



Hira Foundation School

A Division of Jamia Darul Uloom

A unique blend of traditional & modern disciplines

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The Vision Statement

From very inception of Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi, its founder Hazrat Mufti Azam Pakistan Mufti Muhammad Shafi (RH) had the following vision:

To facilitate students to become well educated, successful and practicing Muslims for the pleasure of Almighty Allah.



History

Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi was established in Shawwal, 1370 corresponding to June 1951 in an old school building located in Nanakwarah by Mufti-e-Azam Pakistan Hazrat Maulana Mufti Muhammad Shafi (RA).

Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi is run by Mufti Azam Pakistan, Mufti Muhammad Rafi Usmani and his brother Sheikh ul Islam Justice (R) Mufti Muhammad Taqi Usmani.

HFS was established by the management of Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi in 2004 with the above mentioned great vision.



Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi

Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi is a top academic institution imparting all branches of Islamic knowledge for last 60 years.

It has more than 25 departments and divisions to facilitate students to be equipped with advance knowledge not only in Islamic studies but also in all relevant spheres of Islam.





Hira Foundation School

To meet the inevitable need and demand of the masses, Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi addressed the need to provide modern education integrated with Islamic values. The project of Hira Foundation school (HFS) was established to educate and train Muslim children from their early childhood and equip them with modern knowledge, skills and attitudes to live with prosperity and dignity of a true practicing Muslim, poised enough to face global challenges with greater level of confidence and competence and academic qualification of international standard, and get the honor in this world and in the Here After.



About us



Hira Foundation School is a division of Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi. It is an excellent Cambridge based schooling system, in which we stand committed to offer value based education with a goal to spruce our children in accordance with Islamic values. The journey of this institution was started in the month of October, 2004. Its first session was conducted in March, 2005 under the direct supervision of the top management of Jamia Darul Uloom Karachi. Dr. Muhammad Imran Usmani was appointed as Nazim (Director) of HFS project and Mufti Muhammad Najeeb Khan as Principal of HFS.

At beginning, there were only three Montessori levels with the strength of few students under the supervision of only three teachers in old building of Hira Foundation School (HFS).

But with the grace of Almighty Allah, HFS has now moved to a larger newly built premises equipped with all necessary facilities and accommodates a larger number of students instructed by well qualified, professional, enthusiastic and devoted teachers with high quality of education system. HFS provides quality education under Islamic and very secured and peaceful environment which helps children to order their lives & their extra-curricular activities according to the teachings of Islam.

In addition, HFS provides a good opportunity of combination of Hifz and Arabic language to understand the Holy Quran and Sunnah, with basic general subjects. In this way, the students can get academic education as well as complete Hifz.



Director of HFS M e s s a g e

To fulfill the dreams and vision of my elders while seeking the pleasure of Almighty Allah (SWT) I have made a long term plan having the following aims and objectives (Insha Allah):



Aims and Objectives

- To promote a safe and caring environment in which students can groom their intellectual, spiritual, social, creative and physical abilities to their greatest potential while also to making them confident, dynamic and vibrant.
- To establish a Shariah based modern model academic institution from Montessori school to University level competing with the contemporary high profile institutions for providing an environment to our generations for learning values and basic knowledge of Islam along with quality education , employing latest teaching methodologies.
- Preparing our children to be practicing Muslims and true Pakistanis who could confidently face the challenges of the world by getting expertise in their respective professions.
- Enabling them to become Aalim, or to continue their education through reputable academic/ professional institutions.
- To uphold the social, emotional, physical, mental as well as spiritual perfection in the students.
- To stimulate the creativity and hidden talent of the student.
- To educate the students nourishing the ability of becoming leaders of society to face the challenges of the modern world. To accomplish the above mentioned objectives, HFS needs commitment, and long-term focused efforts of all the stake holders in this project. In addition to that, HFS shall need highly professional and devoted team to carry out these objectives.





Facilities

- Well equipped Montessori with well trained Montessori Directress.
- Audio visual facilities.
- Multimedia Projectors.
- A computer lab with modern educational software & Internet facility.
- A well established library equipped with a wide range of books, encyclopedias and Islamic readers.
- Regular contact with parents/guardian.
- Sports under the supervision of sports coach.
- Transport facility.



