



# NASIMCO



2016

## Teacher Development Program Report

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# Our Goal



NASIMCO's Centre of Islamic Learning (CIL) aims to bridge the gap between schools and madrasah

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To expose teachers to a student-centred philosophy which promotes students to be active participants in the classroom. This in turn results in students being able to retain more information.

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To emphasize the practical application of Islam to a child's life in a way that is positive and age appropriate.

3

To provide opportunities for teachers to experience and practice different teaching strategies that can be used immediately in the classroom.

# Mandate



## Centre of Islamic Learning

Recognizing the need to promote Islamic learning through multiple channels, CIL's mandate is to deliver on NASIMCO Faith Empowerment Platform by facilitating Islamic Learning at all levels in the Community.

Its mission is to serve the North American Shia Community by promoting, encouraging, enabling and facilitating Islamic Learning through madaris empowerment, member optimization, interfaith facilitation, academic engagement and institutional development.

# Our Work

## 10th Teacher Skills and Tools Program



CIL, in association with Madrasah Centre of Excellence (MCE) held their 10<sup>th</sup> Teacher Skills and Tools Program in Vancouver Canada on January 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>.

Teachers were shown practical and current teaching methodology. Our two-day training sessions are always interactive and hands on.

The TST program is designed and facilitated by Sr. Salma Jaffer, Sr. Siddika Jessa, and Sr. Sophia Dewji. A special thank you goes to the program organizing team of Madrasah Az-Zahraa in Vancouver.

# ROPE

## Lesson Planning



The session includes a planning session that follows the **ROPE** model. Teachers were given time and support to plan an upcoming lesson that was relevant to their madrasah class.

The workshop included a session with participants creating a professional growth plan for themselves. This plan will support the teachers to move forward and implement their learning after the program.

# Participants



Representation from 3 madaris was present among the 29 participants.



# Testimonials

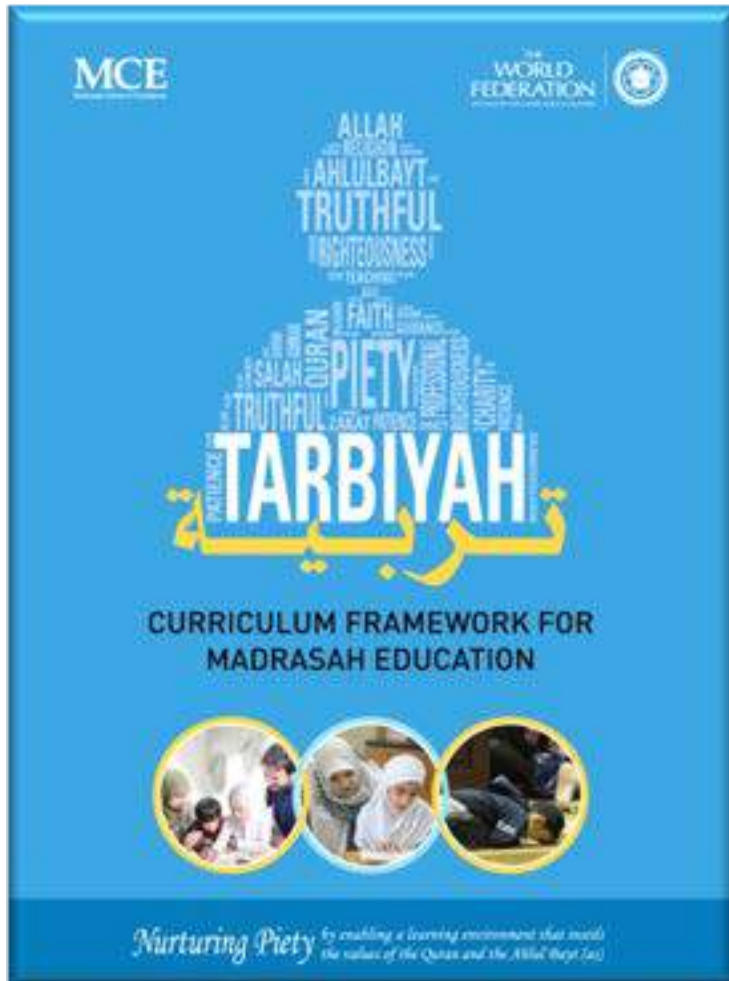
“Very well organized and facilitated. I loved the focus on skills and have a great set of tools to now use in my classroom.”

“Excellent workshop. Very well presented by the facilitators and great examples.”

“Absolutely amazing, love the manuals.”



# Tarbiyah Curriculum



CIL NASIMCO in partnership with MCE is pleased to introduce the Tarbiyah Curriculum. This new curriculum provides students with a meaningful and engaging experience that is presented in an integrated way.

If your madrasah wishes to implement this curriculum in your madrasah please register for a Madrasah Curriculum Training (MCT) Program.

This program will introduce your teachers to this new style of teaching as well as equip them with skills to make madrasah learning fun and engaging. Please register for a program by [clicking here](#).

## Get in touch with us

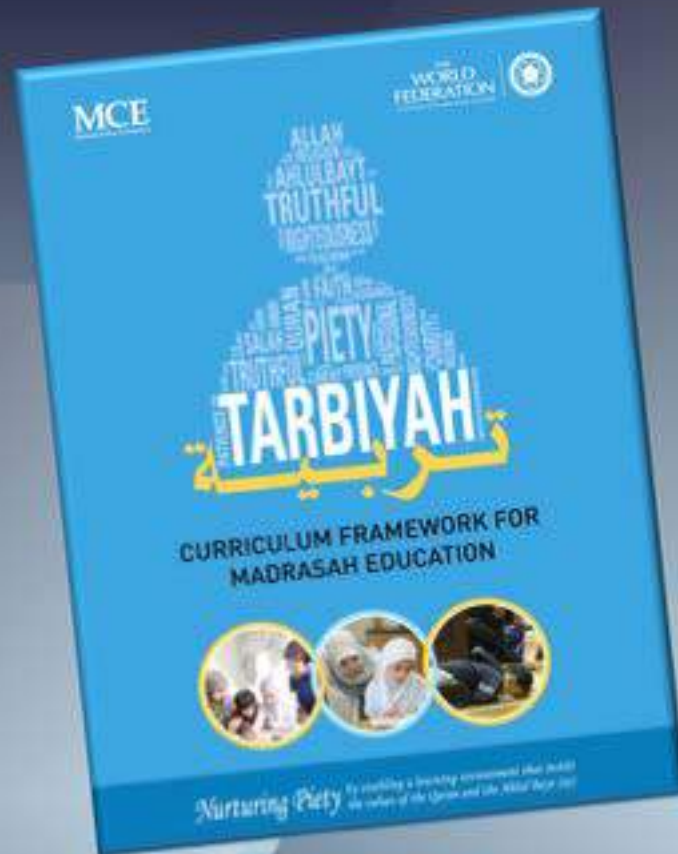
If your madrasah is interested in engaging your teachers in a teacher development program, please contact CIL NASIMCO



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# MADRASAH CURRICULUM TRAINING

## Understand and Experience the Tarbiyah Curriculum

It is an exciting time for madaris around the world. The Tarbiyah Curriculum is expected to be rolled out in September 2017. If you would like the training to be provided for your teachers, please follow this link <https://goo.gl/forms/lco6BhCSq3seYTxA2> and complete the form online. You will then be contacted by representatives at CIL NASIMCO to organize training for your madrasah.