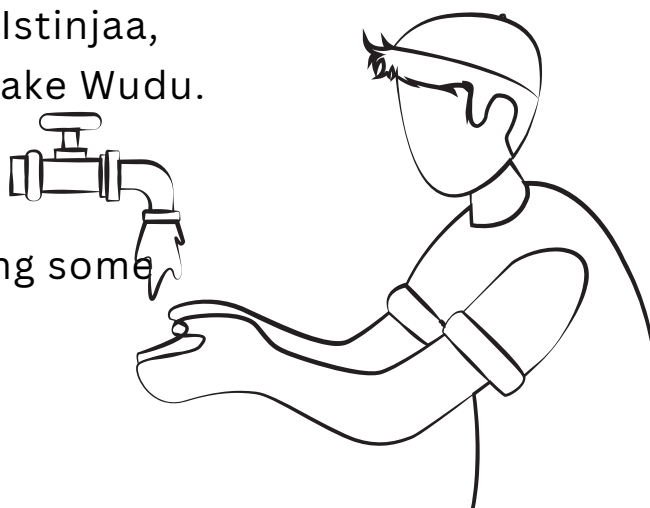


What is Wudu?

After you learned How to make Istinjaa, it's time now to learn how to make Wudu.

What is Wudu?

Wudu means: washing and wiping some body parts with pure water.



Why is wudu important?

Wudu is important because:

1-It cleans and purifies us from dirt. When you wash your hands, your face and your feet, this makes them cleaner and these are the parts that are the most used and the most uncovered of our bodies.

2- Prayers are not valid (count) without Wudu. If someone prayed without Wudu, his prayer did not count because Wudu is a requirement for the prayer to be valid. Prophet Muhmmad, (ﷺ) peace be upon him, said:

"No prayer is accepted without Wudu (purification)" [Muslim]

3- Wudu washes sins away from us. When you wash your hands, face and feet, the sins you did with your hands, eyes and feet will be washed away from you.

Wudu

The Messenger of Allah (ﷺ) said, "When a Muslim, washes his face (in Wudu'), every sin which he committed with his eyes, will be washed away from his face with water. When he washes his hands, every sin which is committed by his hands will be washed away from his hands with the water. When he washes his feet, every sin his feet committed will be washed away with the water; until he finally emerges cleansed of all his sins." [Muslim].

As our bodies get dirty and dusty, our souls get tired and burdened by sins as well. Wudu cleans both body from dirt and our soul from sins.

How to make Wudu:

1- Niyyah (Intention).

2- Say BismiAllah.

3- Wash your hands up to wrists.

4- Rinse your mouth three times

5 Sniff and blow your nose three times.

6- Wash your face (three times).

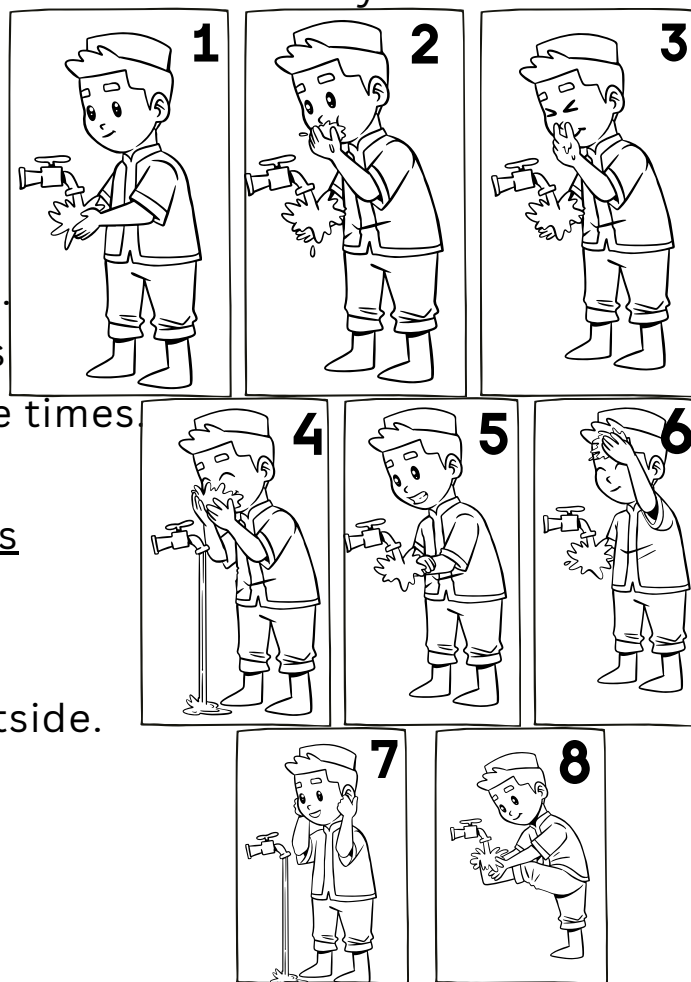
7- Wash your hands up to elbows (three times).

