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## Course Details

Title	ALI 416: Theology and Worship in Nahjul Balagha
Text	<i>Selection from Glimpses of Nahjul Balagha</i> – by Ayatullah Murtadha Mutahhari - <a href="https://www.al-islam.org/al-tawhid/general-al-tawhid/selection-glimpses-nahj-al-balaghah-mutahhari">https://www.al-islam.org/al-tawhid/general-al-tawhid/selection-glimpses-nahj-al-balaghah-mutahhari</a>
Dates and Timings	4 Tuesdays, Nov. 14 – Dec. 5, 10.00 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.
Location	Seniors Lounge, JCC
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## Course Description

Based on the book *Glimpses of Nahjul Balagha* by Āyatullāh Mutahhari, this course will look at the topics of Divine Essence, Divine Unity and Ibadah as discussed in Nahjul Balagha.

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## Objectives

- Acquire familiarity with Nahjul Balagha
  - Study the issue of Divine Essence in Nahjul Balagha
  - Understand some of the Divine Attributes as presented in Nahjul Balagha
  - Learn about the concept of Divine Unity
  - Study the approach of Nahjul Balagha towards worship in Islam
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## Course Topics

Session One	Introduction, The Divine Essence
Session Two	Divine Attributes
Session Three	Divine Unity
Session Four	Concept of Ibadah in Islam

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Each week will have readings on the topic. Classes will begin with a discussion on verse 255-257 of Sura al-Baqarah (Ayat ul Kursi). There will be a group discussion after class on the readings.