

Taraweeh guidelines

As-salamu alaykum,

Alhamdulillah, we are all looking forward to the blessed month of Ramadan. InshaAllah, we will have Taraweeh at UIC led by Shaykh Muhammad Mustafa. During the Salah, it is important to maintain Khushu` and be completely focused. InshaAllah, on one of the nights, the Shaykh will do a Khatira on the importance of Khushu` for the validity of Salah on one of the nights in Ramadan. May Allah grant us sincerity and devotion in our worship.

To help maintain a peaceful and focused environment for all Musalleen, we kindly request the following:

1. Parents should supervise their children throughout the Taraweeh prayers. Please have your children pray beside you to minimize disruptions. On select nights, childcare is available for children aged 4–8 (please refer to the flyer for details). We encourage parents to utilize this service rather than leaving children unattended.
2. Any instances of misconduct or misbehavior by children should be reported to a member of the Executive Committee. We kindly ask that you do not attempt to handle these situations on your own. Your cooperation helps maintain a respectful and orderly environment for all worshippers.
3. Please refrain from talking in the prayer area during Taraweeh or Khatirah. Sound carries and echoes at UIC, which can disrupt the focus and concentration of all Musalleen. Additionally, when adults engage in conversation during Salah or Khatirah, children may perceive it as acceptable behavior and follow suit. Let us all strive to maintain a serene and respectful environment for worship.
4. Children aged 12 and under should not be in the kitchen area unless accompanied by an adult. This is to ensure their safety.
5. At the end of Taraweeh, please take a moment to pick up any trash you see and dispose of it properly. Keeping UIC clean is a shared responsibility, and these small acts of care help strengthen our sense of community. InshaAllah, such efforts will be rewarded greatly by Allah.
6. Finally, please do not park in the gravel parking lot next to the school. Kindly follow the instructions of the police officers and volunteers managing traffic. Additionally, please drive with extra caution, as it can be difficult to see children at night. Your attentiveness helps ensure everyone's safety.

May Allah accept our Qiyam, Siyam, and all our good deeds during the blessed month of Ramadan. Ameen.

JazakAllah Khayran.

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