

Let's Understand the Qur'an

Lesson -1a

جَزَاكُمُ اللَّهُ خَيْرًا

May Allah reward those
Who made arrangements to get it delivered or informed you about it.

Islamic Society of ACT, especially brs. Khalid, Zikrun, Hakim, Imran and others involved

And the originators who have made enormous efforts to develop these courses

مبارك

Congratulations to you!

Lesson 1a



Some FAQs

- Who developed this course?
- How did I (Kamran) get involved?
- I read Quran regularly, do I still need to understand Quran?
- Isn't understanding Quran very difficult and therefore only scholars' job?
- I am too old or don't know much of Arabic, will I be able to learn?
- Why this course to understand Quran?



FAQs

- What scientific methods this course uses to make understanding Quran easy?
- Would we really be able to learn 50% words of the Quran through short course 1?
- I want to learn 100% of the Quran.

 Does this course provide a roadmap?
- Can I do this course on my own? Are there any advantages to attend this class here in the masjid?



If we fail to plan, we plan to fail.

Therefore,

- **✓ First, UNDERSTAND the Task.**
- ✓ Next, make the PLAN.
- ✓ Then, ASK Allah make the task easy.
- ✓ And, START the Task.

(If you walk towards Him, Allah will come to you running!!) - Hadeeth



For Understanding Al-Qur'an

First get to know...

- How many words are there?
- How fast can our brain learn new words?



In the MUSHAF of Madinah, (or the one used by those who memorize the Qur'an)

**	Pages in the Mus-haf	600
**	Lines per page	15

- Words per Line
 9
- Total Words in every page 130
- Total Words (130 x 600)
 78,000

Approximately



In the MUSHAF from Madinah, (or the one used by those who memorize the Qur'an)

Non-repeated Words

17,000

Unique words
 (after learning مرف)

4,500

Root words

1,850

Root words occur in derived forms too.



Easy to Learn!

- Allah says, "Verily We have made Al-Qur'an EASY to understand and remember"
- □ To say: "Al-Qur'an is difficult" is from shaitan! <u>NEVER agree</u> with it and <u>NEVER say</u> it.
- □ Can we contradict the Qur'an!?



Easy to Learn!

- Allah has made His Al-Qur'an easy for us in many wonderful ways. For example,...
- The words of Surah Fatihah are repeated ...

7500 times in Al-Qur'an!



Easy to Learn: Step 1

 ■ Words from a typical Salah (the Surah Al-Fatiha, 6 small surahs + azkar) occur almost

40,000 times in the Qur'aan.

- i.e., 50% of the words... or every 2nd word in the Qur'aan is from DAILY Salah!
- ☐ That is the content of our Course-1



Easy to Learn: Step 2

- Course-2: Additional Recitations + Selections from the Qur'an & Supplications
- From these 2 courses, we can learn

250 words that occur in Al-Qur'an 55,000 times



After the 2 Short Courses

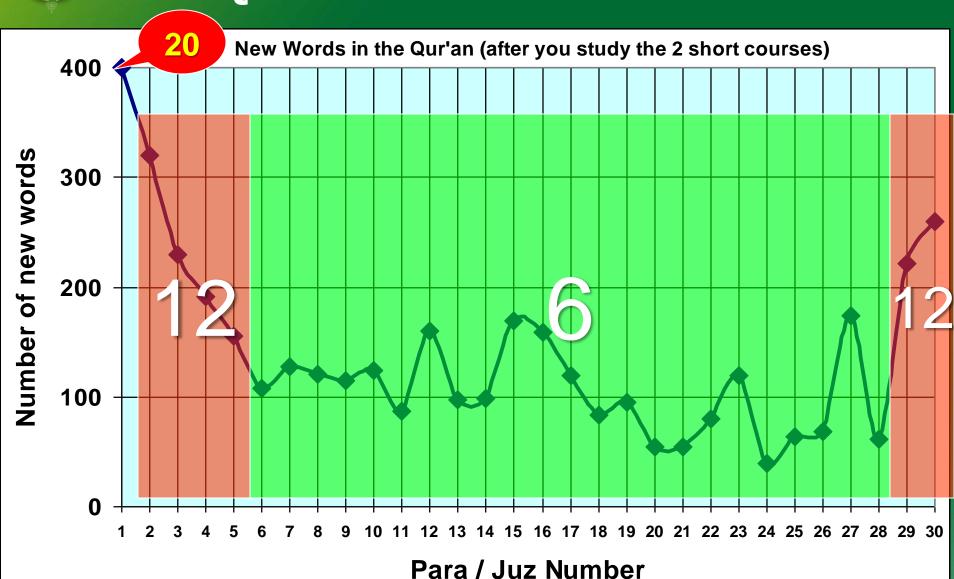
Unfamiliar/New words found in Al-Qur'an

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□ Juz'/ Paarah 1 : 20 per page
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- □ Juz' / Paarah 2 to 5 : 12 per page
- □ Juz' / Paarah 6 to 28 : 6 per page
- Juz' / Paarah 29 to 30 : 12 per page



Unfamiliar or New words per page in Al-Qur'an after the 2 Short Courses



Repetition / Reinforcement Opportunity on Every Page of Al-Qur'an!

