Parents and teachers: Please read these points out to your children to help them understand what they have read insha Allah.

1. Allaah is the One Who gave us our life. And Allaah will take our life away one day. Allaah tells us this in the Qur’aan (which roughly means):

‘He -Allaah- gave you life. Then He will make you die (again)... [Soorah al-Baqarah 2:28]

2. When we die, we will all go back to Allaah. Allaah says in the Qur’aan:

‘(when you die) to Him-Allaah, you will return...[Soorah al-Baqarah 2:28]

3. After we die, we will go to the next life. In the next life, Allaah will make us alive again. Then we come out of our graves. After this, we will never die again. This will be on a day called the day of Judgement. On this Day, Allaah will decide if we were good or bad in the world. He will judge us for everyone we did. It is a very frightening Day. Allaah says:

‘On that Day of Judgement, a man shall run away from his brother, and from his mother and his father, and from his wife and children (because he will be terrified...
as to what may happen to him) [Soorah 'Abasa 80:34-36]

4. After Allaah has judged us, Allaah will greatly reward those who lived as good Muslims, and died as good Muslims. They will be happy forever! But Allaah will also punish those who died disobeying Him and did not worship Him alone. They will be sad forever. Allaah says:

‘...those who disobey Allaah) – tell them they will have a terrible punishment in the next life. But those who believe in Allaah and do good actions (as Muslims), for them is a reward that will never end.’ [Soorah al-Inshiqaaq 84: 22-25].

5. Dear children, we only have this life on earth to try to be good Muslims and worship Allaah alone, just like our beloved Prophet, sallallaahu 'alayhi wa-sallam, taught. We can’t do that after we die. We can’t ever come back to this life again. But the bad people will want to come back here to be good Muslims. But Allaah will never bring them back to this life. They didn’t please Allaah before. It’s too late for them in the next life...Allaah says:

‘Everyone will taste death and die. And only on the Day of Judgement will you be given your reward (or punishment) fully. So whoever is saved from the Hellfire and entered into Paradise, he is indeed successful. The life of this world is only enjoyment of deception.’ [Soorah Aal-'Imraan 3:185]
Let's do the 'Tawheed Quiz' next to see what we have learnt.