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| **Islamic Studies Curriculum**Toddler: 18-36 months(building foundations) |
| **Topic** | **Knowledge and Skills** | **Resources** |
| Aqeedah | * Where is Allah? (Arabic: Q: Ayn Allah?  A: Huwa fee samaa)
* Who is your Lord?(Arabic: Q: Man rabbuk?  A: Allahu rabbee)
* Who made you? (Arabic: Q: Man khalaqak  A: khalaqanee Allah)
* Talk with child about the things that Allah has made.  (i.e, What a pretty tree that Allah made)
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| Adhkar/Sayings | * When Waking Up
* When going to bed
* Before eating
* After eating
* When sneezing
* Greeting
* Before entering the restroom (for now this can be said before changing diapers - just to build the habit)
* After leaving the restroom (again, for now after changing diapers)
* Saying ‘Bismillah’ when beginning something
* Saying ‘Insha’Allah’ when intending to do something
* Saying ‘Masha’Allah’ when seeing something that pleases you
* Saying Please, Thank you, Jazakhallahu Khairan, Shukran
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| Qur’an | * Listen the Qur’an together daily
* Let children sit by you while you read/recite Qur’an, and encourage them to repeat after you
* Repeatedly recite Fatiha, the last 3 surahs, ayatul Qursi
* Work on memorizing Surah Fatiha, Ikhlas, Falaq, and Naas
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| Adaab/Akhlaq (Etiquette/Manners/Morals) | * Eating and drinking with the right hand
* Teach them shyness by making sure they are covered and not naked during diaper changes/using the restroom *longer than necessary*
* Praise them frequently for sharing and other good deeds and tell them Allah likes when they \_\_\_.
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| History/Seerah | * Read stories of Prophets and Companions
* Read short ahadith that are like stories
* Read stories from the Qur’an
 | * <http://talibiddeenjr.wordpress.com/2006/05/12/stories-from-the-quraan/>
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| Ibaadah | * Let children see you pray and pray near you if interested (fortunately kids often do this automatically, Masha’Allah)
* Teach the etiquettes of not walking in front of those who are praying
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