



CENTRAL ISLAMIC ORGANIZATION OF AMERICA (CIOA)

FIRST TRISTATE QUR`ANIC RECITATION COMPETITION 2016

APPLICATION FORM

Name of Participant: _____

D.O.B: ___ / ___ / ___

Age: _____

Tel. No. _____ E-mail: _____

Category	Age	Quran	Entry
1	10	Surah Ad Duha –An Nas	
2	15	Juz 30	
3	15	Juz 1, 27, 28, 29, and 30	
4	Open	Entire Quran	

A participant can enter in one category only

Name of Teacher, Imam or Executive Member: _____

Signature of Name of Teacher, Imam or Executive Member: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

Recommended by: _____ (Print)

Signature: _____



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RULES of the COMPETITION

1. This is our **FIRST** competition, and it is open to any Muslim of any nationality who resides in the tri-state area (NY, NJ, and Connecticut).
2. Participants must not be older than 25 years.
3. Participants must not be a professional reciter or a winner of a previous competition.
4. The competition is divided into 4 categories:
 1. Under 10 years: From Surah Ad-Duha to An-Naas
 2. 11 to 15 years: Juz 30
 3. Over 15 years: Juz 1, 27, 28, 29 and 30
 4. Open Category: Entire Qur`an
5. Five contestants will be selected in each category to participate in the final competition.
6. Scoring of points will be according to:
 - a. Tajweed (Rules of recitation) 70%
 - b. Tarteel (Rhythm of recitation) 10%
 - c. Hifz (Memorization) 20%
7. Participants will be asked by the Judges to recite a specific portion of the Qur`an in the categories they are participating in.
8. Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners.
9. Participants must display proper Islamic Behaviour and dress.
10. Final day of registration is January 31st, 2016 by email cioanyquran@gmail.com
11. The decisions of the judges are final.
12. The Judges are experienced and of high integrity.
13. Preliminary competition will be held on February 6, 2016 from 9:00 A. M. at the Bosnian Unity Center, 114-07 91st Ave, NY while the finals will be held on February 20, 2016 from 1:30 P.M. at the Golden Terrace Banquet Hall, 120-23 Atlantic Ave, NY.

Disclaimer:

1. The CIOA reserves the rights to all recitations (audio and video) by participants and the winners.
2. Winners must give acknowledgement to CIOA for one year if they are called upon by other organizations to perform at their programs.
3. By signing this form, you agree to these conditions.