

## TREASURE HUNT CLUES

### WELCOME CARD

*Assalamu alaykum w w*

Wondering what you've been given in your hands?  
Well it's the blessed month of the Hajj  
A pilgrimage to the blessed lands.

But whilst you are stuck at home,  
Remember Hajj is also a journey of the heart.  
So are you ready to go on a Hajj treasure hunt,  
In the name of God let us start.

For your very first clue where else to look,  
Than the ultimate Proof and clear Guide.  
It is a Light, a Cure and a Protection,  
To always have in your heart and by your side.

### CLUE 1

When Ibraheem (a) built the Ka'bah with his son,  
He did wonder 'God, this is the desert, who will come?'  
God commanded 'The call to Hajj, you should say'  
They will come on \_\_\_\_\_, lean camel and from every highway.

**CLUE 2**

Gone are the days of travelling on foot and camels,  
As most of us travel by aeroplane.

Where we need a ticket, visa and a \_\_\_\_\_,  
And need not worry about wet luggage in the rain.

**CLUE 3**

The Hajji must enter in a state of ihram,  
They can't do certain things, like hunt and fight.

Women can dress in their ordinary clothing,  
But men wear two large sheets which are usually \_\_\_\_\_.

**CLUE 4**

Once the Hajjis arrive into Makkah,  
They make way to the house Ibraheem (a) did found.

The first rite they will perform is the tawaf,  
7 times anti-clockwise, they go \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

**CLUE 5**

Soon after is Sae'e in honour of our great Mother Haajar (a),  
To find water she was so desperate and keen.

So we walk 7 times between Safaa and Marwaa,  
Running between the lights that are \_\_\_\_\_.

**CLUE 6**

The Hajjis make du'a and drink plenty of Zamzam,  
Finishing their rites, soon ready for a nap.  
Sadly we don't have limitless Zamzam here,  
But we are blessed with flowing water at the turn of a \_\_\_\_\_.

**CLUE 7**

More pilgrims arrive and all prepare for the Hajj,  
They will travel to Mina, from Makkah it is 5km far.  
Staying in tents and leaving the world behind,  
Many will travel on buses, on foot and some by \_\_\_\_\_.

**CLUE 8**

On the 9<sup>th</sup> they will cry and make \_\_\_\_\_ to their Lord  
'Arafah is Hajj' is what our Beloved (s) did say.  
A reminder of the final gathering of Qiyaamah,  
When we will be rewarded if we followed his blessed way.

**CLUE 9**

The next morning the world wakes up to the day of Eid  
The Hajjis who slept under the stars will depart,  
From Muzdalifah they make their way back to Mina.  
With their little \_\_\_\_\_ bag ready to pelt the big jamaraat.

### **CLUE 10**

Back in Mina they await their sacrificial animal being slaughtered,  
And for the remaining rites they must prepare.  
The Tawaf of Hajj, Sae'e, more pelting, Tawaaf Wida,  
And of course shaving or \_\_\_\_\_ of the hair.

### **CONCLUDING CARD**

When all the rites of the Hajj are complete,  
It's time for home, heart heavy and full of pity.  
But the lucky ones may still have one stop left,  
A visit to our Blessed Prophet's illuminated city.

But the journey will end sooner or later,  
And all that matters is what did you gain?  
This treasure hunt too has almost ended,  
Except you have a little prize to attain.  
Hidden where you can dream of the blessed lands,  
Until God takes you to His Haramayn.