

SESSION – 2 SURAH 1: AL-FATIHAH

I. SPOKEN ARABIC: Use the three-step-procedure (3SP), as explained in Session 1.

وَبَرَكَاتِهِ	اللَّهِ	وَرَحْمَةً	السَّلَامَ	وَعَلَيْكُمْ
and His blessings	of Allah	and mercy	peace	And on you

II. GRAMMAR: Don't forget to practice these using TPI. For details on TPI, see page xvii.

Detached/Personal Pronouns (Masculine).

Pronouns (with examples)	No.	Person
He is a Muslim. هُوَ مُسْلِمٌ	sr.	3 rd
They are Muslims. هُمْ مُسْلِمُونَ	pl.	
You are a Muslim. أَنْتَ مُسْلِمٌ	sr.	2 nd
You are Muslims. أَنْتُمْ مُسْلِمُونَ	pl.	
I am a Muslim. أَنَا مُسْلِمٌ	sr.	1 st
We are Muslims. نَحْنُ مُسْلِمُونَ	dl., pl.	

III. THE MAIN LESSON: Use the three-step-procedure (3SP). Learn the meanings of new words and remember the context for ease of memorization / recall. Ponder over the verses & take lessons.

5. **You** alone we worship and **You** alone we ask for help.

6. Guide us to the straight path.

7. The path of those **You** have bestowed favors on them; not of those who earned (**Your**) wrath on themselves nor of those who go astray.

أَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ				
إِيَّاكَ	نَعْبُدُ	وَإِيَّاكَ	نَسْتَعِينُ (٥)	اهْدِنَا
You alone	we worship	and You alone	we ask for help.	Guide us
الصِّرَاطَ الْمُسْتَقِيمَ (٦)	صِرَاطَ الَّذِينَ	أَنْعَمْتَ	عَلَيْهِمْ	
(to) the path,	(The) path	(of) those	You (have) bestowed favors	on them;
غَيْرِ	الْمَغْضُوبِ	عَلَيْهِمْ	وَالَّذِينَ	الضَّالِّينَ (٧)
not	(of) those who earned (Your) wrath	on them	[and] nor of	those who go astray.

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I. SPOKEN ARABIC: Translate the following:

وَعَلَيْكُمْ	السَّلَامُ	وَرَحْمَةً	اللَّهِ	وَبَرَكَاتِهِ

II. GRAMMAR: Translate the following to Arabic:

<i>Detached/Personal Pronouns (Masculine).</i> (with examples)	No.	Person
He is a Muslim.	sr.	3 rd
They are Muslims.	pl.	
You are a Muslim.	sr.	2 nd
You are Muslims.	pl.	
I am a Muslim.	sr.	1 st
We are Muslims.	dl., pl.	

III. THE MAIN LESSON: Translate the following:

أَعُوذُ بِاللَّهِ مِنَ الشَّيْطَانِ الرَّجِيمِ				
اهْدِنَا	نَسْتَعِينُ (٥)	وَإِيَّاكَ	نَعْبُدُ	إِيَّاكَ
عَلَيْهِمْ	أَنْعَمْتَ	الَّذِينَ	صِرَاطَ	الْمُسْتَقِيمِ (٦)
الضَّالِّينَ (٧)	وَلَا	عَلَيْهِمْ	الْمَغْضُوبِ	غَيْرِ

Lesson-2: To remember of the meanings, note down the following clues and add more, if you have any.

Arabic	Meanings	Root Letters	Earlier occurrence / Mother-tongue or false link / Grammatical form/ ...	Arabic	Meanings	Root Letters	Earlier occurrence / Mother-tongue or false link / Grammatical form/ ...
وَبَرَكَاتُهُ	and His blessings	ب ر ك	sg. بَرَكَةٌ: blessing; pl. بَرَكَاتٌ: blessings;	مُسْتَقِيمٌ	straight	ق و م	الصراط المستقيم the straight path. A shortest path between 2 points.
مُسْلِمٌ	a Muslim	س ل م	ap. the one who submits, accepts Islam, submission to Allah	الَّذِينَ	pl. those who	-	sg. الذي: the one who
إِيَّاكَ	You Alone	-	You alone (ك is for you)	أَنْعَمْتَ	You have bestowed favors	ن ع م	إِنْعَامٌ: to bestow favor, blessing
نَعْبُدُ	we worship	ع ب د	عبادة: worship; عابِدٌ: the one who worships; مُعْبُودٌ: the one who is worshipped	عَلَيْهِمْ	on them	-	على + هُمْ
نَسْتَعِينُ	we ask for help	ع و ن	We ask for help. Note نَسْتَعِينُ، نَعْبُدُ، we... we...	مَغْضُوبٌ	those who earned wrath	غ ض ب	pp. مَغْضُوبٌ: the one who received or earned wrath
اهْدِنَا	guide us to	ه د ي	هُدَايَةٌ: guidance	الضَّالِّينَ	those who go astray	ض ل ل	ضَلَّ: he went astray; ضَالٌّ: the one who goes astray; ضَالِّونَ، ضَالِّينَ: those who go astray
صِرَاطٌ	path, way	-	صراط is repeated twice in the Surah (path...path...) – a clue				