- New Words per page : 20
- □ TOTAL words per page : 130
- □ Repeated words : 110

Therefore, each page ensure enough revision of the words that have learnt earlier!!!



Human Brain Capacity???

- New Words memorizable per Day : 15
- □ The Secret of this Capacity : Repetition

Repetition ensures that the learnt words get stored in the PERMANENT MEMORY of the brain



Just 250 hours!

- □ To understand Al-Qur'an, you need 250 Hours!
 (20 hours for the 2 short courses + 7 hours for each of the 30 Juz'u/Paarah)
- Start A.S.A.P. (As Soon As Possible)
- When you have any way decided to learn, Why Delay?



Objectives of Course - 1

- 1. To convince you that Qur'an is easy to understand
- 2. To pray Salah effectively
- 3. Encourage you to recite Qur'an again and again with understanding
- 4. Help in interacting with the Qur'an (to bring it into our lives)
- 5. To generate the team spirit



What will we study? In 19 lessons (First Part)

- Surah Al-Fatihah, and last 6 Surahs
- Parts of Salah
- Supplications, etc.
- PLUS grammar rules in every session



In each session, we will study

- Qur'an / Hadith
- Grammar
- Learning and motivational tips



Strategy

Through these common recitations, we will learn:

125 words that occur in the Qur'an almost 40,000 times

(50% of the words of the Qur'an)

Understanding Qur'an vs. Learning Arabic Language

3 Major Differences in our approach

No. 1: Smooth Start

- Start from Salah (Why use any other text, for Qur'an)...
- ☐ If I want to teach you French and if I know that you speak something in French for 1 hour, I will say: Learn that first!
- A common sense approach
- Valid for every Muslim man, woman, old, and young, and even for a child ...



No. 2: Focus on Listening and Reading

		Language Learning	Understanding Qur'an
Reception	Listening	√	√
	Reading	√	√
Production	Speaking	√	- X -
	Writing	√	- X -

Speaking & writing: i.e., express himself (not just able to use his pen)

No. 3: More Focus on Vocabulary

- More focus on Vocabulary (just the way a child learns...)
- Less focus on grammar; otherwise if we teach the way shown below, people will run away!

غائب، جمع، مذكر، مهموز، باب إفعال

فعل مضارع مرفوع بثبوت النون لأنه من الأفعال الخمسة، والواو ضمير متصل في محل رفع فاعل

ئۇم**ئون**

Approach

X With doubt (whether we can learn or not?)

Infact with a firm belief that Allah the high will make it easy for us to learn.

(الرحمن علم القرآن)

Rules

Remember the golden rule:

- I listen, I forget.
- I see, I remember.
- I practice, I learn (HW too).
- I teach, I master (more later)



Du'aa

May Allah (Sub-hanahu wa Ta-'aalah) help us to:

- Read Al-Qur'an
- Understand Al-Qur'an
- □ Reflect/Contemplate upon Al-Qur'an
- Implement / Act upon Al-Qur'an
- Spread the learning and the message of Al-Qur'an

(Aameen!)



TPS-W

Think

1 minute

Pair & Share

2 minutes

Write

4 minutes



1b:

Grammar & Learning tips

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Lesson -1b



قواعد -





Use TPI

Total Physical Interaction

Easy for learning different Arabic forms



Use TPI (Total Physical Interaction)

- ✓ Hear it
- ✓ See it
- ✓ Think it
- ✓ Say it
- ✓ Show it
- ✓ Do it with love & enthusiasm



Use TPI !!!

- List of 125 words is there, but I want to help you learn.
- Please follow the way I say...
- Even if you know, use it for...



Through TPI: 18,500!!

- هُوَ، هُمْ، أَنْتُ، أَنْتُم، أَنْتُم، أَنْا، نَحْنُ 1.
- 2. اهْم، اكْم، حُمْ، حَمْ، حَمْ،
- لَ، مِنْ، عَنْ، مَعَ، بِ، فِي، عَلَى، إِلَى 3.
- هذًا، هؤلاء، ذلك، أُولئك 4.
- قَعَل، فَتَح، جَعَل، نَصرَ، خَلَق، كَفَر، دَخَلَ، 5. رَزَق، ضَرَب، ظَلَم، غَفَر، صَبَر، سَمِع، رَزِق، ضَرَب، ظَلَم، غَفَر، صبَبر، سَمِع، عَلِم، عَمِل، رَحِم، وَعَد، وَجَد، وَلَد، قَالَ، عَلِم، عَمِل، رَحِم، وَعَد، وَجَد، وَلَد، قَالَ، كَانَ، قَامَ، تَاتَ

