**Ghazali Chapter 12**

**Introduction:**

Reception: Asalamalaikum song and pass the smile along

Year 1-2: What do you know about the Prophet (saw)? Quick sharing of points.

Years 3-6: Write down as many hadiths as you can think of and share your favourite one with the person next to you.

**Read chapter 12:** you can discuss the idea of the chain of narrators and a ‘sahih’ hadith. Discuss why Allah’s laws are better than man-made laws (eg they don’t change with time or technological advancement). The hadith are a COMPLETE set of guidelines in conjunction with the Quran.

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| Older students may be interested to know about the study of the Shamā il as a science that deals with: |
| *“the distinguishing exalted spiritual states and the noble comportment of the Prophet; his clothing and his sustenance, his sleep and his waking states, and other related topics, it is the science of the “beautiful qualities” (Shamā il).”* |
| The companies noted the Prophet (saw)’s spiritual demeanour and qualities but also his physical appearance and mannerisms—including his hairdressing, his sitting posture, his sandals and turban, his armour, his favourite condiments, and his jests and laughter. |

**Activity**: create a hadith tree. Reception children are given one hadith which they have to cut out and stick on a foam leaf shape. They will then attach this leaf to a branch with some string.

Year 1 and 2s have two hadiths to cut out, decorate and stick on leaf shapes. They too will attach their leaves to the branch.

Years 3-6 have a sheet of hadiths. They will draw their own tree shape on A3and choose hadiths to copy on there in the shape of leaves. Students can keep the sheet of hadiths to display on their walls at home. They can decorate these as they wish using felt tips and anything else we can find!

All students can complete the **workbook** when they have finished as it revises the topic and can be completed quite quickly.

**Resources needed**: foam leaf shapes, string, branch in a pot, gold spray, hole punch, scissors, A3 sugar paper, felt tips, embellishments. Ustadah Rahat to provide foam leaf shapes and branch in pot. I will bring gold spray, hole punch and string. Rest should be at the Hub.

**Short Hadiths with Beautiful Messages**

* The Prophet said, “None of you will have faith till he wishes for his (Muslim) brother what he likes for himself.” Sahih Bukhari
* The Prophet said, “The prayer in congregation is twenty-five times superior to the prayer offered by person alone.” Sahih Bukhari
* The Apostle of Allah observed: The best of’ the deeds or deed is the (observance of) prayer at its proper time and kindness to the parents. Sahih Muslim
* The Messenger of Allah (pbuh) loved to start from the right-hand side for performing ablution, for combing (the hair) and wearing the shoes. Sahih Muslim
* The supplication made between the adhan and the iqamah is not rejected. Sunan Abu Dawood
* Your mouths are the paths of the Quran, so perfume them with the tooth stick. Sunan Ibn Majah
* The Messenger of Allah (saw) said: “Beautify the Quran with your voices.” Sunan Ibn Majah
* The Messenger of Allah (saw) said: “Whoever achieves at something, let him stick with It.” Sunan Ibn Majah
* Those who are nearest to God are they who are first to give a salutation (Salaam). (Tirmidhi)
* Cleanliness is a part of the Faith. (Tirmizi)
* Actions depend on their intention. (Bukhari)
* The one who recites the Quran and the one who listens to it have an equal share in the reward. (Bukhari)
* The best of you is the one who learned and taught the Quran. (Bukhari)
* The strong man is not the good wrestler; the strong man is only the one who controls himself when he is angry. (Bukhari)
* God will not show mercy to him who does not show mercy to others. (Bukhari).
* If you spend (to help others), O son of Adam! I (God) shall spend on you. (Bukhari)
* The man who is most hateful to God is the one who quarrels and disputes most. (Bukhari)

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