



August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2020

## Dear Parents,

Assalamu Alaikum wa Rahmatu Allahi wa Barakatuh

It is my pleasure to welcome you and your children to the ICCI Academy. My name is Sahar Abutaleb. This is my 13<sup>th</sup> year teaching at the ICCI Academy. I have extensive teaching experience in the fields of Arabic, Quran, and Islamic Studies. I began as a teacher in Al- Khaleel School in Jordan where I finished my educational degree. I took special courses in Tajweed and attended special seminars. I also attended Northeastern Illinois University for special courses in education. I taught at Muslim Community Center (MCC), Darul Uloom, Saturday school, ICC Islamic Center, ICC in Northbrook, Illinois, Sunday School in the ICCI, Substitute teacher in MEC, principal of summer school in the ICCI, and I was the vice principal of Sunday school for many years.

I will be teaching Islamic Studies and Quran for grades (Kg-8<sup>th</sup>) Insha'Allah. My goal is to provide an Islamic Education and teach Islamic concepts in the light of the Holy Quran and Sunnah of our prophet (PBUH), to instill Islamic behavior and manners in our children, and to help them become proud, practicing Muslims. Inshallah, it will be an honor working with you; and together we will make this year a success. If you have any comments, concerns, or you would like to visit our classroom; feel free to email me at [abutalebsahar@gmail.com](mailto:abutalebsahar@gmail.com)

May Allah bless and reward all of us.

Islamic Studies/Quran Teacher, **Sahar Abutaleb**