10 GOLDEN SETS

35,000 or 45%

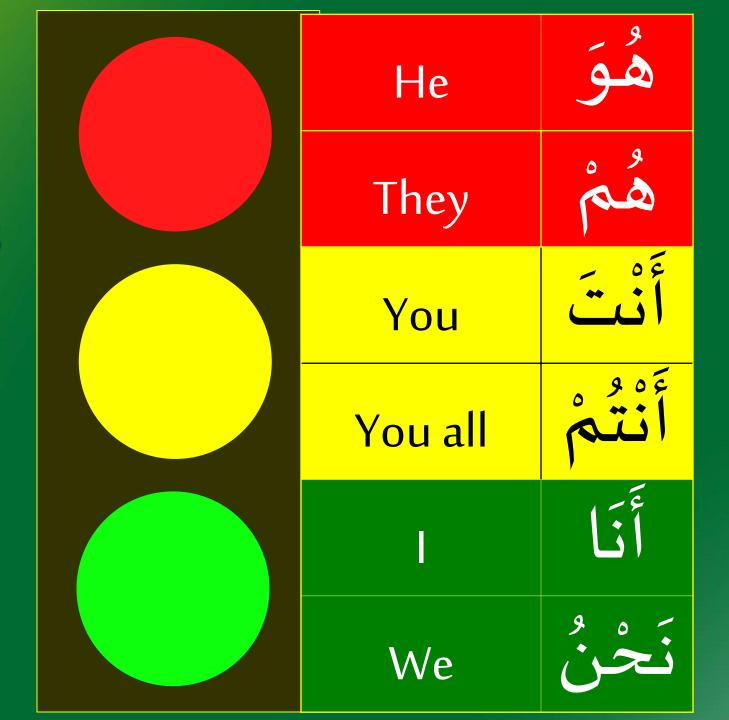
- هُوَ، هُمْ، أَنْتَ، أَنْتُم، أَنَا، نَحْنُ 1.
- -هُ، -هُم، -كَ، -كُمْ، -ي، -نَا، -هَا
- لَ إِ، مِنْ، عَنْ، مَعَ، بِ، فِي، عَلَى، إِلَى 3.
- هذا، هؤلآء، ذلك، أُولئِكَ، الَّذِي، الَّذِينَ 4.

TPI related: 20,000 or 25%

- إِنْ، إِنَّ، أَنْ، أَنَّ، قَدْ
 - لاً، مَا، لَمْ، إلا مَّ
 - مَا؟، مَنْ،كَيْفَ 7.
 - إذ، إذا، بعد، ثُمَّ 8.
- الله، رَبّ، رَسُول، كِتاب، حقّ، دنيا، آخرة، أرض، سماء، عذاب، قوم 9.
 - فَعَل، جَعَل، خَلَق، كَفَر، ظَلَمَ، عَلِمَ، عَمِلَ، قَالَ، كَانَ، شَاءَ، جَاءَ 10.



times



Arabic words have 2 to 3 parts!



and he

LESSON-1

هُوَ ، هُم ، أَنْتُ ...

1295

وأنا

لفو ، هُم، أَنْتَ...





Learn dual & feminine gender later on.

Only 6 instead of 14

- هِيَ، هُمَا، هُنَّ هُوَ، هُمَا، هُمْ، هُ
- ، أنْتِ، أَنْتُمَا، أَنْتُنَ أَنْتُ، أَنْتُمَا، أَنْتُمَا، أَنْتُمَا
- أنا، نحن 🗆



Dual & Feminine forms later...

6 forms only instead of 14

- means both يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا
 - males and females
- Dual forms come very rarely
- When it comes, we can learn it quickly.



TPS-W

Think

1 minute

Pair & Share

2 minutes

Write

4 minutes

Learning Tips

You can Learn!

You have to use brain to learn the Qur'an!

And you have got an extremely powerful one! !!!

- √ 100,000,000,000 cells, neurons
- ✓ For each of these cells, we have up to 20,000 dendrites (branches)
- √ 1,000,000,000,000,000 Connections
- ✓ 500 times/sec
- ✓ We have toooooo much CAPACITY.

We use hardly 5% of our brain!

It is empty.....!

Only up to 3% of brain cells die when you reach 60 years of age!

For brain and muscles — Exercise is a must.

More important for aged people

Use it or lose it!!!

Why not use it for Qur'an

Learning Qur'an has special blessings too.



The important words we learnt using TPI

هُوَ	481
هم	444
أنت	81
أنتم	135
أنا	68
نَحْنُ	86

In this first lesson we

Learned 6 words which occur in Quran almost 1295 times

There are 4,500 words in Quran which are repeated almost 78000 times



MashaAllah you have started! Don't give up!!

- 1. Don't fail yourself! Don't say you don't have time! Snatch those 15 minutes from your day anyway!
- 2. Don't forget to become the 'student' of the Prophet pbuh!

سُبْحَانَ اللهِ وَبِحَمْدِهِ سُبْحَانَكَ اللهُمَّ وَبِحَمْدِكَ فَيُحَانَكَ اللهُمَّ وَبِحَمْدِكَ نَشْهَدُ أَن لاَّ إِلَهَ إِلاَّ أَنْتَ أَسْتَغْفِرُكَ وَأَتُوبُ إِلَيْكَ نَشْهَدُ أَن لاَّ إِلَهَ إِلاَّ أَنْتَ أَسْتَغْفِرُكَ وَأَتُوبُ إِلَيْكَ

In this lesson....

Introduction of the course

هُوَ، هُمْ، ... Grammar

Learning tip

In this lesson you will learn 6 new words which occur in Quran almost 1295 times

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In this lesson...

