



“In the name of Allah,
the Compassionate, the Merciful”

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How to Use These Books

The Mini Tafseer Book Series is designed to teach children the Tafseer (exegesis) of all the suwaar (chapters) in the 30th Part of the Qur'aan. Each book in this 38 book series covers a different surah. The books feature:

- Special facts about the surah
- Arabic text of the surah
- English transliteration (to assist non-Arabic speakers)
- English translation
- Simplified Tafseer
- Coloring pages
- Highlighted Arabic vocabulary (linked to Ad-Duha Qur'aan lessons)
- One sentence summary of what the surah is about
- Review section
- Notes on the text (additional facts and information)

Teaching Tips:

If your younger child has trouble going through the whole book in one sitting, or does not retain all of the information taught, then just focus on the Tafseer pages first (i.e. those that explain the verses of the surah) and save the additional information contained in the Quick Facts, What's Special, Asbaab An-Nuzool, and Vocabulary sections* for later when your child has mastered the Tafseer.

For older or advanced students who need more of a challenge, you can take time to go through all sections and discuss the lesson notes for that section (located at the end of the text). This will make lessons more challenging and provide a deeper understanding of the Tafseer, and Allah knows best.

**Some books may not contain all of these sections.*

Mini Tafseer Book Series

Suratuz-Zalzalah

Quick Facts about Suratuz-Zalzalah

Suratuz-Zalzalah was revealed in
Makkah.

This surah gets its name from the first ayah in which the words **Zoolzeelah**, and **Zilzal** occur. Both words have the same root, which means to shake violently (i.e. earthquake).

Suratuz-Zalzalah is also sometimes called "Suratuz-Zilzaal".

So what is Suratuz-Zalzalah all about?

Suratuz-Zalzalah is about the things that will happen on Yowmul-Qiyaamah, like the **terrible shaking of the Earth**, and the **finiest good and bad deeds being counted**.

SPECIAL!

SPECIAL!

SPECIAL!

Now let's learn what makes
Suratuz-Zalzalah so...

SPECIAL!
SPECIAL!

SPECIAL!

SPECIAL!

Suratuz-Zalzalah is so special because¹...

It is one of **9 suwaar** (chapters) in the Qur'aan named after **Yowmul-Qiyaamah**, or something that will happen on Yowmul-Qiyaamah. These suwaar are...

1. Waaqi'ah (The Event)
2. Haaqqah (The Reality)
3. Qiyaamah (The Rising of the Dead)
4. Takweer (The Overthrowing)
5. Infitaar (The Cleaving)
6. Inshiqaaq (The Sundering)
7. Gaashiyah (The Overwhelming Event)
- 8. Zalzalah (The Earthquake)**
9. Qaari'ah (The Calamity)

Now that we have learned what is so special about Suratul-Zalzalah, let's get ready to learn what Suratul-Zalzalah is all about!

We will start by learning **6 new words** from the Qur'aan.

The more words you know from the Qur'aan, the better you will understand each surah that you learn insha-Allah.

Understanding the Qur'aan is what Allah wants us to do!

So let's get started
right now!

6 NEW WORDS!

Vocabulary List

Keep a look out for the following vocabulary words while you read! These words will help you remember the meaning of Suratuz-Zalzalah, insha-Allah!

Earthquake/Shaken زُلْزِلَتْ / زَلَزَاهَا

The Earth الْأَرْضُ

Says قَالَ

Atom's weight
(i.e. the smallest particle
of weight) ذَرَّةٌ

Good خَيْرًا

Evil/Bad شَرًّا

**Now that we are ready,
we need to start the right way...**

There are **two things** we should say before we start reading a surah from the Qur'aan, can you remember what they are?



#1 We say the Isti'aadhah²...

I seek refuge with Allah from the cursed Shaytaan.

(‘A-‘oo-thoo-bil-laa-he-me-nash-shay-taa-nir-ra-jeem)

أَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ مِنْ

الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ

We start reading Qur'aan by asking
Allah to protect us from Shaytaan
and...