each other. It shows what jobs everyone can do and how we work as a happy family. It also points out guidance when things aren't going so well in family.

family



Community life

Quranic principles inspire community involvement and social justice efforts. The Quran teaches Muslims to help their community and make things fair for everyone.

In many communities, people follow Quranic principles to help those in need. They might organise food drives to collect food for families who don't have enough to eat, or looking after the elderly or widows who need support. This is inspired by the Quran's teachings about being generous and helping those who are less fortunate. By doing this, they're making their community stronger and fairer for everyone.



Guidance for business

It offers principles for ethical business conduct, emphasising honesty, integrity, and fair dealings.

This means the Quran tells us how to do good business by always telling the truth, being really honest, and treating everyone fairly.

For example, imagine you have a lemonade stand. If you follow Quranic principles, you wouldn't put water instead of lemon juice in the lemonade to trick people! You would use fresh lemons and tell your customers exactly what they're getting. That's how the Quran helps us do good business!





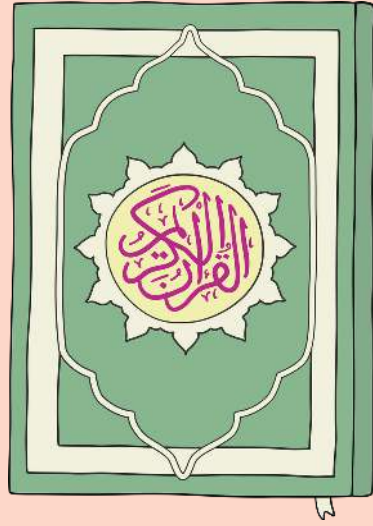
Lifelong learning

Muslims love to learn from the Quran all their lives. They read it, think about it, and try to do what it says to be better people.

For example, it's like when you start learning about animals in school. At first, you might learn about birds and cats, but as you grow up, you study more about different animals like elephants and lions, and how they behave. Similarly, Muslims keep learning more and more about the Quran to become even better at following its teachings.



Law



Islamic law, which is called Shariah, comes from the Quran. It helps make fair rules and decisions for everyday life based on what our Creator has designed for us.

Here's an example: Imagine you and your friends are playing a game, and you need someone to be the referee to make sure everyone plays fairly. That's a bit like how Shariah works—it helps people play the game of life fairly and by the rules from the Quran.



A guide to life

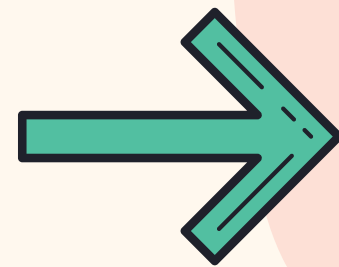
Surah Al-Baqarah (2:185):

"RAMADAN IS THE MONTH IN WHICH THE QURAN WAS REVEALED AS A GUIDE FOR HUMANITY WITH CLEAR PROOFS OF GUIDANCE AND THE STANDARD TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN RIGHT AND WRONG. SO WHOEVER IS PRESENT THIS MONTH, LET THEM FAST; BUT WHOEVER IS ILL OR ON A JOURNEY, THEN [LET THEM FAST] AN EQUAL NUMBER OF DAYS LATER ON. GOD INTENDS FOR YOU EASE AND DOES NOT INTEND FOR YOU HARDSHIP, SO THAT YOU MAY COMPLETE THE PRESCRIBED PERIOD AND PROCLAIM THE GREATNESS OF GOD FOR HIS GUIDANCE AND BE GRATEFUL."

This verse tells us that the Quran is like a superhero guidebook for all people. It helps us see what's right and what's wrong, just like a flashlight in the dark. It's like having a wise friend to help us make good choices and what to do when we face tricky situations in life.

Tajweed

Tajweed is like a special way to read and say the words in the Quran, which is a very important book for Muslims. It helps make sure that when we read the Quran, we say the words just right and make them sound nice. Tajweed teaches us how to say each letter correctly, when to make some sounds longer or shorter, and how to make the Quran sound really beautiful. This helps us show respect for the Quran and read it the right way. When recited the Quran sounds melodious and soothing. It brings tranquillity and peace.