Qur'an: Al-Fatihah (Verses 1-3)

هُوَ مُسلِمْ, هُمْ مُسْلِمُوْن : Grammar

Educational tip: Create flashes in the brain

In this lesson you will learn 7 new words which occur in Quran almost 3184 times

4,479

By the end of this lesson, we will learn
13 words which occur in quran almost 4479 times
There are 4,500 words in Quran which are repeated almost 78000 times

Introduction

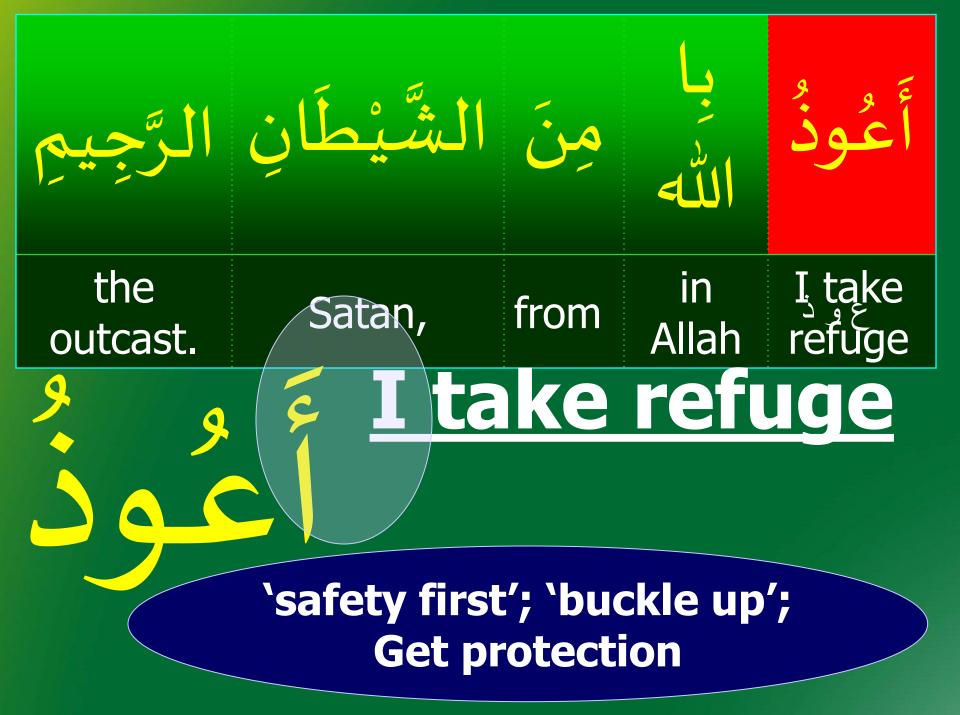
- > First Surah of the Qur'an
- ➤ It is so important that we are commanded to recite it everyday, in every Salah, in every Raka'ah

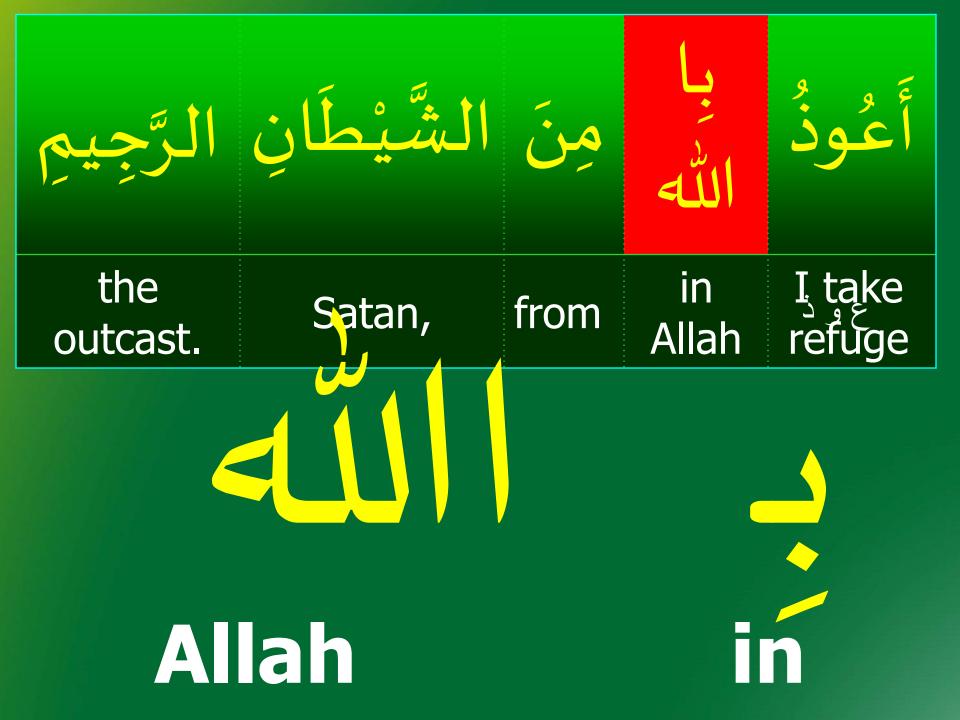
Words of Fatihah: 7500 times in the Qur'an!!!

يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا إِنْ تُطِيعُوا فَرِيقاً مِنْ الَّذِينَ أُوتُوا الْكِتَابَ يَرُدُّوكُمْ بَعْدَ إِيمَانِكُمْ كَافِرِينَ (100) وَكَيْفَ تَكْفُرُونَ وَأَنْتُمْ تُتْلَى عَلَيْكُمْ آيَاتُ اللَّهِ وَفِيكُمْ رَسُولُهُ وَمَنْ يَعْتَصِمْ بِاللَّهِ فَقَدْ هُدِيَ إِلَى صِرَاطٍ مُسْتَقِيم (101) يَا أَيُّهَا الَّذِينَ آمَنُوا اتَّقُوا اللَّهَ حَقَّ تُقَاتِهِ وَلا تُمُوتُنَّ إِلاَّ وَأَنْتُمْ مُسْلِمُونَ ۚ (102) وَاعْتَصِمُوا بِحَبْلِ اللَّهِ جَمِيعاً وَلا تَفَرَّقُوا وَاذَّكُرُوا نِعْمَةَ اللَّهِ عَلَيْكُمْ إِذْ كُنْتُمْ أَعْدَاءً فَأَلَّفَ بَيْنَ قُلُوَبِكُمْ فَأَصْبَحْتُمْ بِنِعْمَتِهِ إِخْوَاناً وَكُنْتُمْ عَلَى شَفَا حُفْرَةٍ مِنْ النَّارِ فَأَنْقَذَكُمْ مِنْهَا كَذَلِكَ يُبَيِّنُ اللَّهُ لَكُمْ آيَاتِهِ لَعَلَّكُمْ تَهْتَدُونَ (103) وَلْتَكُنَّ مِنْكُمْ أُمَّةٌ يَدْعُونَ إِلَى الْخَيْرِ وَيَأْمُرُونَ بِالْمَعْرُوفِ وَيَنْهَوْنَ عَنْ الْمُنْكَرِ وَأُوْلَئِكَ هُمْ الْمُفْلِجُونَ (104) وَلا تَكُونُوا كَالَّذِينَ تَفَرَّقُوا وَاخْتَلَفُوا مِنْ بَعْدِ مَا جَاءَهُمْ الْبَيِّنَاتُ وَأُوْلَئِكَ لَهُمْ عَذَابٌ عَظِيمٌ (105) يَوْمَ تَبْيَضُّ وُجُوهُ وَتَسْوَدُّ وُجُوهُ فَأَمَّا الَّذِينَ اسْوَدَّتِْ وُجُوهُهُمْ أَكَفَرْتُمْ بَعْدَ إِيمَانِكُمْ فَذُوقُوا الْعَذَابَ بِمَا كُنْتُمْ تَكْفُرُونَ (106) وَأَمَّا الَّذِينَ ابْيَضَّتْ وُجُوهُهُمْ فَفِي رَحْمَٰةِ اللَّهِ هُمْ فِيهَا خَالِدُونَ (107) تِلْكَ آيَاتُ اللَّهِ نَتْلُوهَا عَلَيْكَ بِالْحُقّ وَمَا اللَّهُ يُريدُ ظُلْماً لِلْعالَمِينَ (108) وَلِلَّهِ مَا فِي السَّمَوَاتِ وَمَا فِي الأَرْضَ وَإِلَى اللَّهِ تُرْجَعُ الأُمُورُ (109)

تَعَوّْذ

الرّجيم	مِن الشيطانِ	الله	أعوذ
the outcast	From Satan,	In Allah	I seek refuge





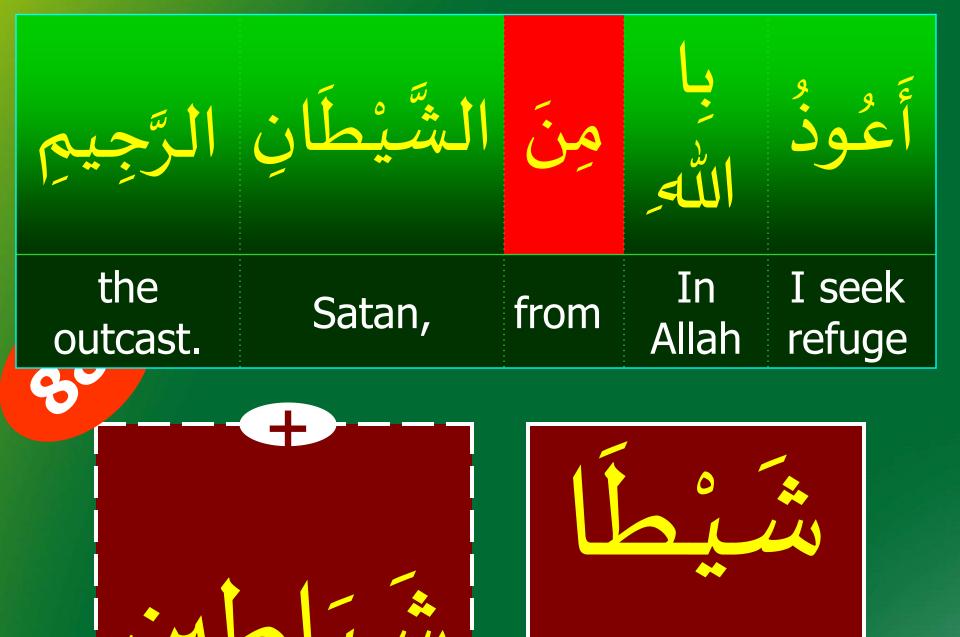
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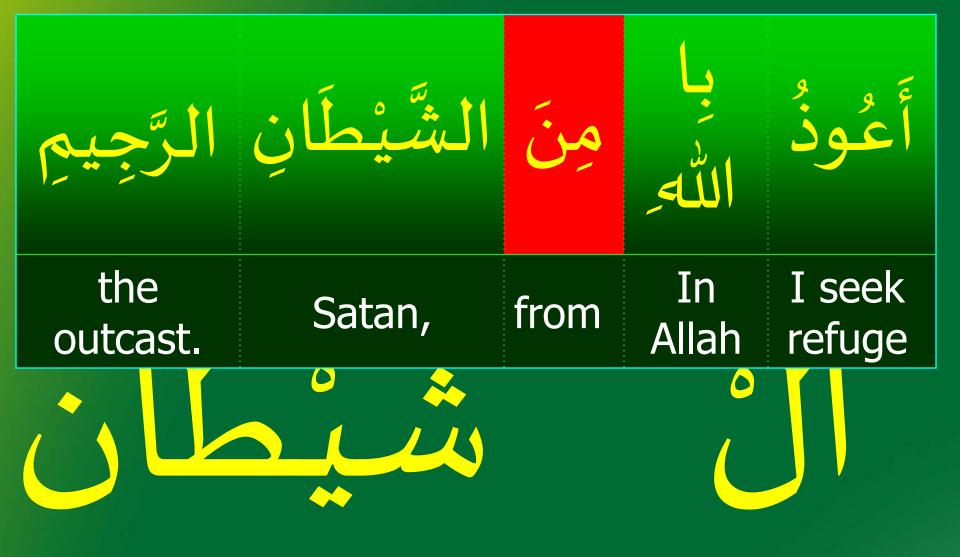


