ISLAMIC LEADERSHIP & INTEGRATED ARABIC STUDIES (ILIAS)

Introduction

This course is o ered as an elective in Year 9 and is an introductory course into the nationally recognised qualication 22628VIC Diploma of Islamic Leadership that can be studied throughout Years 10-12. Students will have 8 periods a week to study the ILIAS course and will be given a special uniform to wear. In addition to the preparation for the Diploma of Islamic Leadership, students completing the ILIAS course will also be completing and obtaining the Nationally Accredited 10949NAT Certicate II in Applied Language (Arabic). The ILIAS course in Year 9 will enable students to build a solid foundation in Islamic leadership practices as well as develop their skills in the Arabic language required for the 22628VIC Diploma Level course.

Students who choose ILIAS will be eligible to:

- Apply for the Umrah Trip Scholarship
- Apply for the Diploma of Islamic Leadership in Year 10

The Diploma of Islamic Leadership intends to provide graduates with the skills and knowledge required to perform in the role of an Imam, religious instructor, and/or Muslim chaplain to serve the Australian Muslim Community in metropolitan and regional areas of varying sizes. At course completion, graduates should acquire the skills and knowledge to:

- Guide congregations in religious matters
- Lead religious observances
- Reconcile religious beliefs and practices within modern Australian society.
- Run community development programs
- Teach Islamic texts and sources

Course Objectives:

The course aims at achieving the following objectives:

- 1. Educate the students about foundational and signic cant areas in Islamic leadership and Arabic language.
- 2. Help the students attain solid knowledge and skills in applying Islamic leadership and Arabic in the Muslim community in Australia and beyond.
- 3. Provide a platform and motivation for the students to further their studies in the Diploma of Islamic Leadership.

Grading System

- Student work and activities will be assessed based on level 9 of the Victorian Curriculum.
- Students will be required to undertake one summative assessment each semester.
- Passing grades start at 50/100.

Learning Objectives:

Graduates from this course will be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate foundational knowledge in Islamic leadership and Arabic language.
- 2. Demonstrate pro ciency in reciting and understanding the Quran.
- 3. Develop basic Arabic skills on issues relating to modern life.
- 4.

