ISLAMIC SERVICES FOUNDATION [ISF] ENDOWMENT [WAQF]





OUR VISION

Empowered Muslim Community in the United States through excellence in Education.

OUR MISSION

Aligning resources so each Muslim child in the United States has access to excellent education in an Islamic environment and flourishes to become a force for positive societal change.

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قال تعالى ﴿ لَن تَنَالُواْ ٱلْبِرَّ حَتَّى تُنفِقُواْ مِمَّا تُحِبُّونَ وَمَا تُنفِقُواْ مِن شَىْءٍ فَإِنَّ ٱللَّهَ بِهِ عَلِيمُ ﴾ [سورة آل عمران ؟]

"You will never achieve righteousness until you donate some of what you cherish. And whatever you give is certainly well known to Allah." [Ali'Imran]

OUR STORY ISLAMIC SERVICES FOUNDATION

BRIGHTER HORIZONS ACADEMY

OUR STORY



ISF was established in 1989 with the vision to create a full-time school that delivers exceptional academic instruction within an Islamic setting, fostering both individual achievement and community progress.

Brighter Horizons Academy [**BHA**] has flourished into one of the largest comprehensive Islamic schools in the Southern United States. The academy aims to deliver high quality education rooted in Islamic values, and to produce students who are proud Muslim Americans with a strong ethical foundation.

BHA graduates continue to attend top universities across the country, with many advancing to successful careers as professionals who give back to both the community and society at large.

BHA by The Numbers

1989	BHA was founded in a small house
	in Richardson, TX
14 Acres	60+ classrooms, labs, mussalah,
	gym and soccer fields
~1200	PK-12 students enrolled in 2024
61	graduating class of 2024
4	National Merit Commended
	Scholars among class of 2024
\$3.2	in scholarships received by class
million	of 2024
\$1 million	in Financial Aid since 2020
824	total graduates since 2002







BHA was founded in 1989 by Islamic Services Foundation. The first building was a 2,000 sq ft residential property purchased in 1990, located on Polk Street, Richardson, Texas. The current campus property was purchased in 1993, and an adjacent office building was acquired in 2003. Today, **BHA** campus consists of several buildings for Middle and High School, Elementary School and Preschool totaling nearly 135,000 sq ft.

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WHY

WHY ISF ENDOWMENT?

With the blessings of Allah [SWT], BHA has accomplished much progress over the last few decades. However, much work remains, and the road ahead is still long and demanding. Given the current challenging political climate facing our community, we are called upon to do more and take our schools to the next level of growth. The new mission must be to inspire the next generation of Muslims to become influential journalists, political leaders, captains of industry and heads of commerce. Future generations of Muslims must be prepared to better understand and navigate the power dynamics of the modern world and can fully engage in the political process, in order to impact the national dialogue, and influence public opinion, for the betterment of the Muslim community, to raise our profile, assert our rights, and affirm our moral code of social justice, fairness, and equity on the national stage, without compromising our beliefs.

For this to be achieved, **BHA** must evolve into a center of excellence, modeled after the nation's top elite private programs. It should become an incubator for leadership and a source of inspiration for positive change, driven by and deeply rooted in our Islamic values and the finest Tarbiyah, Arabic, Qur'an and Islamic Studies [TAQI] program in the nation.

Our vision will make **BHA** education available across the DFW metroplex and beyond by establishing more schools like **BHA**, ensuring that future generations of our children and grandchildren have access, reap the benefits, and contribute to the community, regardless of financial circumstances.

We believe in a brighter future, where **BHA**'s mission is not limited by financial constraints. Islamic schools have often faced the challenge of staying financially secure while remaining accessible to all, and have relied on donations and annual fundraising, which is stressful and distracting. **BHA**'s vision transcends these limitations. The **ISF** Endowment will provide a dependable and stable financial model, freeing us from the worries of fluctuating donations, allowing **BHA** to focus on what truly matters - our students and their development.

The **Waqf** is much more than just a financial initiative. It is a commitment to the long-term success of our community, the preservation of our Islamic values, and the empowerment of our youth to become future leaders. This step is crucial in building a brighter, stronger, and more resilient Muslim community in the United States.

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OUR KEY GOALS

A Vision for the Future of BHA

The vision and strategy for **BHA** calls for:

- Best Tarbiyah, Arabic, Qur'an and Islamic Studies [TAQI] program in the nation in the next 3 years
- A center of excellence among the top 10% of private schools in the DFW area in the next 10 years
- Financial stability, while keeping the school accessible to the community
- Expanded facilities and campuses across DFW so more students have access to **BHA** education
- Lead in sports among private schools in DFW [in TAPPS]

With the goal of reaching \$20-30 million in the next 5 to 10 years, the **ISF** Endowment will secure the financial future of Islamic education and enable **BHA** to become a top-tier institution, competing with the best private schools in the nation, and expand its footprint across DFW and beyond in order to reach more students. It is an investment in the future of our children and grandchildren, to better prepare them for the challenges of the modern world and the responsibilities of their faith.