Allah's name (The rest are attributes)



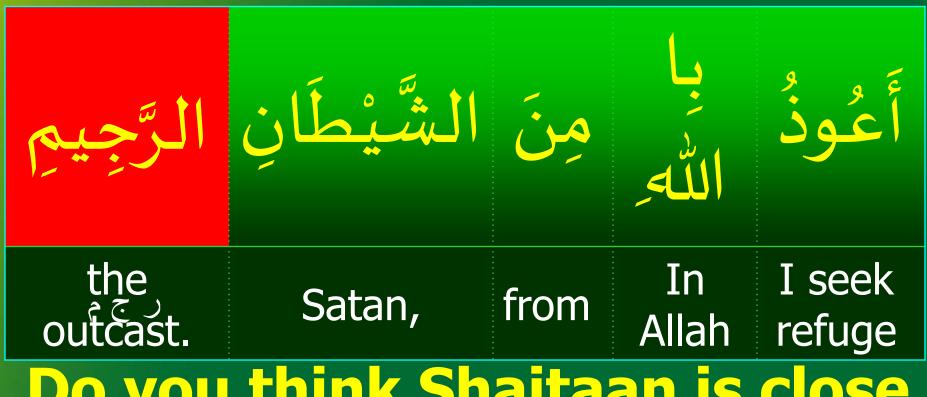
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Satan

the



Do you think Shaitaan is close to Allah? Never.

He is outcast; rejected; thrown away from Allah's mercy.

Message from:



- Feel the closeness of Allah. Feel the presence of Shaitaan and the 2 angels.
- Why Rajeem is mentioned?? So that we always keep it alive in our mind

اسباق

باالله

ءَ و و ا

In Allah

I seek refuge

الرّديم

مِن الشيطانِ

the outcast

From Satan,



سُورَةُ الْفَاتِحَة

الرّحيم (١)	الرّحمٰن	االله	نسم
the Most	the Most	(of)	In the
Merciful.	Gracious,	Allah,	name

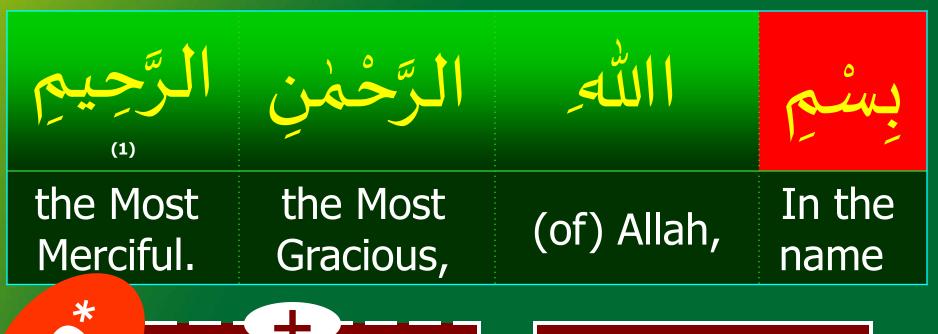


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name

in







Allah's best names









the Most Merciful.

the Most Gracious,

(of) Allah,

In the name

ر ح م

عطشان extremely thirsty غضبان extremely angry عضبان extremely hungry



الرَّحْمٰنِ

االله

بسم

(1)

the Most Merciful.

the Most Gracious,

(of) Allah,

In the name



ر ح م

Intensely Merciful



the Most Merciful.