8- Wipe your head.

9- Wipe your ears inside and outside.

10- Wash your feet (3 times).

11- Say the Duaa.



Wudu

أَشْهَدُ أَنْ لَا إِلَهَ إِلَّا اللَّهُ، وَحْدَهُ لَا شَرِيكَ لَهُ، وَأَشْهَدُ أَنَّ مُحَمَّدًا عَبْدُهُ وَرَسُولُهُ

Ash-hadu an la ilaha illallahu Wahdahu la sharika Lahu, wa ash-hadu anna Muhammadan 'abduhu wa Rasuluhu

The Messenger of Allah (ﷺ) said, "Whoever of you performs Wudu' carefully and then says: '**Ash-hadu an la ilaha illallahu Wahdahu la sharika Lahu, wa ash-hadu anna Muhammadan 'abduhu wa Rasuluhu** [I testify that there is no true god except Allah alone, Who has no partners and that Muhammad (ﷺ) is His slave and Messenger],' the eight gates of Jannah are opened for him. He may enter through whichever of these gates he desires (to enter)." [Muslim].

What breaks wudu?

Any of the following things will break your wudu and if you want to pray or touch the Quran, you will have to make a new wudu.

- 1- Anything that comes out of your private parts (passing urine - stool - gas)
- 2- Deep sleep.
- 3- Fainting (passing out)

QUIZ

Multiple Choice Questions

1- Which of the following actions does NOT break Wudu?

- a) Passing gas
- b) Deep sleep
- c) Eating
- d) Fainting

2- What is the first step in performing Wudu?

- a) Rinse your mouth
- b) Wash your feet
- c) Say Bismillah
- d) Niyyah

3- What happens when you say the Duaa after performing Wudu?

- a) You enter paradise immediately
- b) The eight gates of Jannah are opened for you
- c) You are given rewards on earth
- d) You are forgiven for all your past mistakes

True or False

- 1. Wudu is required to make prayer valid.
- 2. Wudu can be performed without any intention.
- 3. When performing Wudu, it is a must to wash your face.
- 4. The Duaa after performing Wudu opens all eight gates of Jannah.
- 5. Wudu can be broken by fainting. (True/False)

Fill-in-the-Blank

1- The Prophet Muhammad (ﷺ) said, "No prayer is accepted without _____."

2-- Wudu helps to wash away the sins committed with the _____, _____, and _____.

When performing Wudu, you should wash each part _____ times.

QUIZ

Answer the Questions

- 1- What is Wudu, and why is it necessary for prayer?

- 2- How does Wudu purify us spiritually, according to the teachings of Prophet Muhammad (ﷺ)?

- 3- List the steps involved in performing Wudu.

- 5- What does the Duaa said after performing Wudu mean, and what reward is associated with it?

- 6- According to the Prophet Muhammad (ﷺ), what happens to a person's sins when they perform Wudu?