

What does Allah do for us?

Many things – so many that we cannot count them.

Shall we talk about a few of them?



You have to fill in some of the words though.

1) Sunshine

Imagine if there were no sunshine.

There would be no day time.

It would always be ***** time.

The world would always be dark and miserable.



2) Rain

Imagine if there were no rain.

We would have no ***** to drink.

We would feel thirsty all the time.



If we had nothing to drink at all, we would ***

3) Our bodies

If we had no ears, we could not ****.

If we had no tongue or mouth, we could not ****
to our friends and our family.

If our eyes did not work at all, we would not be
able to *** anything.

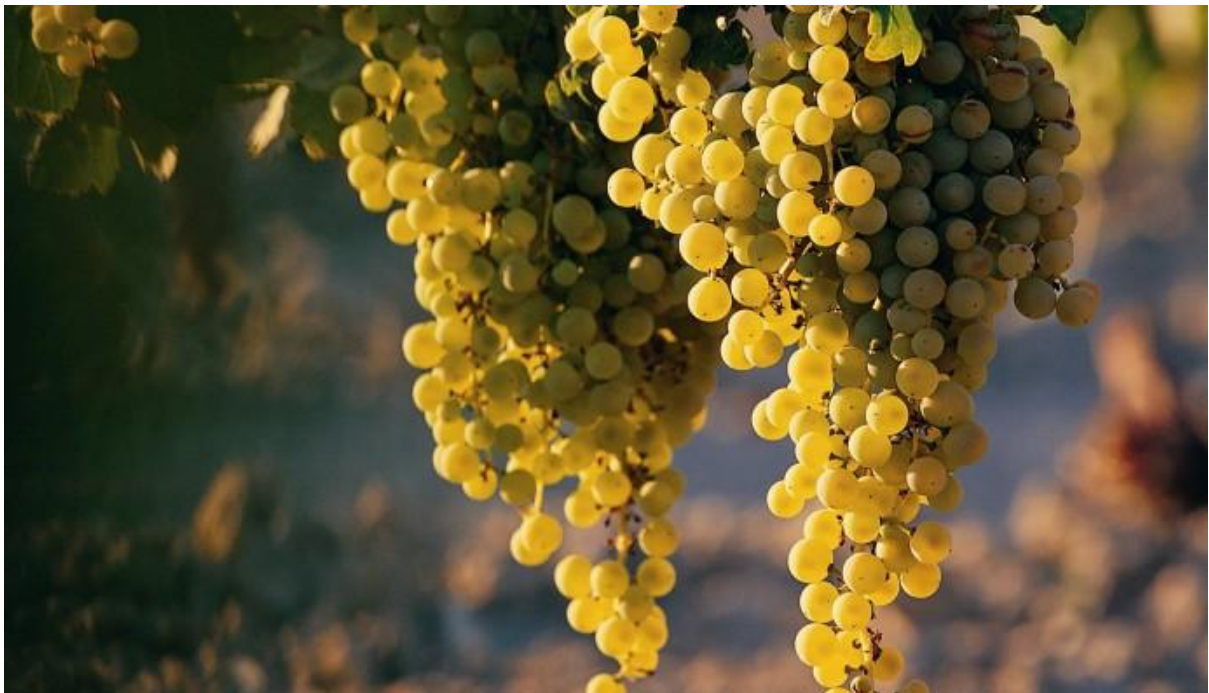


How sad we would be.

4) Food

Imagine if our food ran out.

We would feel very *****



When we don't have food just even for a day, we feel unhappy and ill.

We are tired and cannot do what we want to do.

5) Our house

Imagine if our house fell down.

We would have nowhere to ****.

We would be sad.



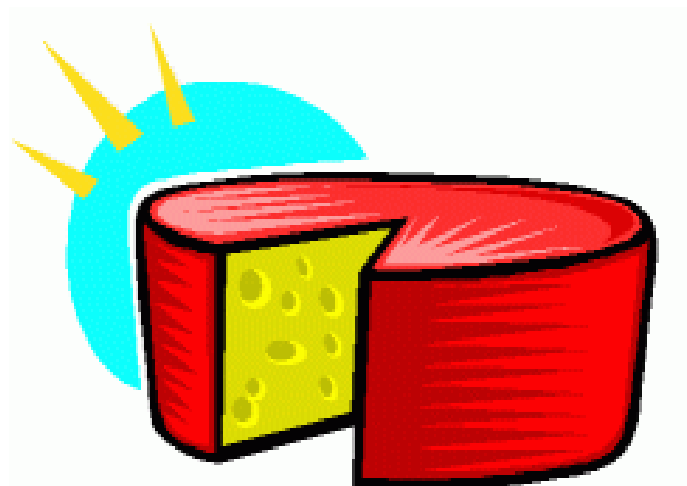
And we would be very happy when we found
somewhere else to ****.

These are just a few of the things which Allah gives us.

If these things go away, Allah is the One who brings them back to us.

He looks after us from the time we are born until we die.

He gives us food and drink, and warmth and a home.



He gives us parents and friends who help to look after us.

But He can take these things away at any time.

So we should keep doing things to say thank you to Him.

We should keep asking Him to keep us healthy and happy.

We should keep on saying sorry to Him if we do bad things, so that He does not take away things which He has given to us.

We should remember Allah at all times because we are always using things which He gave us.

When someone gives us something nice, it makes us love them.

When we remember someone whom we love, it makes us feel happy.



So we should remember Allah at all times.

Key points for teachers:

- The importance of gratitude to Allah
- The fact that we cannot enumerate all the nice things that He has given to us
- Our complete dependence on Him
- That we should continue to thank Him for all the nice things He has given to us
- That we should not take those things for granted
- That we should obey Him
- That we should seek forgiveness from Him if we disobey Him
- That when we reflect on all the blessings He gives us, it should instil in us love for Him
- The importance of remembering Allah and that it brings tranquillity to the heart

Possible discussion points:

- i) Can you tell me some other things that Allah gives us?
- ii) Can you tell me what would happen if those things were taken away from us?
- iii) Has anyone done anything nice for you today?
- iv) Did that make you happy?
- v) Did you do anything nice for anyone else today?
- vi) Did that make you happy when you did that?
- vi) Who does more nice things for us than anyone else?

Answers to fill in the blanks:

Sunshine	<i>night</i>
Rain	<i>water, die</i>
Our bodies	<i>hear, talk, see</i>
Food	<i>hungry</i>
Our house	<i>live, live</i>