the Most Gracious,

(of) Allah,

In the name

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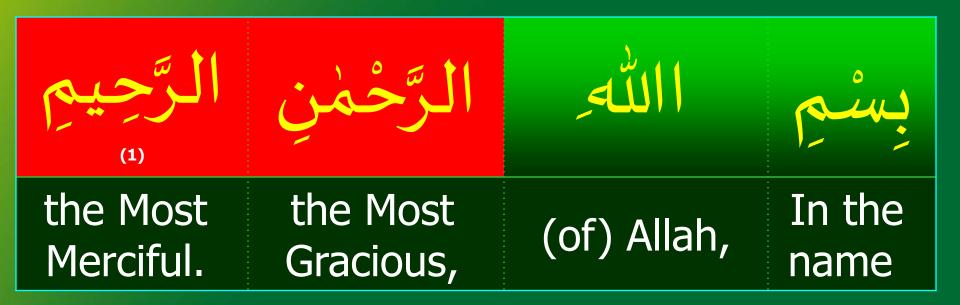
Beautiful

Good mannered

Show continuity!



Continually Merciful



Multiply the intensity with continuity!

Message from:



- Imagine the favors on you;
- > Feel the mercy of Allah
- Feel the confidence and hope when you say it at the start of any thing



Practice with prayer, imagination, and feelings

االله

(of) Allah,

مس

In the name

الرّحيم (۱)

the Most Merciful. الرَّحْمٰنِ

the Most Gracious,





الْعَالِينَ (2)		اللح	ألحمد
(of) the worlds.	the Lord	(be) to Allah,	(All) the praises and thanks









(of) the worlds.

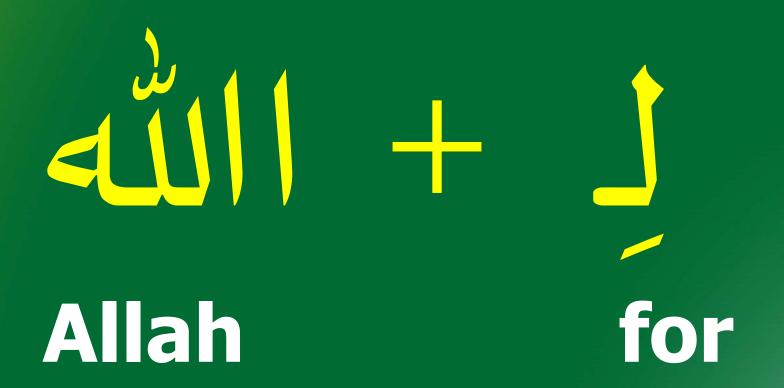
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(All) the praises and thanks

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1. All Praises2. Thanks







ربب

Takes care of us & helps us grow

... Every cell of billions of cells...









(of) the worlds.

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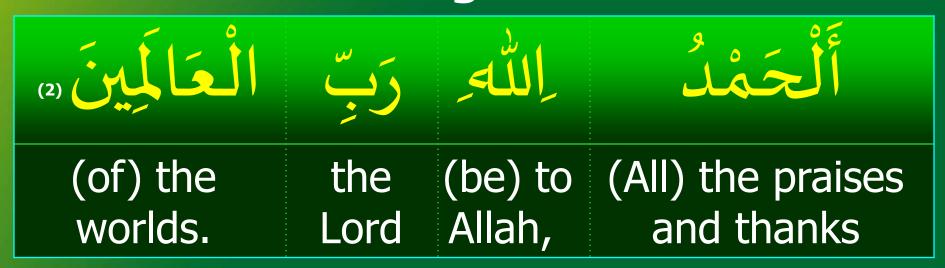
علم

world worlds



Imagine billions of people; trillions of insects; zillions of galaxies

Message from:



- Bring into mind the favors
- Mean something; that He gave the chance to pray to Him
- Imagine His Greatness; Rabb of the world of humans, world of angels, of jinns, of galaxies, and Allah knows what...



with Imagination, feelings, and Prayer



(be) to Allah,



(All) the praises and thanks



(of) the worlds.



The Lord

Message from:



الرّحمٰنِ

The Most Merciful.

The Most Gracious,

- > Feel His mercy
- Remember to be kind to others to receive the mercy from Allah



With Imagination, feelings, and prayer



الرّحمٰن

The Most Merciful.

The Most Gracious,



TPS-W

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1 minute

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2 minutes

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4 minutes

New words and examples

أَعُوذُ بِاللهِ مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ	الله	2702
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After the Break, we will study:

Grammar & Learning tips

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Let's Understand the Qur'an

Lesson – 2b

قواعد Gramma

Use TPI (Total Physical Interaction)

- ✓ Hear it
- ✓ See it
- ✓ Think it
- ✓ Say it
- ✓ Show it
- ✓ Do it will love & enthusiasm



He	ھُوَ	
They	هُمُ	
You	أنت	
You All	أنتم	
Ι	أنا	
WE	نَحْن	

Kinds of words that we speak or write (Kalimat)

إسم	Noun	Name (كِتَاب، مَكَّة) Attribute (مُسْلِم، مُؤمِن)
فعل		Tells us about an action فَتَحَ، يَعْمَلُون
خرف	Letter	Joins nouns and/or verbs پ، لِ، مِنْ، فِي، إِنّ

