



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS RULES AND REGULATIONS

OF MA'AHAD SHAYKHIL ISLA'AM IBN TAYMIYYAH



LEGAL AND IMMIGRATION ISSUES.

The International Admission and Immigration Advisor in the Admissions Office is your primary liaison with the Tanzania Immigration Services department. The International Admission and Immigration Advisor is well informed about Tanzania immigration services department regulations and can advise you on proper compliance with immigration procedures. It is important that you do not rely on the advice of friends regarding immigration matters. Situations often vary, so it is advisable that you contact the International Admission and Immigration Advisor on all matters that might affect your visa status.

To remain in good standing with Tanzania immigration services department, consult with the International Admission and Immigration Advisor BEFORE you do anything that might jeopardize your right to remain in the United Republic Of Tanzania.

Compliance with the law involves the following:

Maintain the validity of your passport for a minimum of six months at all times. The consulate or embassy of your country in the United Republic of Tanzania. will renew it.

All international students have to report any change in address, phone number, email address, change of major or any other important information within 10 days to the International Student Admissions Office. Ma'ahad Sheikhil Islam Ibn Taymiyyah is required by law to have current information on all international students at all times and need to report any changes in Tanzania immigration services department.

Failure to maintain your immigrant visa status can result in serious immigration problems which could ultimately lead to deportation from the United Republic of Tanzania. The International Admission and Immigration Advisor has additional information if you wish to discuss non-immigrant visa status.

TAZKIYYAH.

This is one of the key factors that determine student enrollment. All international students must have to submit to The International Admission and Immigration Advisor Office and discipline office a recommendation letter from a person or student who is familiar with Maahad Sheikhil Islaam ibn Taymiyyah for not less than two years.

REGISTRATION.

The registration procedure involves new students and continuing students, for the new student must fill the registration form which is available in a hardcopy at the Maahad office or a softcopy and all completed registration form must be submitted to the Admissions office. The registration form costs 5\$ per person and \$250 for annual tuition fees.

The requirements for the registration involves :-

- compliance with the Tanzania immigration procedures for Non-residents.
- Completions of the Tuition Fee.
- Tazkiyah from the recommended referees.
- healthy certificate.

COURSE DURATION.

Our study system is by khalaqat method and all students must adhere to this system. After the registration process there will be an interview for all registered students so as to allocate them into the respective khalaq according to their levels (mustawah).

The course duration consists of 9 months of studies and 3 months of holidays in every academic year. The study months start from 10 shawwal to the end of Jumadal- Akhiirah and the holidays months are Rajab, Shaban and Ramadhan.

There are only a few legitimate reasons to be enrolled in less than 9 months. Reduced course always needs prior approval! A student who drops below a full year of study without the prior approval will be considered out of status. A counseling appointment will be required.

And the study time Start before the Fajr prayer until after the Isha prayer. The rest time is during Dhuha and after Dhuhur.

STUDENT PASS OR VISA.

All students come out of East Africa who need the student pass or Visa must have a valid stamp visa (not less than 2 months life span)

The requirement for student Visa is as follows:

- One copy of a colored passport.
- Two passport size pictures.
- Flight returning ticket

- Copy of Birth certificate and a \$ 250 for the 2 years visa payments.

GRACE PERIODS.

The grace period regulations are as follows:

For the International student who comes to survey or for those who come for a short time of study will have to submit their colored passport copies to the International Admissions and Immigration Advisor.

All International students will have to attend all classes arranged for them by the Ma'ahad. All international students should report to the International Admissions and Immigration Advisor if they need to go anywhere for personal issues.

EXTENSION OF STAY.

Any International student who will be willing to extend their stay in the United Republic Of Tanzania after expiring a 2 years Visa/Pass should arrange a letter to International Admission and Immigration Advisor BEFORE 30 days. If any International student won't follow the procedures of regulations and Ma'ahad laws the International Admission and migration Advisor won't be responsible for his/her extension.

TRANSFER TO ANOTHER SALAF MA'AHAD.

A form must be completed with the international student counselor prior to the end of their final year at Ma'ahad Sheikhil Islam Ibn Taymiyyah. In addition, a student who decides to transfer to another salaf Ma'ahad must provide an original letter of acceptance from the prospective salaf Ma'ahad before the end of the 60-days.

A student will not be allowed to move from a Maahad Sheikhil Islaam Ibn Taymiyyah to another Maahad until the permit period that has been managed by the ITSF ends.

HEALTH ASSISTANCE.

As a consequence, Ma'ahad Sheikhil Islam Ibn Taymiyyah STRONGLY RECOMMENDS that ALL International Students maintain valid health insurance coverage during their entire stay in the United Republic of Tanzania.



NOTE.

We advise and insist that all international students submit information about their presence in the United Republic of Tanzania to the ambassador/consoler of their countries to help in the time of problems that are beyond human control or otherwise and they will be required to bring proof to the relevant office.

CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT AT ANOTHER MA'AHAD.

International students are not allowed to take classes at any institution which does not follow the way of salaf. Ma'ahad Sheikhil Islam Ibn Taymiyyah won't take any International student that supports terrorism or involved in any political matters.

MARRIAGE AND ORDER FOR COUPLES.

the matter of marrying or marrying is a personal matter, but our maahad establishes a procedure for all guests who have come to study that they will not be allowed to marry or be married until after one year and the leaders of the maahad are the ones who should be involved in this matter and it is a mistake for any student to take the authority to find a fiancée or marry a foreigner whom he does not know and if proven to be so, ma'ahad Sheikhil Islaam Ibn Taymiyyah will take strict action against the person involved.

All International students who have come without a family (wife) will have to live inside the Markaz and not outside the ma'ahad Sheikhil Islaam Ibn Taymiyyah and follow all the rules and guidelines that have been set for boarding students.

Unmarried students will not be allowed to rent a house outside and those who are married will be given good arrangements of how to live outside the Markaz, including renting a house.

EXIT PERMISSIONS.

In order to control arbitrariness in our markaz, any student will not be allowed to leave the markaz or travel except with a special Exit permit that will state the reasons why the student is outside the markaz area and if you do not have that permission and you experience anything, Maahad Sheikhil Islaam Ibn Taymiyyah will not be involved.

