## Lesson 1-Ambiya

## **Bowling Game Challenge**

Bowling is a game that involves rolling a ball on the ground and trying to knock down as many bowling pins as you can so they are no longer standing upright. You have been asked to participate in a bowling challenge. Instead of using a typical ball to knock down the pins your game will include correctly answering questions. For each question that you answer correctly, one bowling will fall down to the ground. Your goal is to try to knock down all the bowling pins by correctly answering all the questions.





To Knock Over Bowling Pin 1: What does the Arabic word "Ummah" mean?

To Knock Over Bowling Pin 2: What does the Arabic word "Rasul" mean?

To Knock Over Bowling Pin 3: What Arabic word means "Prophet" in English?

To Knock Over Bowling Pin 4: How many ambiya have been selected to guide us?

To Knock Over Bowling Pin 5: What is the difference between a nabi and a rasul?

To Knock Over Bowling Pin 6: What is one of the special and unique qualities of an ambiya?

To Knock Over Bowling Pin 7: What is the name of the first nabi?

To Knock Over Bowling Pin 8: What is the name of the last nabi?



In bowling if a person is able to knock over all the bowling pins in their first attempt of rolling the ball it is called a "strike".

## Debate

Zarah would like to participate in a debate with you. She believes that since ambiya were humans they may not be able to have special qualities and powers.

Your Task: Convince Zarah that she is incorrect in her point of view. When convincing Zarah include qualities that illustrate how ambiya are of a higher and elevated state compared to typical human beings.

## Answers to the Bowling Game

Question 1: What does the Arabic word "Ummah" mean? Answer: It means community; nation

Question 2: What does the Arabic word "Rasul" mean? It means messenger.

Question 3: What Arabic word means "Prophet" in English? The word is Nabi.

Question 4: How many ambiya have been selected to guide us? There are 124000 ambiya.

Question 5: What is the difference between a nabi and a rasul? A rasul is a nabi that has been given a book by Allah to follow that contains a new set of rules for people to follow.

Question 6: What is one of the special and unique qualities of an ambiya? (Answers may vary) They are chosen by Allah, they receive wahy revelation) from Allah, they are ma'sum, and they are able to perform miracles to prove their nubuwwah.

Question 7: What is the name of the first nabi? His name is Nabi Adam.

Question 8: What is the name of the last nabi? It is Rasullah; Prophet Muhammad (s)

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