

AL ILM WEEKEND SCHOOL



1st Semester Final Study Guide Islamic Studies – Grade 9

- 1. Reflecting on your experiences growing up Muslim in America, please answer one of the following questions:
 - a. What do you fear most growing up Muslim in America and why?
 - b. Is Islam compatible with American values and democracy? Please explain.
 - c. Do you feel a burden or pressure to represent Islam in your school or social circles? In either case, why?
 - d. Have you ever felt pressured to compromise any Islamic values to fit in or be accepted as American? Please explain.
 - e. Has someone approached you with a question, misinformation, or misrepresentation of Islam? If so, how did you respond and how would you approach this differently in the future?
- 2. Adab refers to prescribed Islamic etiquette: "refinement, good manners, courtesy, respect, morals, decorum, decency, humaneness." Islam holds a very important esteem for teachers. Please briefly describe the Adab of students and teachers in Islam, using examples from the Quran and Hadith, and how we all can strive to do better in this regard.

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