Accessibility for All Muslim Children

By building a strong financial foundation, we can offer more scholarships and financial aid to deserving Muslim students, ensuring that no Muslim child is denied access to quality Islamic education due to financial barriers.

Islamic Investments for Growth

Funds will be invested in Islamic funds that provide ongoing income to be reinvested into educational initiatives, allowing the community to continuously benefit from a growing and sustainable resource.

Sadaqah Jariyah [Ongoing Charity]

Every dollar invested in the endowment helps secure ongoing rewards by supporting the education of countless Muslim children for generations to come. This is a profound way to contribute to the community while earning lasting blessings.

ISFENDOWMENT [WAOF] FAO?

ISF ENDOWMENT FAQ?

What is ISF Endowment "Waqf"?

An endowment fund is a financial asset, in the form of a donation that is invested to generate income. The principal amount remains intact, while the earnings from the investment are used to fund organizational initiatives and objectives.

ISF Endowment [Waqf] is dedicated to creating financial stability and providing necessary funds to make **BHA** a center of leadership and educational excellence, build more **BHA** campuses across the DFW metroplex, and provide financial aid and scholarships to deserving Muslim students, for many generations to come.

Why is establishing ISF Endowment important?

We believe in a brighter future, where **BHA**'s mission is not limited by financial constraints. Islamic schools have often faced the challenge of staying financially secure while remaining accessible to all. **BHA**'s vision transcends these limitations. The **ISF** Endowment is a long-term commitment to a dependable and stable financial model, freeing us from the worries of fluctuating donations and fundraising pressures, allowing **BHA** to focus on what truly matters - our students and their development.

How will this endowment benefit the community?

By prioritizing education, Islamic knowledge, character building, and leadership, it empowers future Muslim generations to thrive in the United States. The community will benefit from high quality education that is affordable and is accessible at multiple campuses in DFW, and from financial aid and scholarships to more deserving Muslim students.

What is the goal of this endowment fund?

Our goal for the coming year is to raise \$3 million. Insha'Allah, this will help set us up on a strong path to grow the **ISF** Endowment to \$20 to \$30 million in the next 5 to 10 years and build a strong financial foundation to support the longterm vision of high-quality education for many generations of Muslim students in the United States.

ISF ENDOWMENT FAQ?



Who manages the endowment fund?

The endowment fund is overseen by an elected board of directors and paid professional financial team. They will ensure responsible investments, within Islamic guidelines.

How is the money invested?

All investments will strictly adhere to Islamic principles.

Can I specify how my donation is used?

It is not possible to track individual donations. The endowment ensures that all contributions are allocated effectively to support the mission and objectives of the Waqf.

Is my donation tax-deductible?

Yes. The **ISF** Endowment is a 501[c][3] nonprofit organization, and every donation will receive a IRS receipt.

ISF ENDOWMENT FAQ?

How can I contribute to the endowment fund?

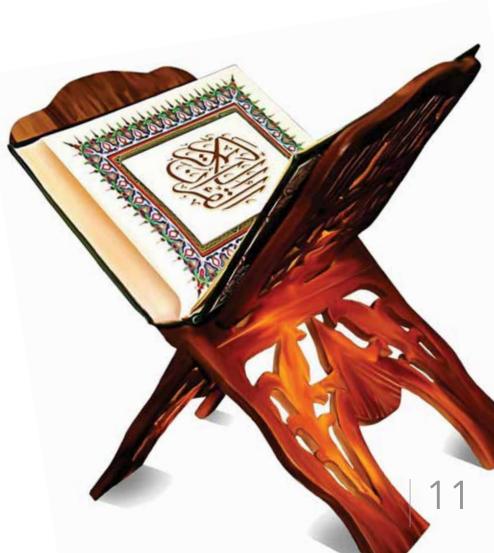
You can contribute through a one-time donation, pledges, and recurring contributions. You may even include the endowment in your will or estate planning.

How does the endowment differ from regular donations?

While regular donations are often used for immediate financial needs, such as addressing a budget deficit, or short-term projects, such as building a facility, an endowment is designed to provide long-term financial stability in perpetuity.

How can I learn more about the endowments fund's impact?

Please visit www.bhaprep.org for more information about **BHA**, annual reports, newsletters, and more info.



HELP US BUILD A BRIGHTER FUTURE!

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CALL TO ACTION

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By supporting the **ISF** Endowment [Waqf], you're making a lasting impact through Sadaqah Jariyah. Your contribution will empower Muslim children in the United States with access to high-quality Islamic education, shaping generations of leaders grounded in faith and values.

Here's how you can make a difference:

- Invest in the future of our youth by making
 BHA a top-tier academic institution and a center of excellence.
- Help us establish more schools like **BHA** across the DFW metroplex and beyond so more of our children and grandchildren have access and can benefit.
- Donate financial aid to Muslim students in need so they can benefit from **BHA** education.

Join us on this journey to excellence! Your contribution today will help create tomorrow's leaders. Let's reach our goal this year of \$3 million. This will set us up on a strong path to achieve \$20-30 million in 5 to 10 years, ensuring access to Islamic education for all.

DONATE NOW AND BE A PART

OF POSITIVE, LASTING CHANGE!

Ways To Give?

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