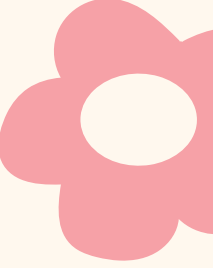

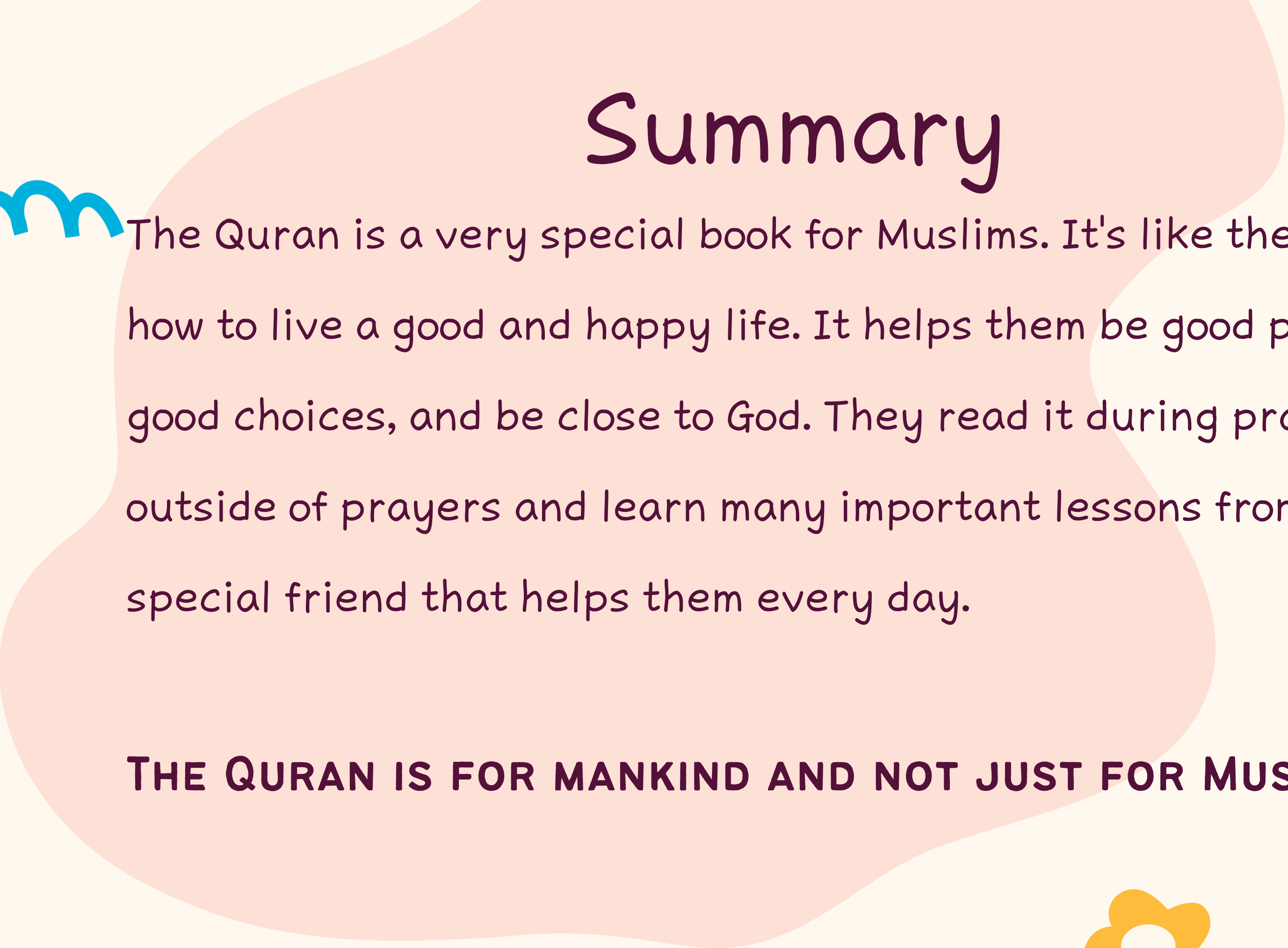


Surah Al-Muzzammil (73:4): "Or add to it [a little], and recite the Quran with measured recitation."

TAJWEED RULES HELP ENSURE THAT THE QURAN IS RECITED ACCURATELY, WITH PROPER PRONUNCIATION, ARTICULATION, AND RHYTHM, AS PRESCRIBED BY ISLAMIC SCHOLARS AND TRADITION.



Summary



The Quran is a very special book for Muslims. It's like their guide for how to live a good and happy life. It helps them be good people, make good choices, and be close to God. They read it during prayers and outside of prayers and learn many important lessons from it. It's a special friend that helps them every day.

THE QURAN IS FOR MANKIND AND NOT JUST FOR MUSLIMS!





Thank you for learning about
the importance of the Quran
in a Muslim's daily life.

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