

Common Arabic Recitation and its meaning in Salah (Prayer)

Mostly taken by following website but I modified few things
wherever I had better understanding.

Make an attempt to find the Arabic for better pronunciation

<http://www.islamcan.com/salat/duas/>

Day 1 and 4

Starting the Prayer by saying Takbir Tahrimah

Alla-hu Akbar

Allah is the greatest

Dua Al-Istiftah (Supplication of Starting) Recited only in the first Rakath

Subhana Kal-lah hum-ma

Glory be to you, O Allah,

wa bi hamdika

and all praises are due unto you,

wa ta-bara kasmuka wata'ala jad-duka

and blessed is your name and high is your majesty

wala ilaha ghyruka.

and none is worthy of worship but you.

Day 5

Next recitation is called Ta'awwuz (Also recited only in the first Rakath)

A'uzu bil-lahi minash Shayta-nir-rajeem

I seek Allah's protection from Satan who is accursed.

Day 6

After this, recite the Tasmiah (There could be lot of discussion about this but that would be some other time for now here is the sentence and the meaning)

Bismillah hir-Rahma nir-Raheem

In the name of Allah, the most Kind and the most Merciful.

Day 7 to 12

Surah Fatiha (Recited in every Rakat)

For the Correct Pronunciation pick whichever suites you:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0sz2LeyMwYs>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xCwtpNgFw5g>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GVv3GORpAUw>

Alhamdul lil-lahi rab-bil 'alameen
Praise belongs to Allah, The Lord of all the worlds

Ar rahma nir-raheem
The most Kind, the most Merciful.

Maliki yawmid-deen
The Master of the Day of Judgment.

Iyyaka na'budu wa iyyaka nasta'een
You alone do we worship and to you alone we seek help.

Ihdinas siratal mustaqeem
Show us/Guide us the on the Right path,

Siratal Lazeena an'amta 'alayhim
The path of those on whom you have granted favors,

Ghai-ril maghdubi 'alayhim Walad dal-leen.

Not of those who deserved your anger,
Nor gone astray.

Day 12 to 14

You have to recite some Quran and here is a Surah Ikhlas as an example as it is most commonly recited

Qul huwal lahu ahad.
Say: He is Allah, the only One.

Allah hus-Samad.
Allah helps and does not need help.

Lam yalid walam yulad.
Not He Begets (produces a child) and nor he is begotten.

Walam yakul-lahu Kufuwan ahad.
There is no one equal to Him.

Day 15

Supplication in Ruku (bowing)

While in Ruku, recite the following supplication 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 or more times. Make it an odd number.

Sub-hana Rabbi-al 'azeem.

Glory to my Lord the Exalted.

Day 16

Qawmah (Standing After Ruku)

Sami 'allah hu liman hamida. Rab-bana lakal hamd.

Verily Allah listens to one who praises Him. Oh our Lord, all praises be to you.

Day 17

First Sajdah (Prostration)

While in Sajdah, recite the following supplication 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 or more times. Make it an odd number.

Sub-hana Rabbi yal a'la

Oh Allah, glory be to you, the most High.

Day 18

Jalsah (Sitting between two Sajdah)

To rise and sit from the first Sajdah, Sit for a short while and recite the following (Optional):

Allah hum maghfirlee war-ham nee

Oh Allah, forgive me, and have mercy on me

Day 19 to 22

Tashahud

Transliteration and Translation:

At-tahiy-yatu lil-lahi was sala-watu wat-tay yibatu
All compliments, all physical prayer, and all monetary worship are for Allah.

As-salamu 'alayka ay-yuhan-nabiy-yu
wa rahma tullahi wa bara-katuhu
Peace be upon you, Oh Prophet,
and Allah's mercy and blessings.

As-salamu 'alayna wa'ala 'ibadil-la his-sali-heen
Peace be on us and on all righteous slaves of Allah.

Ash hadu al-la ilaha il-lal lahu
wa ash hadu an-na Muhammadan 'ab-duhu wa rasuluh.
I bear witness that no one is worthy of worship except Allah
And I bear witness that Muhammad is His slave and Messenger.

Day 23 to 28

Salat Alan-Nabi (called Darud Ibrahim) - Salutation to the Prophet

Transliteration and Translation:

Allah humma sal-li 'ala Muhammadin
Oh Allah, send grace and honour on Muhammad

wa 'ala ali Muhammadin,
and on the family of Muhammad

Kama sal-layta 'ala Ibraheema
just as you sent Grace and Honor on Ibrahim

Wa'ala ali Ibraheema
and on the family of Ibrahim

innaka Hameedum Majeed
Surely, you are praiseworthy, the Great.

Allah humma barik 'ala Muhammadin
Oh Allah, send your blessing on Muhammad and

wa 'ala ali Muhammadin,
and on the family of Muhammad

Kama barakta 'ala Ibraheema
just as you sent blessings on Ibrahim

Wa 'ala ali Ibraheema
and his true followers

innaka Hameedum Majeed.
Surely, you are praiseworthy, the Great.

Day 29 to 30

After Darud recite the Dua and following is the most commonly recited Dua

Rabbana atina fid-dunya hasanataw
Our Lord! grant us good in this world

wa fil 'akhirati hasanataw
and good in the hereafter,

waqina 'adhaban-nar."
and save us from the chastisement of the fire."
(Quran 2:201)

Prayer concludes by saying Salam. Look towards your right shoulder and say it once then look towards your left shoulder and say it once again.

As-salamu 'alaykum wa rah-matul lah

Peace be on you and the mercy of Allah.