

## Why NMS?

There are a number of possible issues that affect New Muslims, such as:

- Assuming a new religious identity.
- Feeling guilty amongst family and relatives and being afraid of being rejected.
- Misconceptions and stereotypes about Islam and Muslims.
- The changing attitude of people amongst them.
- Feeling lost regarding where to go to effectively live their faith.
- In some mosques, they find that cultural identity is stronger than religious standards and so they feel hard to be integrated.
- Also, some new converts are not well aware of the different movements and/or do not have an entire understanding of the principles of Islam.
- Their story with Islam starts and ends at the same time, as they don't find the necessary support at the very beginning of their journey.

These are just some of the reasons of why we, here at the Apex Mosque, made it one of our priorities to give New Muslims the attention needed for them to grow and appreciate their new faith.

## What New Muslims Support is All About?

New Muslims Support (NMS) is a program tailored to the needs of those Muslims who recently embraced Islam. We will journey with our Imam through the basics of the faith (i.e. pillars of Islam and Iman, misconceptions about Islam and Muslims, How to be involved with the community? etc.).

NMS consists of two courses: ISLAM 101 (offered in the Fall) and ISLAM 102 (offered in the Spring)

For registration and fees, please check the other side of the brochure.

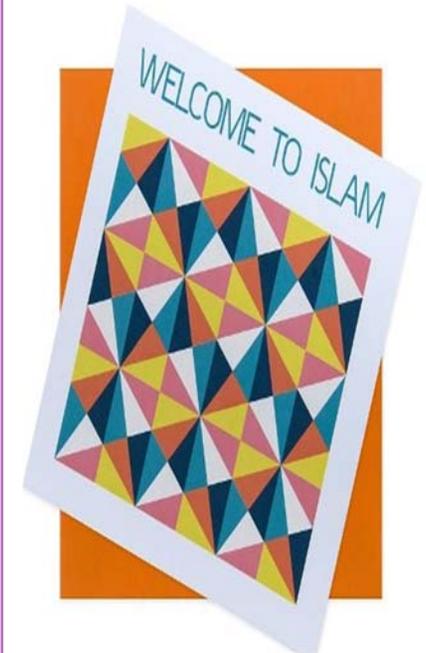


### **NMS PROGRAM**

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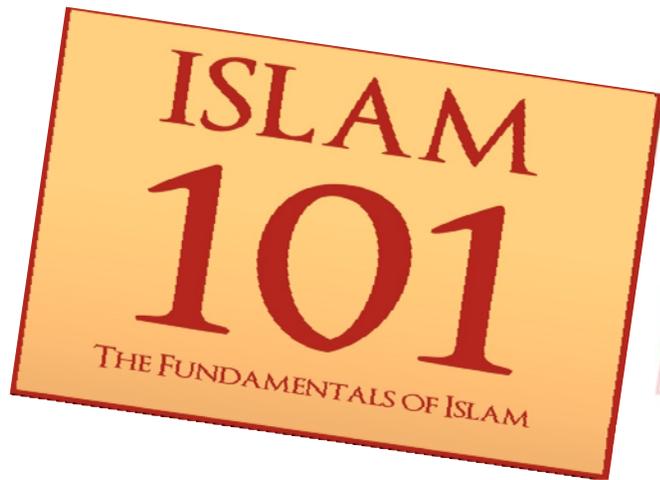
## New Muslim Support



## Join NMS Program Now



*"And We sent you for no other purpose but to be a MERCY to all Mankind"*



# Empowering New Muslims

ISLAM 101 is offered every Fall, starting the first week of September and ending by the middle of December, and is aimed to help New Muslims to learn about the basics of Islam (the pillars of Islam and Believe) in a practical way. Registration for ISLAM 101 starts on May and ends by July 31 of every year.

ISLAM 102 IS offered every Spring, starting the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of January until the middle of May, and is aimed to help participants through their journey to Allah, by providing them the necessary tools to meet the individual and collective challenges facing them. Registration for ISLAM 102 starts on October 1<sup>st</sup> through November 30.

# NEW MUSLIMS

## Registration Form

Name: -----

Date of Birth: -----

Gender: Male / Female

Marital Status: -----

Profession: -----

Level of Education: -----

Phone: -----

Email: -----

When Reverted to Islam? -----

Areas of Interest (what do you need to learn about Islam?): -----

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### \* FEES & TUITION:

This course is offered for free, however a non-refundable registration fee of \$100 applies for every application.