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Welcome to Makki Educational Academy!

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian,

Assalamu a'laikum,

Thank you for trusting Makki Educational Academy with your child's education! On behalf of MEA staff and administration, we extend a warm welcome to you!

One of the greatest challenges Muslim parents are faced with today is to ensure their children receive a solid Islamic foundation to help strengthen and safeguard their Iman along with an outstanding secular education needed to succeed in this world. Makki Educational Academy was founded in 2017 with this very vision, i.e., to educate and empower Muslim youth through high academic standards in a nurturing traditional Islamic environment where they could be equipped with clear understanding of the teachings of the holy Quran. It is MEA's goal to produce confident and proud Muslims who are responsible citizens and contributing members of the society!

With the ever-growing academic competition that exists today, MEA recognizes that it is imperative to challenge our youth with rigorous curricula to give them an edge over their peers and to prepare them for high school and beyond. To ensure students receive high quality learning experience, MEA has invested in curricula that are aligned with Common Core Standards across all content areas. Common Core Standards, known for their rigor, not only prepare students for the next grade level, but life after high school. Common Core aligned curricula differ from others in that they shift from rote memorization onto higher order thinking skills, knowledge application in real world situations and problem solving that are essential for college and career readiness.

Aimed at fortifying the Islamic foundation, MEA students receive daily instruction in *Tajweed*, *Surah* memorization and Islamic Studies in tandem with the rigorous secular education. Students learn about the Islamic teachings through Quranic and prophetic stories, *Duas*, *Hadith*, *Fiqh*, Islamic history and Islamic etiquettes. At MEA, teachers don't just impart knowledge of Islam to students, but strive to instill in them love for Quran and Sunnah, both through theory and practice! Islamic values and practices are embedded throughout a typical school day at MEA, which is clearly reflected in everything we do!

Lastly, we believe that our partnership with parents is an integral part of our success. To foster a collaborative culture, MEA offers various volunteering opportunities to parents throughout the school year. This is a great way for parents to get involved and contribute to the school's success!

We look forward to working with you and to a great year ahead! We also hope that your child thrives at MEA both academically and spiritually!

Jazakallahukhairan!