Noun

مُسُلِم، مُؤْمِن، صَالِح كَافِر، مُشْرِك، مُنَافِق كَافِر، مُشْرِك، مُنَافِق

to make the plural ون، ین





مُؤْمِنُونَ، مُؤْمِنِين



Add ون، ین to make the plural



صالح

كَافِرُون، كَافِرين

كافر

Add ون، ین to make the plural





مُنَافِقُون، مُنَافِقِين



To make Plurals

مُسْلِم مُسْلِمُون، مُسْلِمِين مُؤْمِن مُؤمِنُون، مُؤمِنِين صَالِح بَ صَالِحُون، صَالِحِين كَافِر ﴿ كَافِرُون ، كَافِرِين مُشْرِك مُشْرِكُون، مُشْرِكِين مُنَافِق مُنَافِقُون، مُنَافِقِين

يخمع سالم: ون، ين



هُوَ مُسْلِم

هُمْ مُسْلِمُون

أنت مُسْلِم

أُنْتُمْ مُسْلِمُون

أنامسلم

نَحْنُ مُسْلِمُون

TPS-W

Think

1 minute

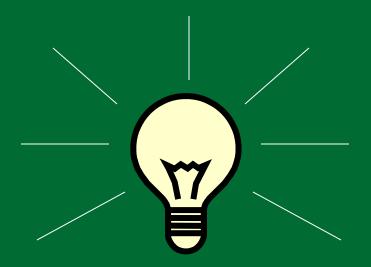
Pair & Share

2 minutes

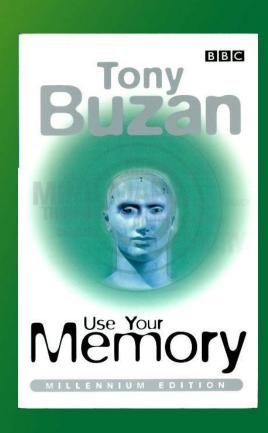
Write

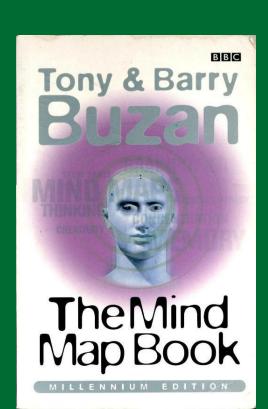
4 minutes

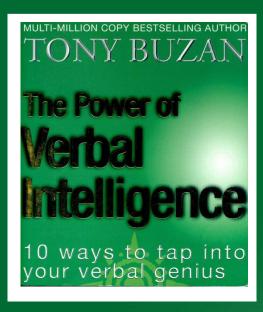
Learning tip

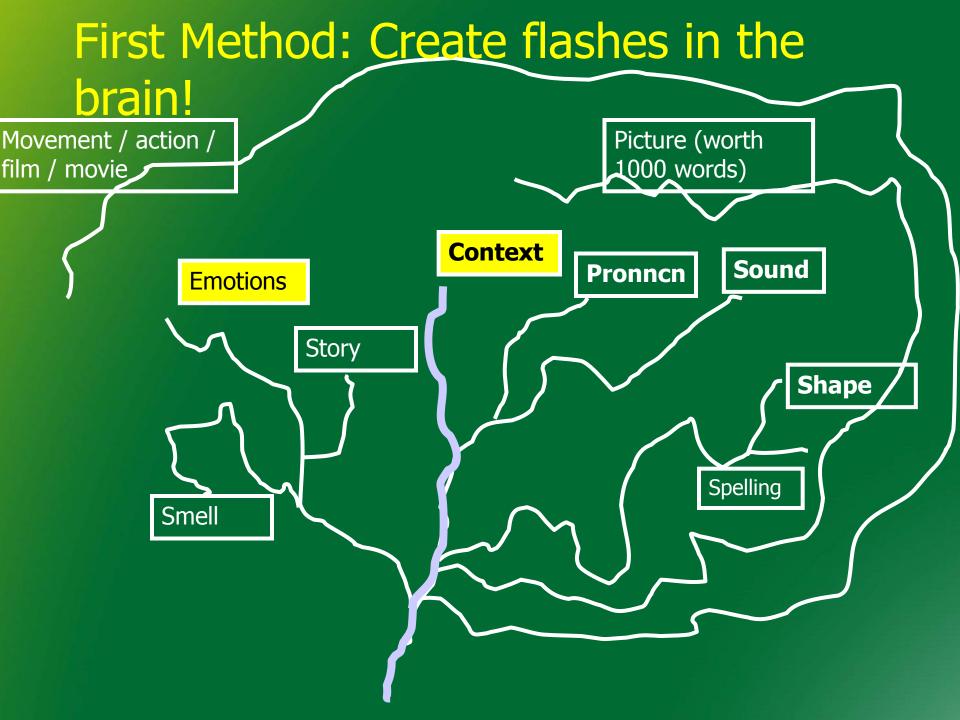


On brain and memory









The more flashes you create...

- ≺ The easier it is to <u>Memorize</u> / Remember
- The easier it is to <u>Retain</u> for longer time
- The easier it is to Recall

TPI is just that!

New words and examples

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78,000

In 2 lessons, we have learnt

4,479

13 words which occur in quran almost 4479 times