

SHAHJALAL JAMIA MASJID

Bangladesh Islamic Society

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Wednesday 8th July 2020

Assalamu Alaikum

RE-OPENING OF MASJID

Alhamdulillah, by the grace of Allah (SWT), we are pleased to announce the re-opening of Shahjalal Jamia Masjid from Thursday 9th July 2020 for **Fardh** prayers **only** from Zuhr prayer onwards, InshaAllah.

The Management Committee has responsibilities to ensure everyone's safety and therefore, in accordance with the Government Guidelines, you will need to abide by the following instructions set out below. The Management Committee reserves the right to decline entry to anyone failing to comply with any of these instructions.

1. Anyone with any symptoms of COVID-19, or who has been in contact in the last 14 days with anyone with COVID-19, must not come to the Masjid. We also encourage all those in high-risk categories not to attend the Masjid with underlying health conditions such as diabetes, heart disease and chronic asthma.
2. Also anyone feeling unwell with minor illnesses such as cold, coughs and etc must not also come to the Masjid.
3. A temperature check will be taken at the entrance, if it is recorded **37.8C** or higher you will be politely declined entry.
4. Children under the age of 12 and anyone over the age of 70 will not be allowed to access the Masjid and are advised to pray at home.
5. Doors will open 15 minutes before each Jamaat time and close at the commencement of Jamaat i.e. for Zuhr prayers doors will open at 1.45pm and close at 2pm. Please pray Sunnahs and Nafl at home. Jamaat times for the current week is shown below - please check the Masjids Annual Timetable as times change weekly.

Fajr	Zuhr	Asr	Magrib	Isha	Jumma 1 st Jamaat	Jumma 2 nd Jamaat	Jumma 3 rd Jamat
4:15am	2:00pm	7:30pm	9:40pm	11:00pm	1:30pm	2:00pm	2:30pm

6. There are limited spaces in the Masjid due to social distancing rules, so please expect to queue outside pending all relevant checks before entry. Once the maximum limit is reached, no one else will be allowed in and the doors will be closed.

7. You must leave the masjid as soon as the Fardh prayer finishes via the exit points as directed by our staff and volunteers.
8. To be allowed access you **MUST**:
 - perform your Wudu before coming to the Masjid as wudu & toilet facilities will be closed to stop the spread of infection;
 - bring your own prayer mat (musallah) and hat;
 - bring a bag for your shoes and you must keep your shoes with you at all times as the shoe racks will be sealed and out of use;
 - bring your own face mask – to be worn at all times whilst in the Masjid.

NOTE: You will not be allowed entry if you fail to satisfy any of the above.

9. Hand sanitizers will be available and you must use these on entry and before and after touching any surfaces.
10. Please pray in the designated prayer spaces in order to maintain social distancing rules.
11. There should be no socialising in the Masjid, it is only re-opening for Fardh prayers - shaking hands, hugging and other contact must be avoided at all times.
12. The Masjid will be closed between prayers, and will not be available for individual worship.
13. A one way entry & exit system is being implemented – please follow it at all times.
14. In line with the Test and Trace National Program all attendees will be required to provide their details each time they attend the Masjid. Please bring a completed slip of paper - blank form enclosed and is also available on our website: www.shahjalalmasjidleeds.co.uk, hardcopies will also be available at the Masjid.
15. The above restrictions will be kept under regular review and any changes will be notified using our website and social media.

We urge our community to follow the guidelines and abide by the instructions of our staff and volunteers as we need everyone's cooperation in these challenging times. May Allah (SWT) help us to re-open our Masjid safely for our community.

JazakAllah Khair

Management Committee

Enclosed: Test and Trace National Program Blank Form

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