Curriculum



Pre- Schooling System (PSS)

- Pre-Schooling system (PSS) “Early Childhood Education and Development” a blend of Montessori/ Kindergarten and Islamic teachings for Children under age group of 2 to 6 years
- Languages and Literacy (Urdu, English, Arabic)
- Culture (Science ,Environmental and Social Studies)
- Mathematics
- Islamic Studies
- Nazirah Quran



Elementary Schooling System(ESS)

- Elementary Schooling System for grades I to III through fine tuning of Cambridge supported courses integrated with Islamic teachings
- Language (English, Urdu, Arabic)
- Logical Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies
- Computer Studies
- Islamic Studies (Specially designed curriculum providing the basic teachings of Islam and enabling to understand teachings of Quran and sunnah)
- Nazirah and / or Hifz-e-Quran
- Hifz option is offered from class II onwards on optional basis
- Option of Hifz with ‘O level studies & Catch up program for Huffaz





Junior Schooling System(JSS)

- Junior Schooling System for Grades IV to VIII with shariah based Cambridge /Matric(SSC) supported courses segregated for boys & Girls.
- Islamic studies & Nazirah Quran.



Senior Schooling System (SSS)

- Senior Schooling System (SSS) entirely Cambridge based system along with Islamic teachings designed for "O" level / Matric (SSC) examinations for 14-16 year olds segregated for boys & girls.



Academic Procedure Assessment Criteria

- HFS has two semesters midterm and final term.
- After every two months HFS has assessment test of 20 marks. Test marks are included in final term.
- In early child hood program, HFS is doing monthly ongoing formative assessment for all students.



Academic Year

- First Term : August to December (with term assessment)
- Second Term : January to April (with final assessment)
- Summer Vacations : Two months
- Eid and Ramadan Vacation : From 20th Ramadan onwards
- Weekly holidays : Friday & Sunday

Grading Scheme

A+	93% & Above
A	85%-92%
B+	75%-84%
B	65%-75%
C	55%-64%
D	50%-54%
Fail	Below 50%



Co-Curricular

- Art competition
- Qirat competitions
- Debate competitions
- Educational Trips
- Science & Art Exhibition
- Open days
- Inter house competitions



Extra Curricular

- Sports week
- Naat competitions
- Excursions
- Inter house competitions



Major Society

All these activities are held under the supervision of four major societies,

- Islamic Society
- Sports & Health society
- Language society
- Art and cultural society

HFS has a team of four houses .These houses will support the respective societies.



Inter House system

To develop the following skills in the students HFS has introduced this system;

- Competition
- Leadership quality
- Responsibility
- Enthusiasm
- Physical fitness
- Individual assessments
- Group assessments
- Coordination and sharing among students
- Confidence
- Presentation skills
- Decision power



Registration Process



Required documents

- Attested birth certificate
- Attested photo copies of parent's CNIC
- Two passport size photographs of a child



Admission

After passing the written test, students will have to qualify the prescribed interview separately. Interview letter will be issued only to successful candidates. Parents / guardian of students who cleared the written test will have to appear in an interview conducted by the school.



Interview

Parents will be called for Interviews and application process will be conducted.



Final Selection

The final selection of only a limited number of candidates is made as per merit list and criteria decided by the school management in its sole discretion.



Documents Required for Admission

- Vaccination Certificate /Immunization
- School's leaving certificate
- Previous report cards
- Transport application form



Note

- The school reserves the right to deny or revoke admission to students if records show false or misleading information that has been provided on the application forms.



Withdrawals

- A student is automatically withdrawn if his tuition fee is not paid for two months. Such student wishing to rejoin the school will be required to pay all the admission charges again. A student will only be considered for re-admission if he/she has cleared all his/her previous outstanding dues, subject to vacancy.



Uniform

Uniform for Boys

Dark Green Kurta & Trousers

School monogram

Black Cap

Black shoes (stick on)

Black Socks

Dark Green Sweater(winter)

Uniform for Girls

Dark Green Kurta & Shalwar

School monogram

White Scarf With Green Lines

Black shoes (stick on)

Black Socks

Dark Green Cardigan (winter)

Simple Black Abaya from Class III





Strategic Plan

- With the Grace of Almighty Allah we plan the following:
- To introduce O – Levels / Matric (SSC) and A – Levels / FSC (HSC) to enable students to develop a better base for higher education in line with national and international standards.
- To extend the education system beyond school to the college & university (Business, medical & Engineering) level and enable to seek education in an ideal environment upholding Islamic values and heritage.



Future Plans

- Swimming Pool
- Gymnasium
- Large play area
- Auditorium
- New building For Boys campus





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