



# QUARTERLY UPDATE




Thank you, sponsors & donors!

ON THE ARBAEEN  
WALK, DAR AL ZAHRA  
TEAM COUNTED STEPS  
ON YOUR BEHALF  
TO KARBALA.


## DAZ GRADUATE STUDENTS JOIN UNIVERSITY

Thank you, dear **DONORS & SPONSORS**, for supporting DAZ to uplift the lives of the orphans in the holy city of Imam Ali (a.s). For the past three years since 2019, Dar al Zahra students, who have completed Preparatory 6 (Grade 12) and graduated have joined universities around Iraq, studying subjects ranging from engineering to nursing, with the help of DAZ scholarships. The grants provided to the students are up to Iraqi Dinars 10 Million.

DAZ vision is "to create a loving, secure and modern environment to deliver an education that will help our children unlock their potential and develop into the next generation of leaders in our Spiritual Capital" and we believe in the importance of investing in the lives and dreams of orphans until they have completed their university education.




Muhaimin Ali Husain joined Dar al Zahra from Primary 1 and completed Preparatory 6 in 2019 with 94 %. He is in his third year majoring in dentistry, at the University of Kufa. We wish him every success in all future academic endeavors.



Zainab Ahmed Shakir joined Dar al Zahra from Primary 3 and completed Preparatory 6 in 2019. She joined the University of Nasriyyah for a two years nursing course. Zainab graduated as a nurse this year, 2021. We congratulate her on the nursing graduation and wish her all the best.




Mustafa Hussein Ayham, also a 2019 graduate, joined the University of Babel. He is in his third year, majoring in engineering. We wish him every success in all future academic endeavors.




Rasmiyah Yahya Hadi Abbas completed Preparatory 6 in 2020 with 93 %. she is in her first year majoring in dentistry, at the University of Al Kanooz. We wish her every success in all future academic endeavors.

## Teachers Workshop 2021

### Training, Growth & Development

The new school year began with two weeks of teachers training in August 2021. The workshop was prepared to equip the teachers with the knowledge, skills, and mindset required while dealing with the students to motivate them for the best possible outcomes. The workshop was also designed to develop the teachers' skills and build on their educational technology knowledge.

The topics covered in the teachers' workshop were:

- Developing Thinking Skills,
- Effective teaching Skills,
- Preparing an effective Examination Paper,
- Classroom management,
- Creative thinking,
- Lesson Planning,
- Enhancing communication skills, and
- Emotional intelligence and its impact on developing the students' skills.



## Back to school Preparations

With the grace of Allah (swt), after 18 months of e-learning, Dar al Zahra is back to school face-to-face. The team once again is preparing to welcome students for the exciting new year of 2021-2022. It is a true privilege to have the opportunity to educate and improve orphans' lives in Najaf and we want to thank all our sponsors and donors for their continued support in assisting us to educate the orphans of Najaf, Iraq. The school shall reopen for the new Academic year after Arbaeen, Allah (swt) willing.

Major maintenance work was completed during the summer holidays including the building of concrete fence wall, installation of paving blocks at the boys entrance, and repainting of the classrooms. Stationery, school bags, uniforms, and shoes for the students have been arranged and textbooks ordered for printing at the press.

اعظمَ اللهُ اجورنَا و اجوركم بمصابنا بِالْحُسَيْنِ عَلَيْهِ السَّلَامُ

**"May Allah make our reward and your reward great, for our grief for Husayn, peace be upon him"**

During the mourning months of Muharram and Safar, our students converted their homes into hussainiyas and commemorated the dignified martyrdom of Imam Hussain (a.s) and his companions with the family.

Students of Dar al Zahra served the Zawaars of Imam during Arbaeen, recited poems/latmiya and expressed their love by making drawings portraying the tragedy of Karbala.

The orphaned children of Dar al Zahra commemorate the martyrdom anniversary of Bibi Sakina bint-al-Hussain (sa) at the school.





**"WE FORGET OUR PAIN FOR THE CHILDREN OF SAYYEDA ZAHRA" - ORPHANS OF IRAQ**

